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May 21, 2015

The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk, Supreme Court of South Carolina
P.O. Box 11330
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Re: Susan Tappeiner, 338050 v. State of South Carolina; Appellate Case No. 2013-001885.

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

I am retained counsel for this client for the perfection of her appeal. This is an appeal from a Post-Conviction Relief action. By Order of this Court, dated April 22, 2015, my Brief of Petitioner and thirteen (13) additional copies of the Appendix are due for filing on May 22, 2015. Because of a large number of filings that have been due in the past three weeks, I have not been able to complete this brief before today. My support staff is off tomorrow. For these reasons, I now respectfully request a 30-day extension of time in which to prepare and submit my Brief of Petitioner and additional copies of the Appendix on behalf of this client. There have been no previous extension requests at this state of this PCR appeal. By copy of this letter, I am advising opposing counsel, Rutledge Johnson, Assistant Attorney General, of this request. With my thanks for the Court's kind assistance in this matter, I remain,

Sincerely yours,

Tara Dawn Shurling
Attorney and Counselor at Law

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cc: Rutledge Johnson, Assistant Attorney General
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