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

RE: State v. Paris Genici Avery – Appellate Case No. 2011-194506

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The Brief of Respondent in the above-referenced criminal appeal is due to be served and filed on December 27, 2012. However, due to a heavy workload, I am requesting a thirty-day extension to file this brief. This is the first extension request at this stage in the process, and it is not intended for the purpose of delay.

I appreciate your consideration of this request and ask that you hold the filing time in abeyance during the time in which this request is pending.

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

Sincerely,

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Assistant Attorney General  
Bar No. 76901

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cc: David Alexander, Esq.  
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