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

RE: Michael Elders v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No. 2016-000242

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The petition for a writ of certiorari from the Court of Appeals' decision in *Elder v. State*, Op. No. 2020-UP-093 (S.C. Ct. App. filed Apr. 8, 2020), is due to be filed and served on Monday, June 22, 2020. *See* Rule 242(c), SCACR. However, the State respectfully requests a 10 day extension until Thursday, July 2, 2020, to serve and file the petition.

Sincerely,

s/Samuel L. Key

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