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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse  
Clerk of Court, S.C. Supreme Court  
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S.C. Supreme Court

Re: Rushan Counts v. The State - COA # 2011-183728  
2009-GS-40-3056

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case are due to be served and filed with the Court today. However, because of my heavy workload at this time, I am requesting an extension for 30 days, in which to serve and file the petition.

By copy of this letter, I am informing, of the Attorney General's Office, of my request.

Sincerely,

Dayne C. Phillips  
Appellate Defender

DCP/mch

cc: Julie Kate Keeney, Esquire  
The Court of Appeals