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S.C. SUPREME COURT

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

Re: Karacus K. Freeman, 312428 v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No. 2018-001958
Lower Court Case 2017-CP-23-5952

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above appeal is due to be served and filed today. I would respectfully request a third 30-day extension in which to serve and file the Petition. By his signature below, Robert M. Dudek, indicates that he consents to this third extension. This extension request is not intended for the purpose of delay, but is necessitated by my heavy workload. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Taylor Z. Smith
Assistant Attorney General
SC Bar #103282

In compliance with:

***In Re: Extensions in Criminal and Post-Conviction Relief Cases*, (S.C. Sup. Ct. order dated March 18, 2009) (Davis Adv. Sh. No. 13 at 1).**

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