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Honorable Patricia A. Howard
Clerk, South Carolina Supreme Court
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Re: Randal William Benton v. The State of South Carolina
Appellate Case No. 2017-002021
Benjamin H. Culbertson, Circuit Court Judge
Opinion No. 2021-UP-290 (S.C. Ct. App. filed August 4, 2021)

Dear Ms. Howard:

The petition for writ of certiorari in the above-referenced case is due to be served and filed today. Because of my present workload, I respectfully request a ten-day extension of this deadline. No prior extensions have been requested in this case.

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

Thanking you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

s/Susan B. Hackett

Susan B. Hackett
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cc: Yasmeeen Klein, Esquire
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