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The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings
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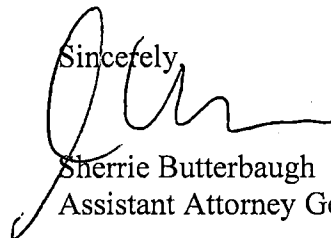
Re: *The State v. Michael Jay Finley*
Appeal from Greenville County
Appellate Case No. 2016-002480
[Initial Brief of Respondent due: Monday, October 30, 2017]

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

I hereby request an extension of thirty (30) days in which to file the Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter in the above-referenced case. The Initial Brief is currently due to be served and filed on Monday, October 30, 2017. However, because of my involvement in other matters in state and federal court, I have been unable to timely complete the Initial Brief.

Therefore, I am requesting this extension within which to serve and file the Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter. I am informing opposing counsel of my request by copy of this letter.

Sincerely,



Sherrie Butterbaugh
Assistant Attorney General

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cc: Laura R. Baer, Esq.