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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings, Clerk
South Carolina Court of Appeals
P.O. Box 11629
Columbia, SC 29211

RE: *The State v. Barry W. Jones*
Appellate Case No. 2022-000046

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

I am writing to respectfully request an extension of time in which to file the Affidavit of Indigency in the above captioned case. Mr. Jones is currently incarcerated at Kirkland Correctional Institution which is on a quarantined lockdown due to COVID-19. Therefore, we have been unable to schedule a legal visit to have Mr. Jones sign the affidavit. I have mailed the documents to him and have a virtual legal visit scheduled for tomorrow, January 28th. I am concerned that he will not be able to have the papers signed, notarized, and mailed back by the February 3rd deadline and out of an abundance of caution I am requesting an extension.

By way of this letter, I am serving opposing counsel. If you should have any questions, please feel free to contact me. Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Sincerely,


Luke A. Shealey

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