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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk, Supreme Court of South Carolina
Post Office Box 11330
Columbia, South Carolina 29211
(By Electronic Filing Only)

Re: Roger Bruce v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No. 2019-001494

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above-referenced post-conviction relief appeal is due to be served and filed today. However, I respectfully request a third thirty-day extension to serve and file this return. This extension request is not intended for the purpose of delay, but rather, is necessitated by my heavy workload. Opposing counsel has consented to this extension pursuant to interagency agreement with Appellate Defense.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if there are any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

s/ Samuel L. Key

Samuel L. Key
Assistant Attorney General
SC Bar No. 103206

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cc: Adam S. Ruffin, Esquire

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).

s/Megan Harrigan Jameson
Megan Harrigan Jameson
Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General