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S.C. SUPREME COURT

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

Re: Willie Thomas Starnes v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No. 2020-000144

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in the above referenced case are due to be served and filed today. Because of my present workload, I respectfully request a thirty day extension of this deadline. No previous extensions have been requested in this case.

On September 28, 2020, opposing counsel, the Attorney General's Office, graciously consented to this extension request by way of general consent granted in writing, by Deputy Attorney General Donald J. Zelenka for all Appellate Defense extensions through October 31, 2020.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

s/ Lara M. Caudy
Appellate Defender

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cc: Lindsey McCallister, Esquire