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S.C. SUPREME COURT

February 2, 2017

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

Re: The State v. Tyrel R. Collins  
Appeal from Charleston County  
Appellate Case No. 2016-000877

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

Enclosed is the original and fifteen (15) copies of the Brief of Respondent, dated February 2, 2017, with a Proof of Service, which we submit for filing in the above-referenced matter.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Melody J. Brown  
Senior Assistant Attorney General

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Enclosures

cc: Susan B. Hackett, Appellate Defender  
The Honorable Scarlett A. Wilson, Solicitor, 9<sup>th</sup> Circuit  
Trisha Allen, Victim Services