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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

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Appeal from Charleston County

Deadra L. Jefferson, Circuit Court Judge

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THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

ALGERNARD D. YOUNG,

APPELLANT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2023-000994

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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 Algernard D. Young respectfully requests a thirty (30) day extension until November 15, 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. From October 14, 2024 through October 16, 2024, counsel is attending the Annual South Carolina Public Defender Conference in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. On

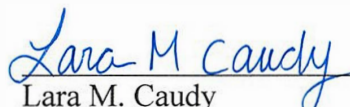
October 10, 2024, counsel filed the brief of appellant and designation of matter in The State v. Sammie Gerrick with the Court of Appeals. On October 4, 2024, counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in The State v. Steve Jones with the Court of Appeals. On September 30, 2024, counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in Omar Gentile v. The State with the Supreme Court. On September 23, 2024, counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals in Michael Orlando Brown v. The State with the Supreme Court. On September 16, 2024, counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in Roger Grate v. The State with the Supreme Court. On September 11, 2024, counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in Lontre Wise v. The State with the Supreme Court.

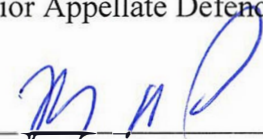
3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay. Counsel intends to continue to work on the cases with more than three extensions first so that her caseload will hopefully become more manageable in the near future, and less extensions will need to be requested.

4. On September 29, 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 October 31, 2024.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty-day extension until November 15, 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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Senior Appellate Defender

  
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Chief Appellate Defender

This 16th day of October, 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 16th day of October, 2024.



Lara M. Caudy  
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Good Morning Ms. Brown,

Attached for service in the above-referenced case please find 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, October 16, 2024, via email filing.

Thank you,

**Sara McInnis**

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