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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

Appeal from Richland County

Walton J. McLeod, IV, Circuit Court Judge

THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

AMBER MANNING,

APPELLANT.

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2023-001710

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

Counsel for Amber Manning respectfully requests a thirty (30) day extension from June 7, 2024, until July 8, 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 filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in the case of Ben Robert Stewart v. State with the Supreme Court on June 3, 2024. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in the case of Jerry McKnight v. State with the Supreme Court


on May 29, 2024. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in the case of Aneisha Young v. State with the Supreme Court on April 29, 2024. Counsel filed the Johnson Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in the case of Malcom Williams v. State with the Supreme Court on April 23, 2024. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in the case of Jabari Moore v. State with the Supreme Court on April 11, 2024. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari, Brief of Appellant Pursuant to White v. State, and Appendix in the case of Robert Lee Reddock v. State with the Supreme Court on March 27, 2024. Counsel filed the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in the case of The State v. Samuel T. Riser with the Court of Appeals on March 19, 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.

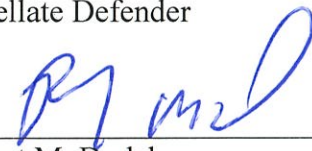
4. On May 30, 2024, opposing counsel, the Attorney General's Office, graciously consented to this extension request by way of general consent granted in writing, by Deputy Attorney General Donald J. Zelenka for all Appellate Defense extensions through June 30, 2024.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty-day extension from June 7, 2024, until July 8, 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,



Sarah E. Shipe
Appellate Defender



Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender

This 7th day of June, 2024.

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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 in the above-referenced case has been served upon Mark Farthing, Esquire, at the primary e-mail address listed in the Attorney Information System (AIS), this 7th day of June, 2024.



Sarah E. Shipe
Appellate Defender

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Good Morning Mr. Farthing,

Please find attached for service in the above-referenced case the third motion for an extension of time to serve and file the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter. This motion will be filed with the Court of Appeals today, June 7, 2024, via email filing.

Thank you!

Sara McInnis

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