

# The Supreme Court of South Carolina

Mark Lorenzo Blake, Jr., Petitioner,

v.

State of South Carolina, Respondent.

Appellate Case No. 2025-000420

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## ORDER

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For good cause shown, the request for an extension to serve and file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix is granted, and the time is extended until February 19, 2026. Pursuant to the order of the Supreme Court of South Carolina dated March 18, 2009 ([www.sccourts.org/courtOrders/displayOrder.cfm?orderNo=2009-03-18-01](http://www.sccourts.org/courtOrders/displayOrder.cfm?orderNo=2009-03-18-01)), any further extension request must be based on a showing of good cause and must be signed by the appropriate attorneys.

FOR THE COURT

BY Patricia A. Howard

CLERK

Columbia, South Carolina  
January 21, 2026

cc: Denise Grainger Swope  
Bryan TyJarris Hall