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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

Appeal from Sumter County

R. Ferrell Cothran, Circuit Court Judge

THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

ORLANDO REAMES,

APPELLANT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2021-000800

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
INITIAL BRIEF OF APPELLANT AND
DESIGNATION OF MATTER**

The undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final fifteen-day extension** in which to file the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the above-referenced case. In support of this motion, counsel would respectfully show the Court the following exigent circumstances:

1. The initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in this case are due to be served and filed today having been extended by two prior orders of this Court, sought by another appellate defender who was originally assigned to this case before it was subsequently reassigned to my calendar.

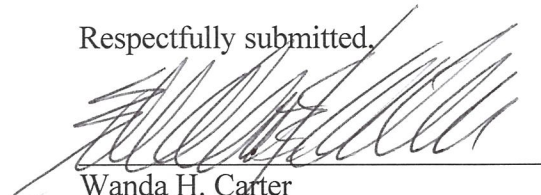
2. Counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and record on appeal in the interest of Jaylin S., a juvenile under the age of seventeen, with the Court of Appeals on June 6, 2022. Counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and record on appeal in the case of State v. James Eric Spencer with the Court of Appeal on May 23, 2022. Counsel filed the Johnson petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Te'Quan Perry v. State with the Supreme Court on May 11, 2022. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari in the case of Darian Shaundre Hill v. State with the Supreme Court on May 2, 2022. Counsel filed the Johnson petition and accompanying appendix in the case of Gerald Ladon Sanders v. State with the Supreme Court on April 28, 2022.

3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay.

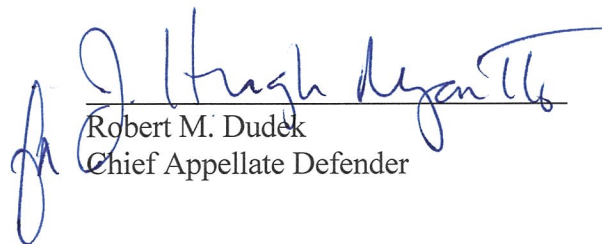
4. Counsel for the state graciously consents to or does not oppose this request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final fifteen-day extension** in which to file the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in this case. Counsel requests that the time limits for filing the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



Wanda H. Carter
Deputy Chief Appellate Defender



Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to Rule 262(a)(3) and Rule 262(c)(3), SCACR, the undersigned hereby certifies a true copy of the Motion for Extension in the above-referenced case has been served upon William M. Blich, Jr., Esquire, at the primary e-mail address listed in the Attorney Information System (AIS), this 8th day of July, 2022.



Wanda H. Carter
Deputy Chief Appellate Defender

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Dear Mr. Blitch,

Attached please find a copy o the third extension in the above referenced case that is being filed today, July 8, 2022, with the Court of Appeals.

-Scott Leverett
Admin. Asst. for Wanda Carter
Appellate Defense