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Honorable Patricia A. Howard  
Clerk, South Carolina Supreme Court  
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Re: State of South Carolina v. William C. (Billy) Sellers  
Honorable Eugene C. Griffith, Circuit Court Judge  
Opinion No. 2021-UP-254 (S.C. Ct. App. filed July 7, 2021)

Dear Ms. Howard:

The petition for writ of certiorari in the above-referenced case is due to be served and filed today, September 9, 2021. Because of my present workload, I respectfully request a final five-day extension of this deadline, until Tuesday, September 14, 2021. One prior extension has been granted in this case.

By copy of this letter, I am informing Caroline Scrantom, Esquire, of the Office of the Attorney General, of this extension request.

Thanking you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Robert M. Dudek  
Chief Appellate Defender

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cc: Caroline Scrantom, Esquire  
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