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July 16, 2021

The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings  
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals  
1015 Sumter Street  
Columbia, SC 29201

RE: State v. Robert Lee Miller, III – Appellate Case No. 2017-001347

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

On July 6, 2021, this Court asked the State to submit a return to the petition for rehearing submitted in the above-referenced criminal appeal. Based on this Court's letter, the State's return is due to be served and filed on July 16, 2021. However, due to a heavy workload, I am requesting a **ten**-day extension to serve and file the return. This is the first extension request in regard to the return, it is not intended for the purpose of delay, and I do not believe any additional extensions will be necessary.

I appreciate your consideration of this request and ask that the filing deadlines be held in abeyance while this request is pending.

By copy of this letter, I am informing counsel for the Appellant of this extension request.

Sincerely,

Mark R. Farthing  
Senior Assistant Attorney General  
S.C. Bar Number 76901

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cc: Susan B. Hackett, Esquire  
Victim Advocacy Division

## Caroline Collins

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**From:** Caroline Collins  
**Sent:** Friday, July 16, 2021 11:04 AM  
**To:** Hackett, Susan  
**Cc:** Kasperski, Katriel; Mark Farthing; William Blich  
**Subject:** The State v. Robert Lee Miller, III (2017-001347)  
**Attachments:** Miller.First Extension Request (Return to Pet for Rehearing) (02646279xD2C78).PDF

Good Morning Ms. Hackett,

Attached please find a copy of a first extension request to serve and file the Return to Petition for Rehearing in The State v. Robert Lee Miller, III (2017-001347). This request will be submitted to the Court of Appeals today via the AIS One Drive System.

If you will, please reply to this email to confirm receipt.

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