

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE SUPREME COURT

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Certiorari to Spartanburg County
R. Keith Kelly, Circuit Court Judge

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JEREL WORTHY,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2015-000055

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

The undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty-day extension, until August 26, 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 Clifford Ramsey v. State in this Court on July 27, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Nelson

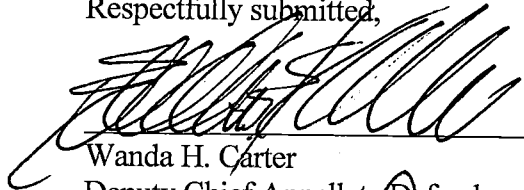
H. Castro v. State in this Court on July 27, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Lentavis Baxter v. State in this Court today July 13, 2015. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Brad A. Day in the Court of Appeals on July 7, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Nearim Blackwell-Selim in this Court on July 1, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Reginald Antonio Nance v. State in this Court today June 26, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals in the case of State v. Antwon M. Baker, Jr. in this Court on June 22, 2015. Counsel argued in the case of State v. Kevin Jerome Gilliard in this Court on June 16, 2015. Counsel is filing the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Cardelle Washington v. State in this Court on June 12, 2015. Counsel argued in the case of Ruben Ramirez v. State in the Court of Appeals on June 10, 2015. Counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and designation of matter along with the Record on Appeal in the case of State v. Phillip Helms in the Court of Appeals on June 1, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Duston L. Rogers in this Court on May 20, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Dervick L. Parker v. State in this Court on May 20, 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.

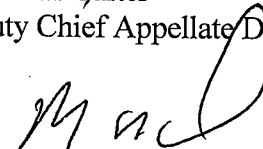
4. As indicated by her consent below, counsel for the state graciously consents to or does not oppose this request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty-day extension, until August 26, 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,



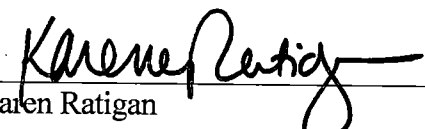
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July 27, 2015

I DO NOT OPPOSE:



Karen Ratigan