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**S.C. SUPREME COURT**

The Honorable Patricia A. Howard  
Clerk, South Carolina Supreme Court  
Post Office Box 11330  
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Re: Christopher W. Johnson v. The State  
Appellate Case No. 2021-001446

Dear Ms. Howard:

The petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in the above-referenced case are due to be served and filed today, April 28, 2022. Because of my present workload, I respectfully request a thirty (30) day extension of this deadline, until May 27, 2022. No prior extensions have been requested in this case.

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

Thanking you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Sarah E. Shipe  
Appellate Defender

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cc: Chelsey Marto, Esquire