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The Honorable Patricia A. Howard
Supreme Court of South Carolina
Post Office Box 11330
Columbia, South Carolina 29211
(By Electronic Filing Only)

Re: William T. Flemming v. State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No. 2020-001517

Dear Ms. Howard:

The Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above appeal is due to be served and filed on today's date. I am respectfully requesting a first 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 a heavy workload.

Sincerely,

for William F. Schumacher
Assistant Attorney General
SC Bar No. 100231

WFS/em

cc: Jessica M. Saxon, Esquire (by email only)