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January 10, 2022

The Honorable Jenny Kitchings
South Carolina Court of Appeals
PO Box 11629
Columbia, SC 29211

Re: The State v. Damien Lavar Ritter
Appellate Case No. 2021-000710

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the above-referenced case are due to be served and filed today. Because of my present workload, I respectfully request a thirty-day extension of this deadline. No prior extensions have been requested in this case.

On December 29, 2021, opposing counsel, the Attorney General's Office, graciously consented to this extension request by way of general consent granted in writing, by Deputy Attorney General Donald J. Zelenka for all Appellate Defense extensions through January 31, 2022.

Thanking you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Adam Sinclair Ruffin', written over a horizontal line.

Adam Sinclair Ruffin
Appellate Defender

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cc: Melody J. Brown, Esquire