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S.C. SUPREME COURT

Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse  
Clerk, South Carolina Supreme Court  
Post Office Box 11330  
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Re: State of South Carolina v. Joseph Bowers  
Honorable R. Markley Dennis, Jr., Circuit Court Judge  
Opinion No. 5677 (S.C. Ct. App. filed August 7, 2019)

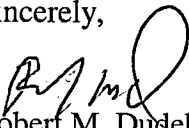
Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The return to the petition for writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case is due to be served and filed today. Because of my heavy workload, I respectfully request a twenty-day extension of this deadline, until January 1, 2020 (therefore, January 2, 2020). No prior extensions have been requested in this case.

By copy of this letter, I am informing Mark Farthing, Esquire, of the Office of the Attorney General, of this extension request.

Thanking you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

  
Robert M. Dudek  
Chief Appellate Defender

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cc: Mark Farthing, Esquire  
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