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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

Appeal from Oconee County

R. Scott Sprouse, Circuit Court Judge

THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

WILLIAM DAVID GUNN,

APPELLANT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2024-001358

MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO
SERVE AND FILE THE INITIAL BRIEF OF APPELLANT
AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER

Counsel for William David Gunn respectfully requests a thirty (30) day extension from June 22, 2026, until July 22, 2026, in which to serve and file the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter 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 Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in this case are due to be served and filed today.
2. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the Court of Appeals and Appendix in the case of Anthony Briggs v. The State with the Supreme Court on June 19, 2026.

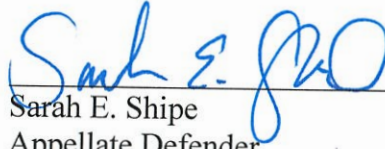
Counsel filed the Record on Appeal, Proposed Transport Order, and Final Brief of Appellant in the case of The State v. Jennifer Blair McNaughton with the Court of Appeals on June 18, 2026. Counsel filed the Record on Appeal, Proposed Transport Order, and Final Brief of Appellant in the case of The State v. Jesse Sebastian Broughton with the Court of Appeals on June 11, 2026. Counsel filed the Johnson Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in the case of Ralph Jake Goss, Jr. v. The State with the Supreme Court on June 10, 2026. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in the case of Jose R. Reyes v. The State with the Supreme Court on June 5, 2026. Counsel filed the Johnson Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in the case of Daryl Lamar Quarles v. The State with the Supreme Court on June 1, 2026. Counsel filed the Johnson Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in the case of Samuel L. McNeil v. The State with the Supreme Court on May 22, 2026. Counsel appeared for Oral Argument in the case of The State v. Measha J. S. Joyner before the Court of Appeals on May 14, 2026. Counsel filed the Initial Brief of Appellant in the case of The State v. Dyshawn Titus Hines with the Court of Appeals on May 12, 2026. Counsel filed the Johnson Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix in the case of Robert Davis Smith, Jr. v. The State with the Supreme Court on April 20, 2026.

3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay. Counsel intends to continue to work on the cases with more than three extensions first so that the caseload will hopefully become more manageable in the near future, and less extensions will need to be requested.

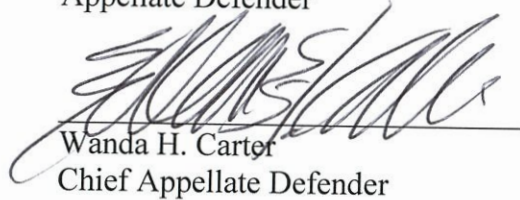
4. On May 26, 2026, opposing counsel, the Attorney General's Office, graciously consented to this extension request by way of general consent granted in writing, by Deputy Attorney General Donald J. Zelenka for all Appellate Defense extensions through July 1, 2026.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty-day extension from June 22, 2026, until July 22, 2026. Counsel respectfully requests that the time limits for filing the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



Sarah E. Shipe
Appellate Defender



Wanda H. Carter
Chief Appellate Defender

This 22nd day of June, 2026.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to Rule 262(a)(3) and Rule 262(c)(3), SCACR, the undersigned hereby certifies a true copy of the Motion for Extension in the above-referenced case has been served upon Mark Farthing, Esquire, at the primary e-mail address listed in the Attorney Information System (AIS), this 22nd day of June, 2026.



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Good morning,

Attached is a copy of a third extension request in the above referenced case which will be filed today, June 22, 2026, with the Court of Appeals.

All the best,

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