

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE SUPREME COURT

Certiorari to Richland County

George M. McFaddin, Circuit Court Judge

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S.C. SUPREME COURT

FLOYD G. OWEN,

PETITIONER

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2022-001542

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 Floyd Owen 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 her caseload, counsel hopes that no further extension requests will be required.

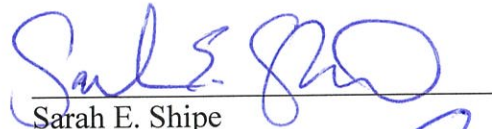
3. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and accompanying Appendix in the case of Johnny Ray Wilkins v. The State with the Supreme Court on April 13, 2023. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of State v. Samuel Lamar Burnside in the Court of Appeals on April 6, 2023. Counsel filed the Johnson Petition for Writ of Certiorari and accompanying Appendix in the case of Isaac Wright v. The State with the Supreme Court on March 30, 2023. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and accompanying Appendix in the case of Ronnie Bonner v. The State with the Supreme Court on March 29, 2023. Counsel filed the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in the case of State v. Leslie Keiffer with the Court of Appeals on March 14, 2023. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and accompanying Appendix in the case of The State v. Xzariera Okevis Gray with the Supreme Court on March 6, 2023.

4. Counsel makes this request in good faith and not for purpose of delay.

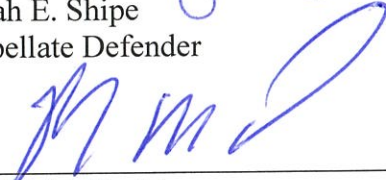
5. On April 4, 2023, opposing counsel, the Attorney General's Office, graciously consented to this extension request by way of general consent granted in writing, by Deputy Attorney General Donald J. Zelenka for all Appellate Defense extensions through April 30, 2023.

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 19th day of April, 2023.