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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

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Appeal from Colleton County
The Honorable Perry Buckner, Circuit Court Judge
Appellate Case No. 2015-001447

THE STATE,

Respondent,

v.

TAQUAN L. BROWN,

Appellant.

**MOTION FOR FOURTH EXTENSION TO FILE
INITIAL BRIEF OF RESPONDENT AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER**

Respondent, State of South Carolina, hereby moves for a fourth extension of time to file the Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter to be included in the Record on Appeal. In support of this motion, Respondent submits the following.

1. The Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter are due to be filed and served August 1, 2016, pursuant to a third extension. Respondent requests a fourth 30-day extension to serve and file these documents.
2. By Order dated July 19, 2016, pursuant to Rule 210(f) SCACR, the Court ordered the Clerk of Court for Colleton County to release to the Attorney General's office, approximately 29 trial exhibits for transportation to the South Carolina Court of Appeals for review and consideration by the Court and counsel in this appeal.

3. Counsel has worked on the Initial Brief and Designation in this matter. Counsel believes she cannot adequately complete the brief until she reviews the exhibits which are scheduled for pickup by the Attorney General's designee on August 2, 2016. She assures the Court completion of this brief is a high priority, and upon receipt and review of the exhibits, she will work diligently to complete the brief.

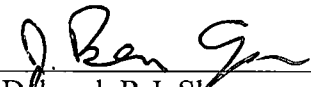
4. The undersigned consulted with counsel for the Appellant, and she is authorized to advise the Court he consents to the requested relief.

Based on the foregoing, Respondent respectfully requests that this Court grant a fourth 30-day extension in which to file the Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter, and that all deadlines be held in abeyance pending resolution of this motion.

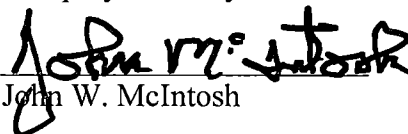
Respectfully submitted,

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Sally Ellison, certify that I have served the Motion for Fourth Extension to File Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter, on Appellant by depositing a copy of same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid addressed to:

John H. Strom, Esquire
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I further certify that all parties required by Rule to be served have been served.

This 1st day of August, 2016



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VIA HAND-DELIVERY

The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
Post Office Box 11629
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Re: The State v. Taquan L. Brown
Appellate Case No. 2015-001447

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed please find the original and six (6) copies of a Motion for Fourth Extension to File Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter, along with proof of service for filing, in the above-referenced appeal.

Sincerely,

for Deborah R.J. Shupe
Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General

DRJS/sbe
Enclosures

cc: John S. Strom, Esquire (w/enclosure)
Victim Services (w/enclosure)

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