

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

Appeal from Saluda County
R. Knox McMahon, Circuit Court Judge

THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

v.

RONNIE MARTIN,

APPELLANT.

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APPELLANT CASE NO. 15-001065

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

The undersigned counsel would respectfully request 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 exigent circumstances:

1. The initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in this case are due to be served and filed on January 11, 2016.
2. Due to urgent client matters and unexpected travel, Counsel has been unable to devote the necessary time and attention to this appeal.
3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay.

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. Counsel 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.

December 29, 2015

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Molly RHC".

MOLLY R. HAMILTON CAWLEY
Appellant Defender

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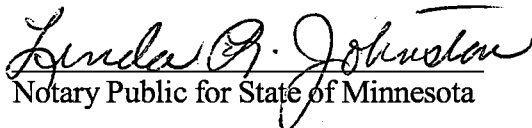
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a true copy of the Petition for Extension to File Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in the above-referenced case has been served upon Ben Aplin, Esquire, at Rembert Dennis Building, 1000 Assembly Street, Room 519, Columbia, SC 29201, via U.S. Mail, this 29th day of December, 2015.

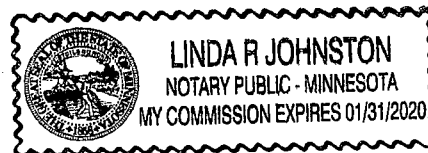


Molly R. Hamilton Cawley
Appellant Defender

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me
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**Re: The State v. Ronnie Martin
(Appellate No. 15-001065)**

Dear Clerk of Court,

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced matter, please find a Petition For Extension to File Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter and a Certificate of Service showing that we served Respondent's attorney, Ben Alpin.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

MESSERLI & KRAMER P.A.



Molly R. Hamilton Cawley
Attorney

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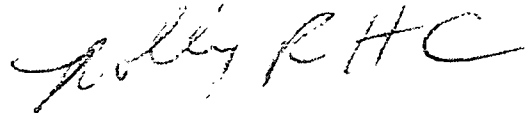
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Dear Mr. Aplin:

Enclosed is a copy of the Petition for Extension to File Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in the above-entitled case, which I have filed with the South Carolina Court of Appeals

Please call me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Molly R. Hamilton Cawley
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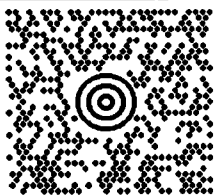
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