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

Re: James Lee Williams v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No. 2019-001608
Lower Court Case No. 2018-CP-32-01656

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Brief of Respondent pursuant to *White v. State* in the above appeal is due to be served and filed on today's date. However, I respectfully request a first 30-day extension to serve and file this Return and Brief from today's date.

This extension request is not intended for the purpose of delay. Rather, this extension request is necessitated by a heavy workload.

Sincerely,

s/LillianMeadows

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