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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk of Court
South Carolina Supreme Court
Supreme Court Building
1231 Gervais Street
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

Re: *William Dickerson, Jr. v. State of South Carolina*, Appellate Case No. 2018-001499

September 30, 2019

Dear Mr. Shearouse,

I received a copy of the State's Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari on September 24, 2019. I would respectfully request a one-month extension to file the reply in this case due to a heavy caseload this month that includes a federal sentencing on October 1, 2019, a 59(e) motion due in a capital federal habeas proceeding on October 4, 2019, an initial brief in the Fourth Circuit due October 11, 2019, another initial brief due in the Fourth Circuit on October 29, 2019, and a state PCR hearing in a double-homicide case on October 31, 2019. Respectfully, I am requesting a due date of October 25, 2019 to file the reply.

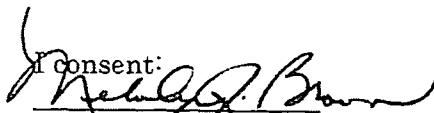
Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Elizabeth Franklin Best

I consent:



Melody Brown

cc: Melody Brown

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
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William Dickerson Jr.)
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Plaintiff,)
vs.)
State of South Carolina)
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Defendant.)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Case No.: 2018-001499

I certify that on this date, I served a copy of a request for a one-month extension to file a reply in this case, dated September 30, 2019, by mail to the South Carolina Attorney General's Office to the attention of Melody Brown.

October 1, 2019



LaDonna Beeker

Paralegal

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