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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse  
Clerk of Court  
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**S.C. SUPREME COURT**

**Re: The State v. James Heyward  
Supreme Court Case No. 2021-000122  
Appellate Case No. 2017-001542**

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

Attached for filing please find Petitioner's Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Proof of Service in connection with the above-referenced matter. Per the instructions of Ashley Thompson of your office, we are e-filing the Petition and sending one unbound copy of the Appendix (Volumes I, II, and III) by U.S. Mail to the Court as they are voluminous and we are not able to e-file. As instructed by Ms. Thompson, we will provide the bound copy of the Appendix if certiorari is granted. Of course, we are happy to provide any additional copies of the Appendix, bound or unbound, if requested by the Court.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. Please let me know if you need anything further in connection with this filing.

Very truly yours,



Tara C. Sullivan

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Attachments

cc: **Via Email and U.S. Mail**

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