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**VIA HAND-DELIVERY**

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

Re: The State v. Karriem Provet  
Appellate Case No. 2011-192746

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The Brief of Respondent in the above appeal is due to be served and filed January 14, 2013. However, due to a heavy workload, I am requesting a 30-day extension to file this document. 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 extension request.

Sincerely,

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Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General

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cc: Tricia A. Blanchette  
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