

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

ORIGINAL

Appeal from Beaufort County  
Kristi Lea Harrington, Circuit Court Judge

RECEIVED

JUL 28 2014

SC Court of Appeals

THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

GERALD BARRETT,

APPELLANT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2013-002158

MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME  
IN WHICH TO FILE THE INITIAL BRIEF OF APPELLANT  
AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER

Counsel for Gerald Barrett respectfully requests an extension of thirty (30) days in which to file the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in this case. This motion is made pursuant to the Order of the South Carolina Supreme Court dated March 18, 2009. This is a fourth request for an extension. In support of this request, counsel shows:

1. The initial brief of appellant and designation of matter are due to be filed with the Court today. The Court has granted counsel three previous extensions.
2. Counsel for Gerald Barrett 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.

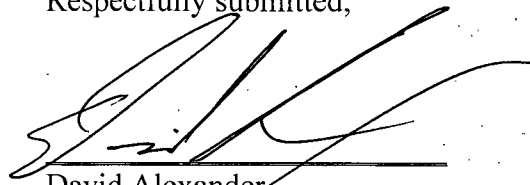
3. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Randall S. Tyler v. State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on July 28, 2014. Counsel filed the brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Benjamin William Rhodes with this Court on July 17, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for rehearing in the case of State v. Jason Alan Johnson with this Court on July 14, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Brandon S. McDevitt v. State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on July 14, 2014. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of Charles Ray Dean v. State of South Carolina with this Court on July 11, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix to the Court of Appeals in the case of State v. Eric Wright with the Supreme Court on July 11, 2014. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Matthew Antwan Jackson with this Court on July 11, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Nathaniel McGee v. State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on July 2, 2014. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of State v. Jomar Robinson with the Supreme Court on June 24, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for rehearing in the case of State v. Steven Krandonk with this Court on June 19, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix and petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Clarence Crittendon v. State with this Court on June 18, 2014. Counsel filed the initial brief and designation of matter in the case of State v. Paul Chandler, with this Court on June 10, 2014. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Horace Lee Glover, Jr., with this Court on June 6, 2014. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Willie M. Williams with this Court on June 5, 2014. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of State v. Michael D. Williams with this Court on June 3, 2014.

4. Counsel makes this request in good faith and not for purpose of delay. Counsel intends to continue to work on the cases with more than three extensions first so that the caseload will hopefully become more manageable in the near future, and less extensions will need to be requested.

5. Counsel for the Attorney General's office consents to this request shown by signature below.

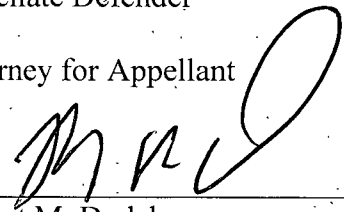
WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request an additional thirty (30) day extension in which to file the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in this case based upon the above exigent circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

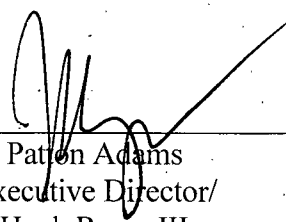


David Alexander  
Appellate Defender

Attorney for Appellant



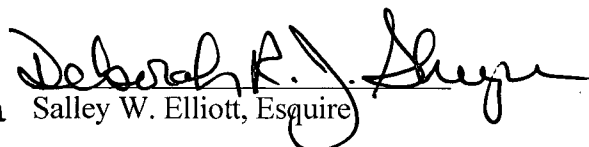
Robert M. Dudek  
Chief Appellate Defender



T. Patton Adams  
Executive Director/  
J. Hugh Ryan, III  
General Counsel

This 28<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2014.

I consent:

for   
Salley W. Elliott, Esquire