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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

Appeal from Charleston County

Thomas L. Hughston, Jr., Circuit Court Judge

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT,

V.

GEORGE WHITE,

APPELLANT

Appellate Case No. 2013-000638

PETITION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
INITIAL BRIEF OF APPELLANT
AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER

The undersigned counsel respectfully requests a forty-five day extension in which to file the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the above-referenced case. In support of this motion, counsel would respectfully show the Court the following extraordinary circumstances:

1. The initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in this case are due to be served and filed on Monday, December 2, 2013.
2. Undersigned counsel has read the transcript of record and attended the Continuing Legal Education seminar on October 24, 2013.
3. Undersigned counsel is currently assisting a client in an ongoing, significant administrative hearing that began on October 21, 2013 and is not expected to conclude before January 2014.

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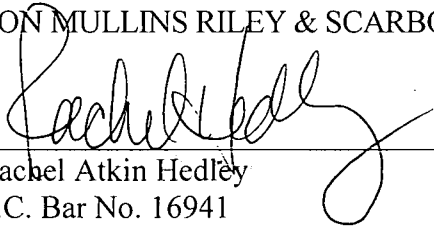
3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay.
4. This request is made for a forty-five day extension, or until January 17, 2014, because a thirty-day extension would expire on January 2, 2014.
5. As indicated by her consent below, counsel for the state graciously consents to this request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a forty-five day extension of the time for filing the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter. Undersigned counsel further respectfully requests that the deadline 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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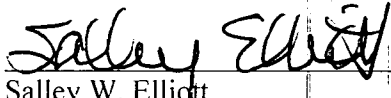
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I CONSENT:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned Administrative Assistant of the law offices of Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP, attorneys for Appellant, do hereby certify that I have served all counsel in this action with a copy of the pleading(s) hereinbelow specified by mailing a copy of the same by United States Mail, postage prepaid, to the following address(es):

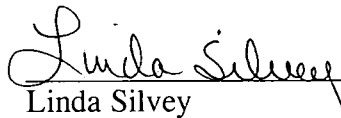
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