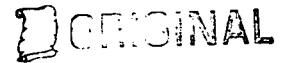


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PETITIONER.

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2014-002465

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
THE RETURN TO PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI
TO THE COURT OF APPEALS**

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

1. The return to petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case is due to be served and filed today and no prior filing extension has been requested previously.

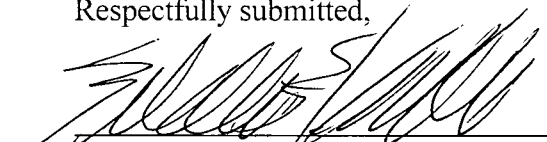
2. **Counsel is working on a petition for rehearing in the case of State v. Ubaldo Garcia to file with the Court of Appeals on December 19, 2014.** Additionally, Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of David C. Carson v. State in this Court on December 11, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Darrin Bryant v. State in this Court on December 8, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Mykel Watkins v. State in this Court on December 5, 2014. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of Christopher Bernard Anderson v. State in this Court on November 24, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals in the case of State v. Derrick A. McIlwain in this Court on November 24, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of David Anthony Stewart v. State in this Court on November 19, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Andrew J. Mack v. State in this Court on November 18, 2014. Counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Michael P. Dixon in the Court of Appeals on November 18, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Brandon Croft v. State in this Court on November 17, 2014. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner-respondent in the case of Thomas Osborne v. State in the Court of Appeals on November 17, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Douglas Hall v. State in this Court on November 12, 2014. Counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Michael Robert Bishop in the Court of Appeals on November 12, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for

writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Andrea Waylisha White v. State in this Court on November 7, 2014. Counsel argued in the case of State v. Brian E. Lorick, Jr. in the Court of Appeals on November 4, 2014. Counsel argued in the case of State v. Ubaldo Garcia in the Court of Appeals on November 3, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Antonio Calloway v. State in this Court on October 20, 2014. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Brian Oneil Robinson v. State in this Court on October 20, 2014.

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

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a twenty-day extension in which to file the return to petition for writ of certiorari in this case. Counsel requests that the time limits for filing the return to petition for writ of certiorari be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



Wanda H. Carter
Appellate Defender

December 18, 2014

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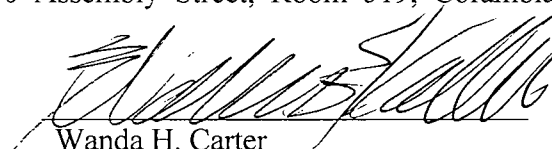
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a true copy of the motion for an extension of time in which to file the return to petition for writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals in the above case has been served upon Karen Ratigan, Esquire, Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, Rembert Dennis Building, 1000 Assembly Street, Room 519, Columbia, S.C. 29201 this 18th day of December, 2014.



Wanda H. Carter
Appellate Defender

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me
this 18th day of December, 2014.



(L.S.)

Notary Public for South Carolina
My Commission Expires: October 30, 2022.