

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

CASE NUMBER: 2016-000686

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Appeal From Florence County
Honorable R. Knox McMahon, Circuit Court Judge

THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

vs.

CORY NETTLES ALLEN,

APPELLANT.

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO REQUEST TRIAL TRANSCRIPT

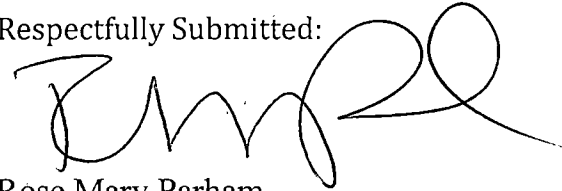
This Motion comes before the Court pursuant to Rule 207(a) of the South Carolina Rules of Court. The Appellant requests a 30-day extension of time to order the trial transcripts from the court reporter.

This motion is based on the following facts. The undersigned represented the Appellant at trial. The Appellant and his family are trying to hire another attorney for his appeal. The Appellant is indigent and completely dependent upon his family members for help in obtaining retained counsel in this matter. If they are unable to assist him in obtaining a private attorney, the Appellant will need the assistance of the South Carolina Commission on Indigent Defense (SCCID) to carry out his appeal. The undersigned has spoken with SCCID with regards to the client. Given the uncertainty as to who will be representing the Appellant going forward, the Appellant respectfully requests a 30-day extension to order the trial transcripts. This will allow him ample time to find appellate counsel of his choosing.

It is therefore requested of this Honorable Court that an extension to request the trial transcripts be ordered.

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Respectfully Submitted:

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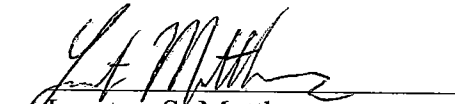
I, Lawton S. Matthews, hereby certify that a copy of the Appellant's Motion for Extension of Time to Request Trial Transcript was served on other counsel of record this 25th day of April 2016, via U.S. mail, postage prepaid, at the following addresses:

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