

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM GREENVILLE COUNTY
Court of General Sessions

Letitia H. Verdin, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2011-GS-47-07

Antonio Emerson Tate

Appellant,

v.

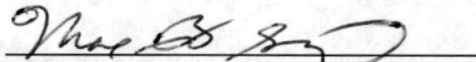
State of South Carolina,

Respondent.

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

You are notified that ANTONIO EMERSON TATE, the Appellant, in the above action, respectfully moves for an extension of to file his initial Brief pursuant to Rules 240 and 263 and Order 2009-03-18-01 of The Supreme Court of South Carolina. In support of this motion and showing good cause, Appellant respectfully submits a one (1) week extension of time is warranted because three (3) attorneys in the undersigned firm recently became unavailable in the last two (2) weeks. The first attorney, Patrick Megaro, who was admitted *Pro Hac Vice* for this case, left the firm on April 3, 2014. A second attorney went on maternity leave on April 7, 2014 and had her baby on April 13, 2014, which caused her husband and the third attorney to go on paternity leave on April 14, 2014. Further, the law firm representing the Appellant recently hired myself and has re-assigned this case to me. Due to the chaotic nature of these events and the need for me to review the numerous pages pertaining to the case, the Appellant respectfully request a one (1) week extension to file the Brief. It is my understanding the Brief is due April 21, 2014, so a one week extension would make the Brief due April 28, 2014.

Dated: April 16, 2014



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Re: The State v. Antonio E. Tate
Appellate Case No.: 2013-001562

Dear Clerk:

Enclosed for filing, please find a Motion for Extension of Time in the above referenced case. This is the second request for an Extension of Time. The Motion for Extension of Time contains the "good cause" pursuant to The Supreme Court of South Carolina Order 2009-03-18-01.

Sincerely,

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The Honorable Letitia H. Verdin
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Trial Court Case No. 2011GS4700007

ORDER

The request for an extension to serve and file the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter is granted and extended until April 28, 2014. Pursuant to Order 2009-03-18-01 of the Supreme Court of South Carolina, any further extension request must be based on a showing of good cause.

FOR THE COURT

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