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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk of Court, South Carolina Court of Appeals
Post Office Box 11629
Columbia, South Carolina 29211
(By Electronic Filing Only)

Re: **Richard B. Niles, Jr. v. State of South Carolina**
Appellate Case No. 2018-000396

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Respondent's Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above-referenced post-conviction relief appeal is due to be served and filed on today's date. I am respectfully requesting a second thirty-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,

/s Chelsey F. Marto
Chelsey F. Marto
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cc: James K. Falk, Esquire (by email only)