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S.C. SUPREME COURT

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

Re: Robert L. Cannon, III, 328347 v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No. 2015-002143
Lower Court Case No. 2012-CP-28-0145


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 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 workload.

I will be representing the State regarding this matter. Please note me as counsel of record for the State and forward all future correspondence regarding this case directly to me.

Sincerely,


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cc: Susan B. Hackett, Esquire