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**SC Court of Appeals**

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

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Appeal from Horry County

Maite Murphy, Circuit Court Judge

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THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

ANTONIO LONG,

APPELLANT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2023-001337

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

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Counsel for Antonio Long respectfully requests a thirty (30) day extension from March 18, 2024 until April 17, 2024, in which to serve and file the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in this case. This motion is made pursuant to the Order of the South Carolina Supreme Court dated March 18, 2009. This is a third request for an extension. In support of this request, counsel shows:

1. The Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in this case are due to be served and filed today.
2. Counsel appeared for Oral Argument in the case of The State v. Eric Emanuel English before the Supreme Court on March 6, 2024. Counsel filed the Return to Motion to Relieve Counsel in the case of Richard Douglas Waldrop v. The State with this Court on March

1, 2024. Counsel filed the Motion to Hold in Abeyance in the case of Marvin Donte Bryan v. The State with this Court on March 1, 2024. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in the case of Keylan J. Durham v. The State with the Supreme Court on February 26, 2024. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the Court of Appeals and Appendix in the case of The State v. Rodney Jerome Furtick with the Supreme Court on February 23, 2024. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in the case of Tyrone M. Benn v. The State with the Supreme Court on February 20, 2024. Counsel appeared for Oral Argument in the case of Brittany C. Foster v. The State before this Court on February 6, 2024. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and the Appendix in the case of Brian K. Spears v. The State with the Supreme Court on January 30, 2024. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari Pursuant to *Austin v. State* and the Appendix in the case of Breon Alexandre v. The State with the Supreme Court on January 18, 2024.

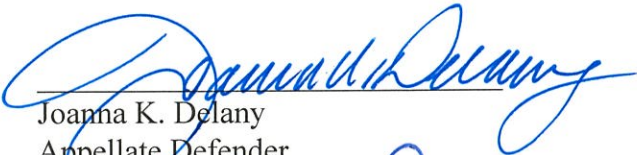
3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay. Counsel intends to continue to work on the cases with more than three extensions first so that the caseload will hopefully become more manageable in the near future, and less extensions will need to be requested.

4. On February 28, 2024, 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 March 31, 2024.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty-day extension from March 18, 2024 until April 17, 2024. Counsel respectfully requests that the time limits for

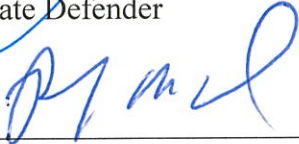
filing the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



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Joanna K. Delany  
Appellate Defender



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Robert M. Dudek  
Chief Appellate Defender

This 18th day of March, 2024.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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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 Melody J. Brown, Esquire, at the primary e-mail address listed in the Attorney Information System (AIS), this 18th day of March, 2024.



Joanna K. Delany  
Appellate Defender

ATTORNEY FOR APPELLANT

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Good Morning,

Attached for service in the above-referenced case is the Third Motion for Extension which will be filed today, March 18, 2024, with the Court of Appeals via email filing.

Respectfully,

Kaylynn

**Kaylynn Warren**

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