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

Re: William Gleaton v. State of South Carolina
2009-CP-38-0005

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above appeal is due to be served and filed on today's date. However, this is to respectfully request a 30-day extension 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 workload.

Sincerely,

Megan E. Harrigan
Assistant Attorney General

MEH/lm

cc: Hemphill P. Pride, II, Esquire