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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk of Court, South Carolina Supreme Court
Post Office Box 11330
Columbia SC 29211

Re: Derrick Prescott v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No: 2015-001343

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above appeal is due to be served and filed on today's date. However, this is to respectfully request a 30-day extension in which to serve and file this Return.

This extension request is not intended for the purpose of delay. Rather, this extension request is necessitated by a heavy workload.

Sincerely,

Jessica E. Kring
for

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Assistant Attorney General
Bar No: 101253

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cc: Wanda H. Carter, Esquire