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

**Re: Kenneth Morris v. State of South Carolina**  
**Appellate Case No. 2017-002355**  
**Lower Court Case No. 2015-CP-46-2859**

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in the above appeal are due to be served and filed on today's date. However, this is to respectfully request a 30-day extension to serve and file this Petition and Appendix.

This extension request is not intended for the purpose of delay. Rather, this extension request is necessitated by my heavy workload.

Sincerely,

Justin J. Hunter  
Assistant Attorney General  
SC Bar No. 101254

JJH/cc

cc: Clarence Rauch Wise, Esquire