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

**Re: Jeremy Knight, #283089 v. State of South Carolina**  
**Appellate Case No. 2019-001474**  
**Lower Court Case No. 2005-CP-42-00520**

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The **Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari** in the above appeal is due to be served and filed on today's date. However, this is to respectfully request a second 30-day extension to serve and file this Return. This extension request is not intended for the purpose of delay. Rather, this extension request is necessitated by my heavy workload. Please substitute undersigned counsel as counsel of record for the State in this post-conviction relief appeal and remove Chelsey F. Marto as counsel of record for the State.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me.

Sincerely,

/s William H. Ray  
William H. Ray  
Assistant Attorney General  
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cc: Susan B. Hackett, Esquire