

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE SUPREME COURT

Appeal from Williamsburg County

Clifton Newman, Circuit Court Judge

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THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

JASON THOMAS BOSTON,

APPELLANT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2015-000753

PETITION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
INITIAL BRIEF OF APPELLANT
AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER

The undersigned counsel respectfully requests a thirty day extension in which to file the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the above-referenced case. In support of this motion, counsel would respectfully show the Court the following extraordinary circumstances:

1. The initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in this case are due to be served and filed today.

2. Counsel presented an oral argument in the Court of Appeals in the case of Sammy Lee Scarborough v. State on October 14, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Tyrone Wade v. State with the Supreme Court on October 12, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Jason Sanford v. State with the Supreme Court on September 30, 2015. Counsel filed

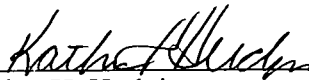
the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Joshua Ray Greer v. State with the Supreme Court on September 25, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Brian Gaines v. State with the Supreme Court on September 14, 2015. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Lester Mosley with the Court of Appeals on September 11, 2015. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Julius Manigault with the Court of Appeals on September 10, 2015.

3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay.

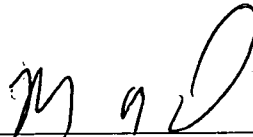
4. As indicated by her consent below, counsel for the state graciously consents to or does not oppose this request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty day extension. 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,



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Robert M. Dudek
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October 19, 2015

I DO NOT OPPOSE:



Salley W. Elliott, Esquire