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Certiorari to Richland County
L. Casey Manning, Circuit Court Judge

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RANDY ELDERS,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2012-213665

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

Counsel for Randy Elders respectfully requests an extension of thirty (30) days in which to 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 Randy Elders 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 Brandon L. Ray v. State of South Carolina, with this Court, on August 14, 2013. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of Ricky Dale Gilstrap v. State of South Carolina, with this Court, on August 5, 2013. Counsel filed the initial reply brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Donald Marquice Anderson with the Court of Appeals, on July 30, 2013. Counsel filed the initial reply brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Marcus Daniel Allison with the Court of Appeals, on July 30, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Ronald Cohens v. State of South Carolina with this Court, on July 24, 2013. Counsel filed petition for writ of certiorari in the case of Donald C. Brevard v. State of South Carolina with the Court of Appeals, on July 17, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for rehearing in the case of The State v. Richard Burton Beekman with the Court of Appeals, on July 11, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for rehearing in the case of The State v. David Tyre with the Court of Appeals, on July 11, 2013. Counsel filed the Brief of Appellant in the case of The State v. Tina Dockery in the Court of Appeals, on July 9, 2013. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Roosevelt Kadeem Workman with the Court of Appeals, on July 5, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Randy Jennings v. State of South Carolina with this Court, on July 5, 2013. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Forrest Kelly Samples with the Court of Appeals, on June 28, 2013. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Christopher Miller with the Court of Appeals, on

June 19, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Benjamin Davis v. State of South Carolina with this Court, on June 19, 2013.

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 file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case based upon the above exigent circumstances. Counsel requests that time limits for filing the petition be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



Carmen V. Ganjehsani
Appellate Defender

Attorney for Petitioner

15th of August, 2013

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE


I certify that a true copy of the motion for an extension of time in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in the above case has been served upon Megan Harrigan, Esquire, Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, Rembert Dennis Building, 1000 Assembly Street, Room 519, Columbia, SC 29201, this 15th day of August, 2013.



Carmen V. Ganjehsani
Appellate Defender

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER

SWORN TO BEFORE ME this 15th day
of August, 2013.

 (L.S.)

Notary Public for South Carolina

My Commission Expires: July 3, 2023.