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Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse  
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Re: Benjamin L. Smalls v. The State  
Appellate Case No. 2018-001586

S.C. SUPREME COURT

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the above-referenced case are due to be served and filed today. Because of my present workload, I respectfully request a thirty-day extension of this deadline. No prior extensions have been requested in this case.

By copy of this letter, I am informing Kelly Oppenheimer, Esquire, of the Office of the Attorney General, of this extension request.

Thanking you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Wanda H. Carter  
Deputy Chief Appellate Defender

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cc: Kelly Oppenheimer, Esquire