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

Re: Dennis Cumbee, Jr. v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No. 2020-000966
Lower Court Case No. 2017-CP-22-01051

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

The **Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari** in the above appeal is due to be served and filed on today's date. However, I must respectfully request a second 30-day extension to serve and file this Return. This extension request is not intended for the purpose of delay. Rather, this extension request is necessitated by my heavy workload.

Sincerely,

William H. Ray
Assistant Attorney General
SC Bar No. 104476

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Cc: Taylor D. Gilliam, Esquire