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The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings
Clerk of Court, S.C. Court of Appeals
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RE: Damon Brown, # 357300, v. South Carolina Department of Corrections
Appellate Case No. 2018-001981

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The Respondent's Initial Brief and Designation of Matter in the above case are due to be served and filed today. The Respondent is hereby respectfully requesting a thirty-day extension of time in which to file the Initial Brief and Designation of Matter. This request is not being made for purposes of delay, but is being made to ensure the brief is properly researched and prepared.

Thank you for your attention to this matter, and please do not hesitate to contact me should there be any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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cc: Damon Brown, # 357300
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