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March 22, 2019

The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk, Supreme Court of South Carolina
P.O. Box 11330
Columbia, SC 29211

Re: George W. Hughes v. State of South Carolina.
Appellate Case No. 2018-000553

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

On August 14, 2018 I filed my original Petition for Writ of Certiorari in this PCR appeal. That Petition was followed by a Petition to Amend Certiorari Petition which was filed on August 16, 2018 and my Petition to Exceed the Page Limits set for a Petition for Writ of Certiorari which was filed on August 21, 2018. The Court's Order denying both those motions was issued on February 20, 2019. That order gave me thirty (30) days to file a Certiorari Petitioner complying with the twenty-five (25) page limit set by Rule 243(e)(3), SCRAP. My revised Certiorari Petition would, by my calculation be due for service and filing on today's date.

I have made every effort to get my revised Certiorari Petition filed by today, however, the due date for this task just happened to fall during an extremely busy time in my schedule and I have been unable to complete this task by today despite my best efforts. I do not wish to delay progress on this appeal any longer than necessary. For that reason, although I am asking for a continuance, I am limiting my request to ask for only five (5) more days to serve and file my Revised Certiorari Petition. It is my intent to get the abbreviated version of my earlier petition filed even sooner if at all possible. I attempted to discuss this request with opposing counsel, Assistant Attorney General, Benjamin H. Limbaugh, earlier today, however, he was in court and unavailable. I am of course copying him on this request and assume he will make any objections he might have to this request known to the Court directly. Thank you for your assistance in this matter. I remain,

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tara Dawn Shurling". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial 'T' and 'S'.

Tara Dawn Shurling
Attorney and Counselor at Law

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cc: Benjamin H. Limbaugh, Assistant Attorney General

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Supreme Court

APPEAL FROM ORANGEBURG COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

Robert E. Hood, Circuit Court Judge

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GEORGE W. HUGHES,

PETITIONER,

v.

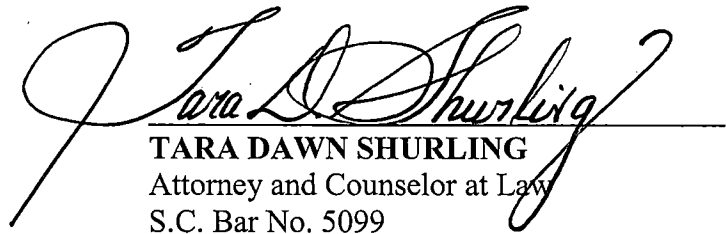
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT.

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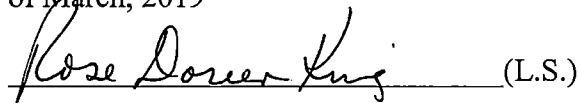
The undersigned attorney hereby certifies that a copy of the Petition for ^{1st} Extension of Time in which to file Revised Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in the above-entitled case has been served upon opposing counsel this the 2nd day of March, 2019, by mailing one (1) copy in a stamped envelope properly addressed to:

Benjamin H. Limbaugh
Assistant Attorney General
Office of the Attorney General
P. O. Box 11549
Columbia, SC 29211


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ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER.

SWORN TO BEFORE me this 2nd day
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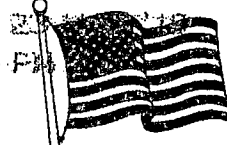
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My Commission Expires: May 27, 2025



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