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SC Court of Appeals

Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk, South Carolina Supreme Court
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Re: State of South Carolina v. Daniel Martinez Herrera
Honorable Eugene C. Griffith, Jr., Circuit Court Judge
Opinion No. Opinion No. 2016-UP-424 (S.C. Ct. App. Filed October 12, 2016)

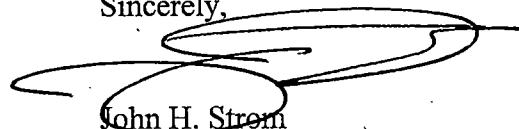
Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the above-referenced case is due to be served and filed today. Because of my present workload, I respectfully request an twenty-day extension of this deadline, until January 9, 2017. No prior extensions have been requested in this case.

By copy of this letter, I am informing Megan Harrigan Jameson, Esquire, of the Office of the Attorney General, of this extension request.

Thanking you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,



John H. Strom
Appellate Defender

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cc: Megan Harrigan Jameson, Esquire
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