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**SC Court of Appeals**

Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse  
Clerk, South Carolina Supreme Court  
Post Office Box 11330  
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Re: State of South Carolina v. Keith Denver Tate  
Appellate Case No. 2014-001694  
Donald B. Hocker Circuit Court Judge  
Opinion No. 2016-UP-436 (S.C. Ct. App. filed December 14, 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 a ten-day extension of this deadline. No prior extensions have been requested in this case.

By copy of this letter, I am informing V. Henry Gunter, Jr., Esquire, of the Office of the Attorney General, of this extension request.

Thanking you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Susan B. Hackett  
Appellate Defender

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cc: V. Henry Gunter, Jr.  
Court of Appeals