

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM RICHLAND COUNTY
Court of General Session

J.C. Nicholson, Jr., Circuit Court Judge

Appellate Case No. 2014-002288
Case No. 2011-GS-40-05012

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The State,Respondent,

v.

Hank Eric Hawes,Appellant

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
APPELLANT'S INITIAL BRIEF AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER

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Pursuant to Rules 208(a)(3) and 240 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules, Appellant Hank E. Hawes requests a 30-day extension of time to file his Initial Brief and Designation of Matter to be Included in the Record on Appeal. This is the third request for an extension of time by the Appellant. This request is made due to other court deadlines, including the undersigned counselors' involvement in a two-week trial currently being conducted in a matter brought in the original jurisdiction of the South Carolina Supreme Court. No prejudice will be caused to either party by this extension.

The current deadline for Appellant's Brief and Designation is July 13, 2015. According to counsel's calculations, this request would make the new deadline **August 12, 2015**. We also ask that the Court hold the current deadline in abeyance until an Order is issued on this request.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true copy of the *Motion for Extension of Time to File Appellant's Initial Brief and Designation of Matter* in the above reference case has been served upon Robert Dudek, Esquire, Chief Appellate Defender, Commission on Indigent Defense, Appellate Division, PO Box 11589, Columbia, South Carolina 29211; Donald J. Zelenka, Esquire, SC Attorney General's Office, P. O. Box 11549, Columbia, SC 29211-1549; Daniel Edward Johnson, Esquire and Luck Campbell, Esquire, Fifth Circuit Solicitor's Office, 1701 Main St., 3rd FL, Columbia, SC 29201 this 13th day of July, 2015.



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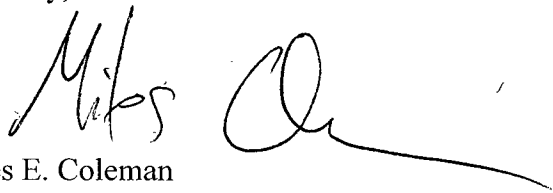
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Our File No. 38769/01526

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed please find the original and seven copies of Appellant's motion for a 30-day extension of time in which to file his Initial Brief and Designation in the above-captioned matter. We would ask that you file the original and return a clocked-in copy to us via our courier. Because this is a criminal appeal, no filing fee is required pursuant to Rule 240(d), SCACR.

With kind regards, I remain

Sincerely,



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