

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

Appeal from Horry County
Edward B. Cottingham, Circuit Court Judge

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT,

V.

ALEX ROBINSON,

APPELLANT.

MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME
IN WHICH TO FILE THE INITIAL BRIEF OF APPELLANT
AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER

Counsel for Alex Robinson respectfully requests an extension of thirty (30) days in which to file the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in this case. This motion is made pursuant to the Order of the South Carolina Supreme Court dated March 18, 2009. This is a fourth request for an extension. In support of this request, counsel shows:


1. The initial brief of appellant and designation of matter are due to be served and filed with the Court today, September 5, 2012.
2. Counsel for Mr. Robinson respectfully submits that extraordinary circumstances exist which warrant the granting of an additional extension of time. Given the number of extensions previously granted and the order in which counsel attempts to manage his caseload, counsel hopes that no further extension requests will be required.
3. On August 31, 2012 Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in Luther Brian Marcus v. State in the Supreme Court. On August 29, 2012, counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in Phillip Hingleton v. State in the Supreme Court. On August 24, 2012,

counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Michael Humprey in the Court of Appeals. On August 20, 2012, counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in Fernando Young v. State in the Supreme Court. On August 17, 2012, counsel filed the initial brief of Appellant in State v. Richard Pilgrim and State v. Billy Miller in the Court of Appeals. On August 13, 2012 counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in Virgil Culbreath v. State in the Supreme Court. On August 2, 2012 counsel filed the return to petition for writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals in State v. Adrian Eaglin. On August 1, 2012 counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix to the Court of Appeals in State v. Anthony Williamson. On July 30, 2012 counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in Jabbar Straws v. State in the Supreme Court. On July 26, 2012, counsel filed the initial brief of Appellant in State v. Donald Altman in the Court of Appeals. On July 23, 2012, counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in Alonzo Jenkins v. State in the Supreme Court. On July 20, 2012 counsel filed the initial brief of appellant in State v. Richard Beekman in the Court of Appeals. On July 18, 2012, counsel filed the initial brief of appellant in State v. Billy Lisenby in the Court of Appeals. On July 13, 2012, counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in Antwan Grayson v. State in the Court of Appeals. On July 9, 2012, counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in Jameek J. Williams v. State in the Supreme Court. On July 6, 2012, counsel filed the petitions for writ of certiorari and appendices in Thomas Evans v. State and Chadwick Cole v. State in the Supreme Court.

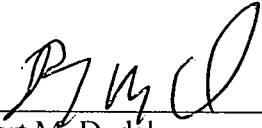
4. Counsel makes this request in good faith and not for purpose of delay.
5. As indicated by her signature below, Salley W. Elliott, of the South Carolina Attorney General's Office, does not oppose this request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty day extension, in which to file the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in this case based upon the above exigent circumstances. Counsel requests that time limits for filing the petition be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

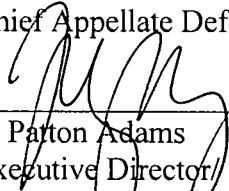
Respectfully submitted,



Dayne C. Phillips
Appellate Defender



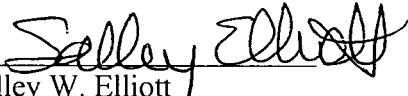
Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender



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

September 5, 2012

I do not oppose:



Salley W. Elliott