

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,

RESPONDENT,

V.

STEPHON ROBINSON,

APPELLANT

Appellate Case No. 2014-002531

PETITION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
INITIAL BRIEF OF APPELLANT
AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER

The undersigned counsel respectfully requests a thirty day extension in which to file the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the above-referenced case. In support of this motion, counsel would respectfully show the Court the following extraordinary circumstances:

1. The initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in this case are due to be served and filed today.

2. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of State v. Ashley Moore with the Supreme Court on May 19, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Kevin Keith v. State with the Supreme Court on May 18, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Didier Sellner v. State with the Supreme Court on May 12, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Evette Franklin v. State with the Supreme Court on May 6, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari to the Court of


Appeals and accompanying appendix in the case of State v. Darrell Birch with the Supreme Court on May 4, 2015. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of State v. Norman Hayes in this Court on May 4, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Earl Malcom Burr v. State with the Supreme Court on April 28, 2015. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of Richard Beekman v. State in the Supreme Court on April 22, 2015. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of State v. Michael Ramey in this Court on April 21, 2015.

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

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

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty day extension. Counsel respectfully requests that the time limits for filing the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



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Appellate Defender



Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender

May 26, 2015

I DO NOT OPPOSE:



Salley W. Elliott, Esquire