

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE SUPREME COURT

Certiorari to Greenville County

G. Edward Welmaker, Circuit Court Judge

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BUDDY ARIZONA HARRIS,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2014-001232

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

Counsel respectfully requests a **final extension of thirty (30) days until February 4, 2015** 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 is due to be served and filed with the Court today.
2. Counsel 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 his caseload, counsel hopes that no further extension requests will be required.

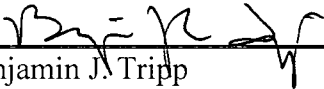
3. On December 23, 2014, counsel filed a petition for rehearing in State v. Arthur Smith with the Court of Appeals. On December 17, 2014, counsel filed a petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in Gregory Gosnell v. State with this Court. On December 15, 2014, counsel filed an Petition for Writ of Certiorari pursuant to *Austin v. State* in Victor C. Penny v. State with this Court. On December 11, 2014, counsel filed a petition for rehearing in State v. Carolyn Poe with the Court of Appeals. On December 10, 2014, counsel filed a petition for writ of certiorari in Donnell McFadden v. State with this Court. On December 9, 2014, counsel held an oral argument in Ernest L Hall v. State before the Court of Appeals. On December 5, 2014, counsel filed a petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in Steven R. Timmons v. State with this Court. On December 5, 2014, counsel filed a petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in Eddie Pilcher v. State with this Court. On December 1, 2014, counsel filed a petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in Princeton Thrower v. State with this Court. On December 1, 2014, counsel filed a petition for rehearing in The Interest of Jameccia L., a Minor Under the Age of Seventeen with the Court of Appeals.

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 as shown by signature below.

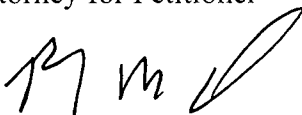
WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty (30) day extension until February 4, 2015**, in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case based upon the above exigent circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,



Benjamin J. Tripp
Appellate Defender

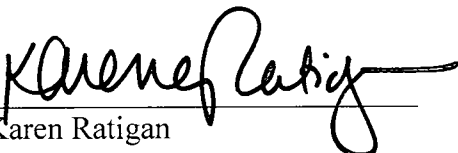
Attorney for Petitioner



Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender

This 5th day of January, 2015

I Consent:



Karen Ratigan