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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE SUPREME COURT

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Appeal from Richland County

J. Ernest Kinard, Jr., Circuit Court Judge  
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WILLIAM CORNISH,

PETITIONER,

v.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

Appellate Case No. 2012-209538

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
IN WHICH TO FILE THE PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI  
AND ACCOMPANYING APPENDIX  
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Counsel for William Cornish petitions the Court for a **final thirty day extension, until October 8, 2012** in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in this case. In support of this petition, counsel shows:

1. The petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix are due to be filed with the Court today. This is the third extension for Mr. Cornish.
2. Counsel for Mr. Cornish respectfully submits that extraordinary circumstances exist which warrant the granting of an additional extension of time. Counsel understands that in the previous extension request, she indicated that would be a final, however, given the number of extensions previously granted and the order in which counsel attempts to manage her caseload, counsel hopes that no further extension requests will be required.
3. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in Korrell Battle v. State on September 4, 2012. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in State v. Todd Smith on August 30, 2012. Counsel filed a petition for rehearing in State v. John

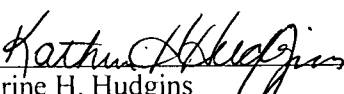
Campbell on August 23, 2012. The initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in State v. John Bostic were filed on August 22, 2012. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in State v. Timothy Cobb on August 15, 2012. Counsel filed initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in State v. Breyon Toney on August 8, 2012. On August 6, 2012, counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals in State v. Mike Salley and the briefs of petitioner in Gregory McHam v. State and Timothy Wallace v. State.

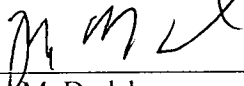
4. Counsel has not had time to complete the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in this case. As a result, counsel respectfully asks this Court for a **final thirty day extension, until October 8, 2012** in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix. Counsel is striving to limit the number of extensions requested. Counsel is attempting to complete the cases with the most number of extensions first.

5. Counsel makes this request in good faith and not for purposes of delay.

Counsel respectfully requests a **final thirty day extension, until October 8, 2012** in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in this case based upon the above circumstances.

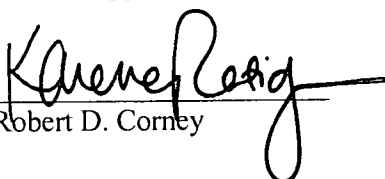
Respectfully submitted,

  
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Chief Appellate Defender

September 6, 2012

I do not oppose:

  
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Robert D. Corney