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The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings  
Clerk of Court, South Carolina Court of Appeals  
Post Office Box 11629  
Columbia South Carolina 29211

**Re: The State v. Edward Lee Dean**  
**Appellate Case No: 2016-001004**

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The Appellant/Respondent's Return to the Motion to Dismiss in the above appeal is due to be served and filed today. I would 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, but is necessitated by my heavy workload.

Sincerely,

David Spencer  
Senior Assistan Attorney General  
S.C. Bar No: 68571

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cc: E. Charles Grose, Jr., Esquire  
Victim Services