

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE SUPREME COURT

Certiorari to Richland County
L. Casey Manning, Circuit Court Judge

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STUART STANTON,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2014-001945

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI
AND APPENDIX**

The undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty-day extension, until May 20, 2015**, 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 Isaac Flynn v. State in this Court on April 16, 2015. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant in the case of State v. Annetta Grant in the Court of Appeals on April 10, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of State v. Sean Echols in this Court on April 8,

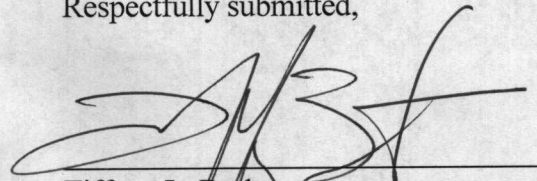
2015. Counsel filed the brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Phillip Hollingsworth in the Court of Appeals on April 1, 2015. Counsel filed the brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Lashad Demond Brewton in the Court of Appeals on March 30, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Jeffrey N. Grimes v. State in this Court on March 30, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in Mark McCoy v. State with this Court on March 25, 2015. Counsel filed the brief of appellant and record on appeal in State v. Vincent Missouri in the Court of Appeals on March 23, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Christina Hudson v. State in this Court on March 16, 2015. Counsel filed the brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Richard Todd Culbertson in the Court of Appeals on March 4, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Leonard Stanfield v. State in this Court on March 4, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of John Forest Ham, Jr. v. State in this Court on March 4, 2015. Counsel filed the brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Barry Jerrod Stanley in the Court of Appeals on February 20, 2015. Counsel filed the brief of appellant and record on appeal in the case of State v. Devon S. Thomas in the Court of Appeals on February 19, 2015.

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.

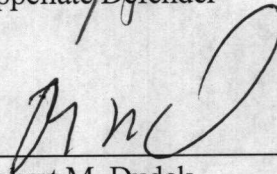
4. As indicated by consent below, counsel for the state graciously consents to or does not oppose this request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty-day extension, until May 20, 2015**, 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,



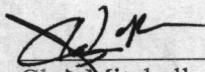
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April 20, 2015

I DO NOT OPPOSE:



Clay Mitchell