

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

Appeal from Kershaw County
Honorable D. Craig Brown, Circuit Court Judge

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THE STATE,

Respondent,

v.

FRANK TERRANCE SINGLETON, III,

Appellant,

Appellate Case No. 2014-002004.

**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 returns and memoranda of law in (6) six other federal habeas actions (*Christopher Woody, Tyrone Ravenell, Robert Brown, Cornelius Rogers, Stephen Casillo, and George Middleton*); prepared and filed a response in opposition to motion to appoint counsel in another federal habeas matter (*Jeffrey Niko Grimes*); prepared and filed a motion to supplement another return and memorandum of law pending in the federal district court (*Anthony Mann*);

prepared for and presented oral argument before this Court in a non-capital murder direct appeal (*Cleophus Edwards, Jr.*); and, reviewed and filed a final brief of respondent in another non-capital murder direct appeal also pending before this Court (*Walker Hughes*).

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 and would request the additional time in order to do so.

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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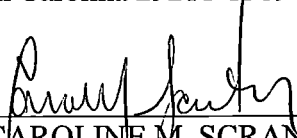
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PROOF OF SERVICE

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:

Lara M. Caudy, Appellate Defender
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This 18th day of September, 2015.



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Re: The State v. Frank Terrance Singleton, III
Appeal from Kershaw County
Appellate Case No. 2014-002004

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed please find the original and one (1) copy of Respondent's Motion for Second Extension of Time to file the Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter, dated today, 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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CMS/mv

cc: Lara M. Caudy, Appellate Defender