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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk, Supreme Court of South Carolina
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S.C. SUPREME COURT

RE: Brantley W. Clarke v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No. 2017-000841.

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

My Reply to the Respondent's Return is due today. I have completed this Reply, however it is now 9:00 PM and my staff is long gone for the evening and will not be back until Monday. I would gladly stay and type this Reply myself, but I am in considerable pain with my ongoing hip problems and simply can not sit any longer this evening. I apologize for this request and can assure the Court that I did my very best to avoid it. Given the hour, it is impossible for me to consult with opposing counsel concerning this extension request. I will call Joseph Maye, Assistant Attorney General, first thing in the morning and ask for him to convey his position on this request directly to the Court. In hopes that I will be extended this consideration, I will have this Reply to the Court very early Monday as quickly as my paralegal can get it typed. I thank you for your time and remain,

Sincerely yours,

A large, stylized handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tara Dawn Shurling".

Tara Dawn Shurling
Attorney and Counselor at Law

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Enclosures

cc: W. Joseph Maye, Assistant Attorney General (w/enclosure)

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Supreme Court

APPEAL FROM LEXINGTON COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

Perry H. Gravely, Circuit Court Judge

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BRANTLEY W. CLARKE,

PETITIONER,

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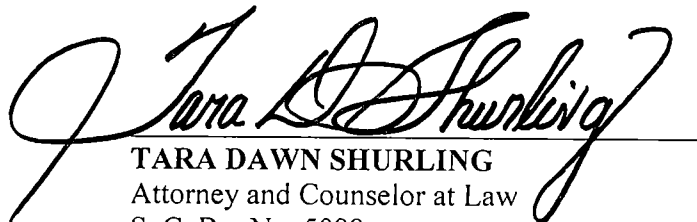
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT.

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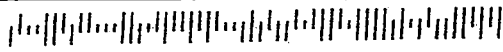
The undersigned attorney hereby certifies that a copy of her Request for an extension of time in which to file her Reply to State's Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above-entitled case has been served upon opposing counsel, W. Joseph Maye, Assistant Attorney General, this 8th day of March, 2018, by mailing one (1) copy in a stamped envelope properly addressed to:

W. Joseph Maye, Assistant Attorney General
Office of the Attorney General
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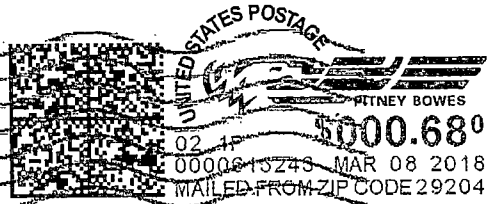
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