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SC Court of Appeals

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

Appeal from Charleston County

Honorable Robert J. Bonds, Circuit Court Judge

THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

SHEENA ALSTON,

APPELLANT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2022-001305

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
TO FILE INITIAL BRIEF OF APPELLANT
AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER

The undersigned counsel respectfully requests a thirty 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 extraordinary circumstances:

1. The initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in this case are due to be served and filed today.
2. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Osman Uvaldo Jimenez-Benitez in the Court of Appeals on April 5, 2023. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Maurice Prioleau in the Court of Appeals on March 22, 2023. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and

designation of matter in the case of State v. Sean James in the Court of Appeals on March 7, 2023. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Jeffery Griffin in the Court of Appeals on February 17, 2023. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Demetrick Doctor in the Court of Appeals on February 10, 2023. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Clinton Beebe in the Court of Appeals on February 2, 2023. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Maxie P. Wagner in the Court of Appeals on January 24, 2023. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Kelsey N. Spurlock in the Court of Appeals on January 13, 2023.

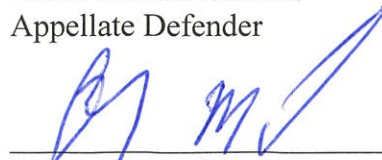
3. Opposing counsel, the Attorney General's Office, has graciously consented to this extension request by way of the thirty day general consent granted by Deputy Attorney General Donald J. Zelenka for all Appellate Defense extensions through April 30, 2023. That emailed general consent was dated April 4, 2023.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty day extension. Counsel respectfully 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,



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Appellate Defender



Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender

This 7th day of April, 2023

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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 of time to file initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the above-referenced case have been served upon William M. Blich, Jr., Esquire, at the primary e-mail address listed in the Attorney Information System (AIS), this 7th day of April, 2023.



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Mr. Blitch,

Please find attached for service the 3rd Request for Extension for Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter for Sheena Alston's appeal which will be filed today with the Court of Appeals. Thank you.

Chris

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