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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk of Court, South Carolina Supreme Court
Post Office Box 11330
Columbia, SC 29211
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S.C. SUPREME COURT

Re: Hamzed Hamdi Saadeh v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No. 2020-001036
Lower Court case No. 2019-CP-10-3150

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The return to the State's Writ of certiorari and Appendix in the above-referenced post-conviction relief appeal is due to be served and filed on March 5, 2021. I am respectfully requesting an extension to allow time for the Attorney General's Office to amend or supplement the Appendix, pursuant to Rule 243(f)(1), SCACR, so I am able to fully prepare a response. The items missing are: 1. The Attorney General Office's exhibits that were submitted with the Return in the lower court; 2. Plaintiff's Exhibit 1 filed with the lower court the day of the PCR hearing; 3. the Attorney General Office's Receipt of Notice of the entry of the PCR order; 4. Applicant's Response to Respondent's Amended Motion to Reconsider filed in the lower court.

The extension request, or a stay until the Appendix is supplemented/amended is not intended for the purpose of delay, but rather, is necessary to fully prepare a response being preservation of issues raised in the lower court are important for any appeal. Opposing Counsel, Ben Limbaugh, has consented to an extension.

Please let me know if I can provide the Court with any additional information on this matter in furtherance of this extension request.

Sincerely,

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In compliance with:

In Re: Extensions in Criminal and Post-Conviction Relief Cases, (S.C. Sup. Ct. order dated March 19, 2009)(Davis Adv. Sh. No. 13 at 1).