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MORRIS C. HARRIS,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2013-002757

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI
AND APPENDIX**

The undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty-day extension in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in the above-referenced case. In support of this motion, counsel would respectfully show the Court the following exigent circumstances:

1. The petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case are due to be served and filed today, having been extended by one prior order of this Court.
2. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Leonard Eugene Jenkins in the Court of Appeals on May 16,

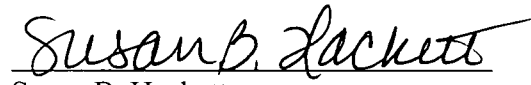
2014 Counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and designation of matter along with the Record on Appeal in the case of State v. Reco Antonio Godbolt in the Court of Appeals on May 12, 2014. Counsel argued in the case of State v. Clarence Williams Jenkins in the Court of Appeals on May 6, 2014. Counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and designation of matter along with the Record on Appeal in the case of State v. Zacoata Lopey in the Court of Appeals on May 5, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of State v. James Anderson in this Court on April 24, 2014. Counsel filed the Counsel filed a petition for rehearing in the case of State v. David Gerrard Johnson in the Court of Appeals on April 24, 2014. Counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and designation of matter along with the Record on Appeal in the case of State v. Wallace E. Evatt, Jr. in the Court of Appeals on April 23, 2014. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Randall Dean Matheny in the Court of Appeals on April 21, 2014. Counsel argued in the case of State v. Kevin R. in this Court on April 16, 2014. Counsel argued in the case of State v. Bentley Collins in this Court on April 15, 2014. Counsel argued in the case of State v. Lamar D. Williams in the Court of Appeals on April 10, 2014. Counsel filed a petition for rehearing in the case of State v. Tyrone Whatley in the Court of Appeals on April 3, 2014. Counsel filed a seven-issue petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the death penalty case of Stephen Corey Bryant v. State in this Court on March 28, 2014.

3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay.

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.

Counsel requests that the time limits for filing the petition for writ of certiorari be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Susan B. Hackett". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Susan B. Hackett
Appellate Defender

May 21, 2014

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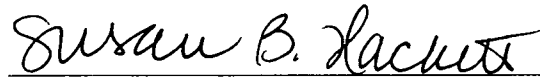
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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 Suzzane H. White, Esquire, Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, Rembert Dennis Building, 1000 Assembly Street, Room 519, Columbia, S.C. 29201 this 21st of May, 2014.



Susan B. Hackett
Appellate Defender

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me
this 21st of May, 2014.

 (L.S.)
Notary Public for South Carolina

My Commission Expires: October 30, 2022.