

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE SUPREME COURT

Certiorari to Sumter County

Ralph F. Cothran, Circuit Court Judge

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RAHIM FAREED CARTER,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

Appellate Case No. 2013-000623

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

Counsel for Rahim Carter respectfully requests a **final thirty (30) day extension, until November 20, 2013**, 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 third request for an extension. In support of this request, counsel shows:

1. The petition for writ of certiorari and appendix are due to be filed with the Court today. The Court has granted counsel two previous extensions.
2. Counsel for Mr. Rahim Carter 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 initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. India Sowell with the Court of Appeals on October 17, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Anthony L. Mattison v. State of South Carolina with this Court on October 16, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Thomas Arnold Gregory v. State of South Carolina with this Court on October 16, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Fredrick E. Johnson v. State of South Carolina with this Court on October 11, 2013. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of The State v. Oran Smith in the Court of Appeals on October 9, 2013. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Daniel Demond Griffin with the Court of Appeals on October 4, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Tavarus Lee Rogers v. State of South Carolina with this Court on October 3, 2013. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of Clarence Robinson v. State of South Carolina in the Supreme Court on October 1, 2013. Counsel filed the initial reply brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of Andrew James Harrelson v. State of South Carolina with the Court of Appeals on September 19, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Wayne McLaughlin v. State of South Carolina with this Court on September 19, 2013. Counsel filed the return to the petition for writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals in the case of The State v. Anthony Martin with this Court on September 18, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals in the case of The State v. Anthony Martin with this Court on September 18, 2013. Counsel filed the

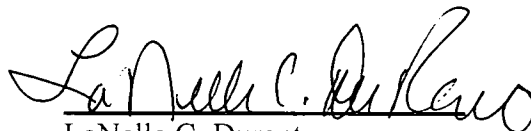
petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Frederick Jeter v. State of South Carolina with this Court on September 10, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Fardarrell L. Hudgens v. State of South Carolina with this Court on September 10, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Keena Lamont Rivers v. State of South Carolina with this Court on September 9, 2013. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of Verntirell Dukes v. State of South Carolina with the Court of Appeals on September 6, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Justin A. Austin v. State of South Carolina with this Court on September 3, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Cedric Kearse v. State of South Carolina with this Court on September 3, 2013. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Donna Lynn Phillips with the Court of Appeals on August 23, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals in the case of The State v. Eugene Patterson with this Court on August 23, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals in the case of The State v. Alonza Dennis with this Court on August 21, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of George Grant, Jr. v. State of South Carolina with this Court on August 21, 2013.

4. Counsel makes this request in good faith and not for purpose of delay.
5. Counsel for the Attorney General's office consents to this request as shown by signature below.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty (30) day extension, until November 20, 2013**, in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and

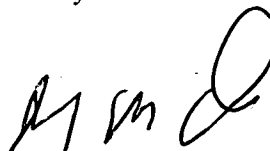
appendix in this case based upon the above exigent circumstances. Counsel requests that time limits for filing the petition be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



LaNelle C. Durant
Appellate Defender

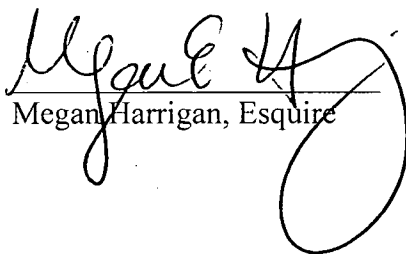
Attorney for Petitioner.



Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender

This 21st day of October, 2013.

I consent:



Megan Harrigan, Esquire