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S.C. Supreme Court

January 7, 2013

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

RE: Bobby Rathburn, 326081 v. State of South Carolina
2009-CP-40-5622

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above appeal is due to be served and filed on today. However, this is to respectfully request a 30-day extension until February 6, 2013 in which to serve and file this Return.

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

Sincerely,

Robert D. Corney
Assistant Attorney General

RDC/jri

cc: David Alexander, Esquire; SC Office of Appellate Defense

I CONSENT:

David Alexander, Esquire