

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Court of Appeals

Appeal from Barnwell County
Doyet A. Early, III, Circuit Court Judge

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The State of South Carolina,

Respondent,

v.

Sammie L. Gerrick,

Appellant,

Appellate Case No.: 2014-000385.

**MOTION FOR SECOND EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
INITIAL BRIEF OF RESPONDENT AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER**

Respondent, the State, moves this Court for an additional thirty (30) day extension of time in which to file the Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter. This is Respondent's second request for an extension of time in which to file the brief. In support of the request, undersigned counsel would respectfully show the Court:

1. Undersigned counsel for Respondent has been scheduled for a number of state and federal matters in the last thirty (30) days, that include, but are not limited to, the following: prepared and filed five (5) returns and memoranda of law in support of motion for summary judgment in the United States District Court (*Brandi Holder, Larry Mitchell, Angela Vaughn, Edmond Mayes, and Tashon Sampson*); attended a four (4) day conference of the National Attorney General Training and Research Institute; and, undersigned counsel for Respondent is also currently attending a capital post-conviction relief hearing in Horry County.

2. Due to her case load, undersigned counsel for Respondent has not been able, in a timely fashion, to complete the initial brief in this appeal. Counsel has reviewed all pertinent

documents and prepared an initial draft of the brief. However, Counsel would request the additional time in order to perfect the brief.

3. This is the second request for an extension of time in which to file a response.

WHEREFORE, undersigned counsel for Respondent respectfully requests an additional extension of thirty (30) days to complete the Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter.


Respectfully submitted,

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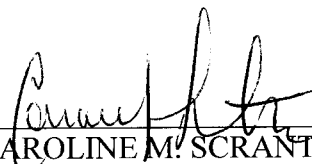
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PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Caroline M. Scrantom, certify that I have served Respondent's Motion for a Second Extension of Time on counsel for Appellant, by depositing one copy of same in the United States mail, postage prepaid, to counsel for appellant, addressed as follows:

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Re: The State v. Sammie Lee Gerrick
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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed please find the original and one (1) copy of Respondent's Motion for Second Extension of Time to file Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter, dated, together with a Proof of Service in the above-referenced matter.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. Please call this office if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,

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cc: Lara M. Caudy, Appellate Defender