

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE SUPREME COURT

Certiorari to Richland County
G. Thomas Cooper, Jr., Circuit Court Judge

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STEVEN M. LECROY,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2013-000745

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

Counsel for Steven Lecroy respectfully requests an extension of thirty (30) days in which to 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 Steven Lecroy 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 reply brief in the case of The State v. James Harris with the Court of Appeals on January 23, 2014. Counsel filed the initial reply brief in the case of The State v. Elizabeth M. Dinkins with the Court of Appeals on January 23, 2014. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of In the Interest of Kemon P., a Minor Under the Age of Seventeen with this Court on January 22, 2014. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Darrell Birch with the Court of Appeals on January 21, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Derrick Tyrone Blake v. State of South Carolina with this Court on January 17, 2014. Counsel filed a petition for writ of certiorari in the case of The State v. Anthony T. Williamson with the United States Supreme Court on January 16, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Jimmy Charles Kendall, III v. State of South Carolina with this Court on January 15, 2104. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Roger Dale Burke v. The State with this Court on January 9, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Richard J. Coleman v. The State with the Supreme Court on January 9, 2014. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of The State v. Christopher Lee Johnson in the Court of Appeals on January 7, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Michael Anthony Allen v. State of South Carolina with this Court on January 2, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Yolanda D. Thompson v. State of South Carolina with this Court on December 27, 2013. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Melvin Haynes with the Court of Appeals on December 18, 2013. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari in the case of Stephen Corley v. State of

South Carolina with this Court on December 6, 2013. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Maurio Daetrel Rivers with the Court of Appeals on November 27, 2013.

4. Counsel makes this request in good faith and not for purpose of delay.
5. Counsel for the Attorney General's office has been informed of this request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty day extension, in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case based upon the above exigent circumstances. Counsel requests that time limits for filing the petition be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



Carmen V. Ganjehsani
Appellate Defender

Attorney for Petitioner

January 27th, 2014

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE


I certify that a true copy of the motion for an extension of time in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in the above case has been served upon Megan Harrigan, Esquire, Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, Rembert Dennis Building, 1000 Assembly Street, Room 519, Columbia, SC 29201, this 27th day of January, 2014.



Carmen V. Ganjehsani
Appellate Defender

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER

SWORN TO BEFORE ME this 27th day
of January, 2014.

 (L.S.)

Notary Public for South Carolina
My Commission Expires: July 3, 2023.