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S.C. SUPREME COURT

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE SUPREME COURT

Certiorari to Darlington County

Honorable George M. McFaddin, Circuit Court Judge

WILLIAM J. BRUNSON,

PETITIONER

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2026-000522

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

Counsel for William J. Brunson respectfully requests an extension of thirty (30) days from June 15, 2026 until July 15, 2026, in which to serve and 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 second request for an extension. In support of this request, counsel shows:

1. The Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix are due to be served and filed with the Court today.
2. Counsel for William J. Brunson 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. Mark Anthony Festus Scheibler with the Court of Appeals on June 11, 2026. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and the Appendix in the case of Brian N. White v. The State with the Supreme Court on June 5, 2026. Counsel appeared for Oral Argument in the case of The State v. John Wilson Williamson, III, et al. before the Court of Appeals on June 2, 2026. Counsel filed the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in the case of The State v. Jeremy David Larkin with the Court of Appeals on May 12, 2026. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and the Appendix in the case of Jonathan Art Lincoln v. The State with the Supreme Court on May 6, 2026. Counsel filed the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in the case of The State v. John Allen Bryant, Jr. with the Court of Appeals on April 30, 2026. Counsel filed the Reply Brief of Petitioner in the case of Daniel Lee Fludd v. State of South Carolina with the Court of Appeals on April 30, 2026. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari, Johnson Petition for Writ of Certiorari pursuant to Austin v. State, and the Appendix in the case of Jermaine Hartwell v. The State with the Supreme Court on April 17, 2026.

4. Counsel makes this request in good faith and not for purpose of delay.

5. On May 26, 2026, 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 June 30, 2026.

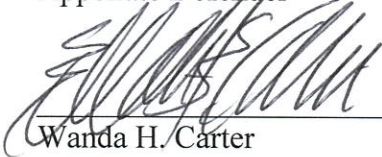
WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty (30) day extension from June 15, 2026 until July 15, 2026, in which to serve and file the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in this case based upon the above exigent circumstances. Counsel

requests that time limits for serving and filing the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



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This 15th day of June, 2026.