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S.C. SUPREME COURT

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE SUPREME COURT

Certiorari to Richland County

Grace Gilchrist Knie, Circuit Court Judge

PEREZ ANTWAN BROOKS,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT.

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2022-000590

MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO
SERVE AND FILE THE PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI
AND APPENDIX

Counsel for Petitioner respectfully requests an extension of thirty (30) days in which to serve and file the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in this case. This motion is made pursuant to the Order of the South Carolina Supreme Court dated March 18, 2009. This is a second request for an extension. In support of this request, counsel shows:

1. The Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix are due to be served and filed with the Court today.
2. Counsel for Petitioner respectfully submits that extraordinary circumstances exist which warrant the granting of an additional extension of time. Given the number of extensions

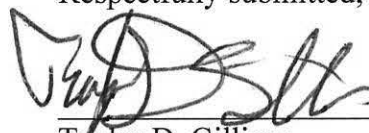
previously granted and the order in which counsel attempts to manage his caseload, counsel hopes that no further extension requests will be required.

3. Counsel filed the *Johnson* petition for writ of certiorari in the case of Brandon Adams v. State with the Supreme Court on November 10, 2022. Counsel testified as a witness in the PCR Hearing held in the Berkeley County Court of Common Pleas via WebEx in the case of Jeffrey L. Whitsett v. The State on November 1, 2022. Counsel appeared before the Court of Appeals for Oral Argument in the case of Mack Washington v. The State on October 12, 2022. Counsel presented for a CLE on the topic of Emojis in the Law sponsored by the Trial and Appellate Advocacy Section of the South Carolina Bar on October 11, 2022. Counsel filed the *Anders* Brief of Appellant and the Record on Appeal in the case of James Charlie Hawkins v. The State with the Court of Appeals on September 26, 2022. Counsel attended the Annual South Carolina Public Defender Conference from September 19-21, 2022. Counsel filed the *Johnson* Petition for Writ of Certiorari and the Appendix in the case of Jamacia Simon v. The State with the Supreme Court on September 9, 2022. Counsel appeared via WebEx at the Horry County Court to provide testimony in the Post-Conviction Relief Hearing in the case of Brian Spears v. The State on September 6, 2022. Counsel filed the *Johnson* Petition for Writ of Certiorari and the Appendix in the case of Donald V. Stevenson v. The State in the Supreme Court on September 7, 2022. Counsel filed the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in the case of The State v. Randy D. Marchbanks with the Court of Appeals on August 25, 2022.

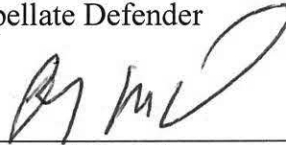
4. Counsel makes this request in good faith and not for purpose of delay.
5. Counsel for the Attorney General's office has been informed of this request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty-day extension, in which to serve and file the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in this case based upon the above exigent circumstances. Counsel requests that time limits for serving and filing the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



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This 17th day of November, 2022.