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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse  
Clerk, Supreme Court of South Carolina  
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RE: **Alfonso Staton v. State of South Carolina**  
**Appellate Case No. 2015-000460**


S.C. SUPREME COURT

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The Return to the 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 my return.

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

Sincerely,



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