

**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO ORDER TRANSCRIPT DUE
TO PENDING AFFIDAVIT OF INDIGENCY**

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM BERKELEY COUNTY
Court of General Sessions

Milton G. Kimpson, Circuit Court Judge

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Appellant Case No.: 2025-002525
Case No. 2025-GS-08-00764
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Case No. 2025-GS-08-00767

State,

Respondent,

v.

Cory Lanard Gether,

Appellant.

Appellant timely filed a Notice of Appeal in this matter on December 19, 2025. Appellant intends to proceed as an indigent and to request preparation of the transcript at State Expense. At this time the required Affidavit of Indigency has not yet been submitted. Appellant's prior Attorney mailed Appellant the Affidavit of Indigency on January 5, 2026, and has not yet received the signed copy from the Appellant. I have attached a copy of the letter to the Appellant regarding the Affidavit of Indigency.

Until the Affidavit of Indigency is filed and ruled upon, Appellant is unable to finalize arrangements for the preparation and ordering of the transcript. Appellant is acting in good faith and is diligently working to submit the Affidavit of Indigency as promptly as possible. This request is not made for purposes of delay and granting the extension will not prejudice the State.

Appellant respectfully requests an extension of 60 days to allow sufficient time for submission and consideration of the Affidavit of Indigency and compliance with the transcript-ordering requirements.

January 16, 2026

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I certify that I have served the Motion for Extension of Time to Order Transcript due to Affidavit of Pending Affidavit of Indigency on Adam Carr, Assistant Solicitor for the Respondent, addressed to 300-B California Avenue, Moncks Corner, SC 29461, the Honorable Milton G. Kimpson, addressed to P.O. Box 192, Columbia SC 29202, and the Berkeley County Clerk of Court-General Sessions, addressed to 300-B California Avenue, Moncks Corner, SC 29461, by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on January 16, 2026.

s/Christopher D. Lizzi

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and 2025-GS-08-00767

Dear Ms. Kitchings,

Please find enclosed the Motion for Extension of Time to Order Transcript due to Pending Affidavit of Indigency and Proof of Delivery along with a check in the amount of \$25.00 for the filing fee, in regard to the above referenced matter.

Sincerely,
s/Christopher D. Lizzi
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Enclosures

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