

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE SUPREME COURT

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Certiorari to York County

Eugene C. Griffith, Jr., Circuit Court Judge
Thomas J. Rode, Circuit Court Judge

QUENTIN EVANS,

PETITIONER

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2026-000646

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

Counsel for Quentin J. Evans respectfully requests an extension of thirty (30) days from August 31, 2026 until October 1, 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 Quentin J. Evans 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 began employment with the Division of Appellate Defense on August 3, 2026. This case was assigned to undersigned counsel on August 4, 2026.

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

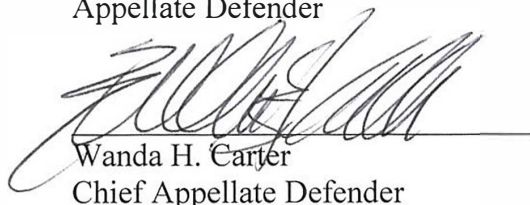
5. On August 3, 2026, opposing counsel, the Attorney General's Office, graciously consented to this extension request by way of general consent granted in writing, by Deputy Attorney General Donald J. Zelenka for all Appellate Defense extensions through September 1, 2026.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty (30) day extension from August 31, 2026 until October 1, 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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Appellate Defender



Wanda H. Carter
Chief Appellate Defender

This 31st day of August, 2026.