

The South Carolina Court of Appeals

Lawrence L. Crawford, Petitioner,

v.

State of South Carolina, Respondent.

Appellate Case No. 2025-001856

ORDER

This matter arises out of the dismissal of Petitioner's application for forensic DNA testing. Yahdina Overstreet-U-Deen filed several motions seeking to be added as a party or to intervene. After careful consideration, the motions are denied. Petitioner's requests to expedite consideration of this motion are denied.

On August 3, 2026, Petitioner filed a motion to compel and petition for writ of mandamus. On August 13, 2026, Petitioner filed a motion to amend the caption, among other things. After careful consideration, these motions are denied.

Petitioner's August 13, 2026 motion also contained a request for an extension of time. On September 8, 2026, Petitioner filed a motion asking the Court to deem his brief compliant. Upon review of the case, it appears the transcript has been ordered and delivered. Petitioner filed his appellant's initial brief on August 3, 2026, prior to delivery of the transcript. We construe this filing as the petition for writ of certiorari as contemplated by Rule 247(c), SCACR, and accept it as timely served and filed. Petitioner must serve and file a copy of the appendix in compliance with Rule 247(c), SCACR, within 30 days of the date of this order to prevent dismissal of this matter.

FOR THE COURT



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