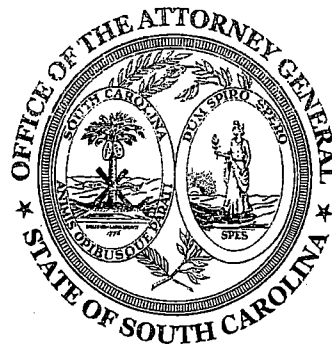


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SC Court of Appeals

The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
1015 Sumter Street
Columbia, SC 29201

RE: State v. Homer James – Appellate Case No. 2016-002046

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter in the above-referenced criminal appeal are due to be served and filed on December 4, 2017. However, due to a heavy workload, I am requesting a thirty-day extension to serve and file these documents. This is the first extension request in this case, and it is not intended for the purpose of delay.

I appreciate your consideration of this request and ask that the filing deadlines be held in abeyance while this request is pending.

By copy of this letter, I am informing counsel for the Appellant of this extension request.

Sincerely,

V. Henry Gunter
Assistant Attorney General
S.C. Bar Number 102259

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cc: David Alexander, Esquire
Victim Advocacy Division

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