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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 – suptfilings@sccourts.org)

Re: Gary Jerrell Means, Jr. v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No. 2019-000617

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

Respondent's 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 an interagency agreement with the Office of Appellate Defense.

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

Sincerely,

s/Megan Harrigan Jameson

Megan Harrigan Jameson
Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General
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cc: Sarah E. Shipe, 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/Donald J. Zelenka
Deputy Attorney General – Criminal Division