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STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MANITOWOC COUNTY

STATE OF WISCONSIN,

Plaintiff,

V.

Case No. 05-CF-381

STEVEN A. AVERY,

Defendant.

NOTICE OF LIMITED APPEARANCE AND REQUEST TO FILE RESPONSE

The State of Wisconsin has received Defendant Steven Avery's latest Wis. Stat. § 974.06 motion challenging his conviction in the above-entitled matter. Because the issues raised in this motion relate back to issues that Avery raised in his previous appeal, Assistant Attorney General Lisa E.F. Kumfer will appear for the State in this matter for the limited purpose of filing a response to the postconviction motion.

Though the State is not required to respond to Wis. Stat. § 974.06 motions unless ordered by the Court to do so, the State would like to file a written response to the motion. Due to counsel's heavy case load1 and the

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breadth of Avery's voluminous filing, however, some additional time will be necessary for the State to do so. The State, therefore, respectfully requests an order from this Court permitting it to file a response to the motion on or before December 1, 2022.

Dated this 28th day of 2022.

Respectfully submitted, JOSHUA L. KAUL Attorney General of Wisconsin Electronically signed by: s/Lisa E.F. Kumfer LISA E.F. KUMFER Assistant Attorney General

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¹ Counsel is responsible for the following other matters that have upcoming deadlines: Standby Counsel for Oral Argument in State v. Jackson, scheduled for argument in the Wisconsin Supreme Court on September 30, 2022; Response brief in