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S.C. SUPREME COURT

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

Re: Ruben Ramirez v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No. 2015-002063
Lower Court Case No. 2009-CP-23-9285

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

Attached are the original and fourteen (14) copies of the **Brief of Respondent** in the above referenced case for filing in your office.

Sincerely,

Karen C. Ratigan
Senior Assistant Attorney General
SC Bar #68331

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cc: Wanda H. Carter, Esquire
Trisha Allen, Victim Services (without enclosure)