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S.C. SUPREME COURT

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

**Re: Malcolm Brabham, #359777 v. State of South Carolina**  
**Appellate Case No. 2018-001425**  
**Lower Court Case No. 2016-CP-07-01092**

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above appeal was due to be served and filed on today's date. However, this is to respectfully request a **first** 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 heavy workload.

Sincerely,

J. Scott Matthews  
Assistant Attorney General  
SC Bar No. 101464

JSM/trb

cc: Jennifer E. Roberts, Esquire