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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE SUPREME COURT

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Certiorari to Barnwell County

R. Ferrell Cothran, Jr., Circuit Court Judge  
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**S.C. Supreme Court**

MICHAEL C. KENNEDY,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2013-002334  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE  
PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI  
AND APPENDIX**  
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The undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty-day extension, until September 10, 2014**, 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 two prior orders of this Court.
2. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of William H. Reid, Jr. v. State in this Court on August 6, 2014. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v.

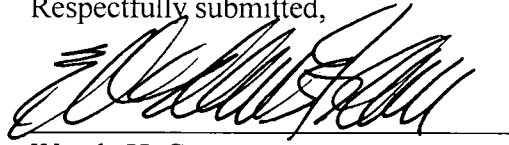
Jonathan Xavier Miller in the Court of Appeals on July 30, 2014. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of Ruben Ramirez v. State in the Court of Appeals on July 23, 2014. Counsel filed the Anders brief of Appellant and Record on Appeal in the case of State v. David Boyd in the Court of Appeals on July 21, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for rehearing in the case of Mark R. Bolte v. State in the Court of Appeals on July 15, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of State v. David Vice (in COA) in this Court, and the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Stevie Curtis Higgins, Jr. in the Court of Appeals on June 30, 2014. Counsel filed the Anders brief of Appellant in the case of State v. Pandora Hardy in the Court of Appeals on June 25, 2014. Counsel argued in the case of Benjamin L. Cooper v. State in the Court of Appeals on June 10, 2014.

3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay. Counsel is striving to limit the number of extensions requested. Counsel is attempting to complete the cases with the most number of extensions first.

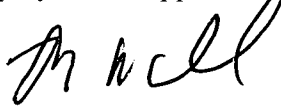
4. As indicated by her consent below, counsel for the state graciously consents to or does not oppose this request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty-day extension, until September 10, 2014**, 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,



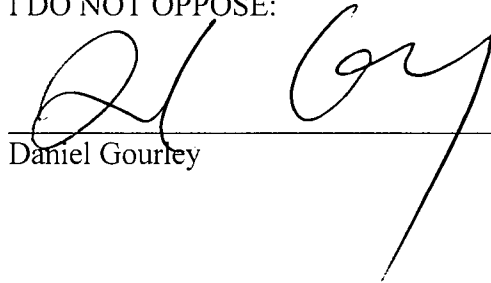
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August 11, 2014

I DO NOT OPPOSE:



Daniel Gourley