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April 3, 2019

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

**Re: Carnie Norris, #227226 v. State of South Carolina**  
**Appellate Case No. 2019-000334**  
**Lower Court Case No. 2012-CP-42-4651**

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the aforementioned matter is due to be served and filed on today's date. I would respectfully request a **first** 30-day extension in which to serve and file the Petition. This request is not intended for the purpose of delay. Rather, this request is necessitated by my heavy workload.

Sincerely,

Johnny E. James Jr.  
Assistant Attorney General  
SC Bar #101260

JEJ/ck

cc: J. Brandt Rucker, Esquire