

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE SUPREME COURT

Certiorari to Charleston County
Kristi Lea Harrington, Circuit Court Judge

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BRUCE HESTER,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2014-000590

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

Counsel for Bruce Hester respectfully requests a **final thirty (30) day extension, until November 26, 2014**, 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 third request for an extension. In support of this request, counsel shows:

1. The petition for writ of certiorari and appendix are due to be filed with the Court today. The Court has granted counsel two previous extensions.

2. Counsel for Mr. Bruce Hester 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 Ramon Atienzo-Perez v. State of South Carolina with this Court on September 30, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Jimmy D. Meggs v. State of South Carolina with this Court on September 29, 2014. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of The State v. Kevin Shane Epting in this Court on September 25, 2014. Counsel attended and participated in the 2014 Annual Public Defender on September 22, 23, and 24, 2014. Counsel filed the brief of appellant in the case of The State v. Michael Anthony Glover with the Court of Appeals on September 19, 2014. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of The State v. Oran Smith with this Court on September 18, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Cullen Blake Campbell v. State of South Carolina with this Court on September 17, 2014. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of The State v. Shawn Reaves with this Court on September 16, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Kent R. Clayton v. State of South Carolina with this Court on September 15, 2014. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of The State v. Keon Butler with the Court of Appeals on September 11, 2014. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of The State v. Donna Lynn Phillips in the Court of Appeals on September 10, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Jason Turmon v. State of South Carolina with this Court on September 10, 2014. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of The State v. David Jakes with this Court on September 3, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for rehearing in the case of The State v. Roderick Pope with the Court of Appeals on September 2, 2014. Counsel filed

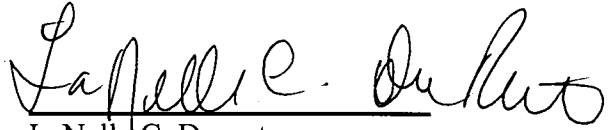
the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Israel Colecio v. State of South Carolina with this Court on August 28, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Christopher Robinson v. State of South Carolina with this Court on August 26, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Lewis E. Pipher v. State of South Carolina with this Court on August 22, 2014. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of Tijuan Peake v. State of South Carolina with this Court on August 19, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Roger Eugene Shephard v. State of South Carolina with this Court on August 12, 2014. Counsel filed the return to the petition for writ of certiorari in the case of The State v. Travas D. Jones with this Court on August 7, 2014. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Thomas Clinton Jordan Lockridge with the Court of Appeals on August 1, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for rehearing in the case of The State v. Theodore David Wills, Jr. with this Court on July 31, 2014. Counsel filed the brief of respondent in the case of The State v. Christopher Broadnax with this Court on July 23, 2014.

4. Counsel makes this request in good faith and not for purpose of delay.

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

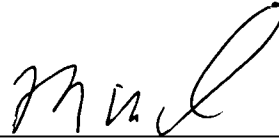
WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty (30) day extension, until November 26, 2014**, in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case based upon the above exigent circumstances. Counsel requests that time limits for filing the petition be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



LaNelle C. Durant
Appellate Defender

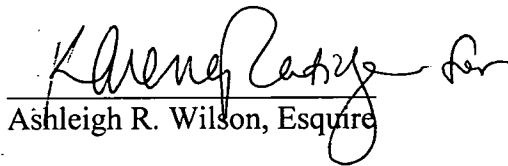
Attorney for Petitioner.



Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender

This 27th day of October, 2014.

I consent:



Ashleigh R. Wilson, Esquire