

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

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Certiorari to Richland County

Robert E. Hood, Circuit Court Judge

RANDOLPH ASHFORD,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2015-001268

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI
AND APPENDIX**

The undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty-day extension, until March 2, 2016**, in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in the above-referenced case. In support of this motion, counsel would respectfully show the Court the following exigent circumstances:

1. The petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case are due to be served and filed today, having been extended by two prior orders of this Court.
2. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Kenyatta Latwan Sherer v. State in the Supreme Court on January 28, 2016. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Mark A. Watson v. State in the Supreme Court on January 19, 2016. Counsel


filed the petition for rehearing in the case of State v. Tonya McAlhaney in this Court on January 7, 2016. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Milciades Alacantara v. State in the Supreme Court on December 21, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Reginald Wheeler v. State in the Supreme Court on December 14, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Lorenzo R. Nicholson v. State in the Supreme Court on December 14, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Samantha Rhinehart v. State in the Supreme Court on November 19, 2015. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Kenneth Wayne Chiles v. State in this Court on November 16, 2015.

3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay. Counsel is striving to limit the number of extensions requested. Counsel is attempting to complete the cases with the most number of extensions first.

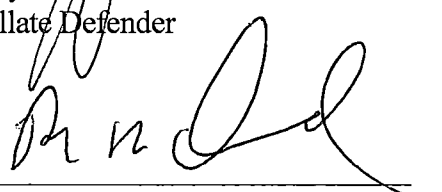
4. As indicated by consent below, counsel for the state graciously consents to or does not oppose this request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty-day extension, until March 2, 2016**, in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case. Counsel requests that the time limits for filing the petition for writ of certiorari be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



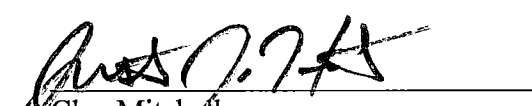
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February 1, 2016

I DO NOT OPPOSE:



Clay Mitchell
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