

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

Appeal from Lexington County

Thomas A. Russo, Circuit Court Judge

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THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

RAPHAEL LAMARR PONTOO,

APPELLANT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2015-000323

MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME
IN WHICH TO FILE THE INITIAL BRIEF OF APPELLANT
AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER IN THIS
APPELLATE PRACTICE PROJECT CASE

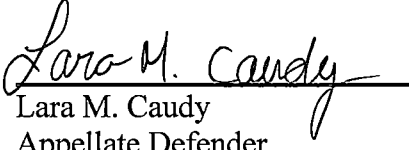
Counsel for Raphael Lamarr Pontoo respectfully requests an extension consistent with the rules for **Appellate Practice Project Cases** in which to file the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in the above-referenced case. In support of this request, counsel shows:

1. The initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in this case are due to be served and filed with the Court today, September 4, 2015. I have discussed this case with the Chief Appellate Defender and this will be a Rule 608 and CLE credit **Appellate Practice Project Case**. **I understand that this extension request for the New Appellate Practice Project Attorney will be until the date determined by the Court for filing the initial brief of appellant.**


2. Counsel for the Attorney General's office graciously consents to this request shown by signature below.

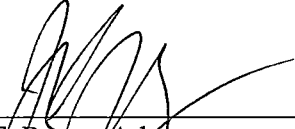
WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request an extension consistent with the rules for **Appellate Practice Project Cases**. Counsel respectfully requests that the time limits for filing the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,


Lara M. Caudy
Appellate Defender

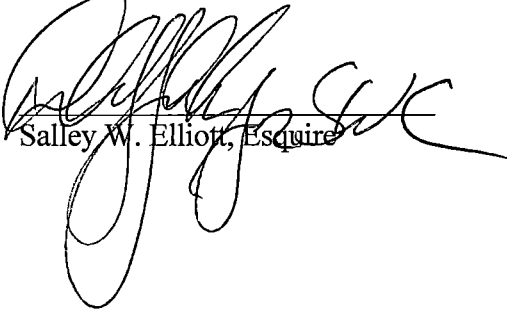
Attorney for Appellant


Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender


T. Patton Adams
Executive Director/
J. Hugh Ryan, III
General Counsel

This 4th day of September, 2015

I consent:


Salley W. Elliott, Esquire