

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE SUPREME COURT

Certiorari to Saluda County
William P. Keesley, Circuit Court Judge

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ALLEN A. RAUCH,

S.C. SUPREME COURT
PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2016-002054

MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME
IN WHICH TO FILE THE PETITION FOR WRIT OF
CERTIORARI AND APPENDIX

Counsel for Allen A. Rauch respectfully requests an extension of thirty (30) days in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case. This motion is made pursuant to the Order of the South Carolina Supreme Court dated March 18, 2009. In support of this request, counsel shows:

1. The petition for writ of certiorari and appendix are due to be served and filed with the Court today.
2. Counsel for Allen A. Rauch respectfully submits that extraordinary circumstances exist which warrant the granting of an additional extension of time. Given the number of extensions previously granted and the order in which counsel attempts to manage his caseload, counsel hopes that no further extension requests will be required.

3. On February 16, 2017, counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the murder case of The State v. Ahshaad Owens with the Court of Appeals. On February 16, 2017, counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the murder case of The State v. Sylvester Keejuan King with the Court of Appeals. On February 8, 2017, counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Lindell Davis with the Court of Appeals. On February 1, 2017, counsel filed the brief of respondent in the case of Marshall Heath Collins v. The State with this Court. On February 1, 2017, counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Brian Terrell with the Court of Appeals. On January 30, 2017, counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Jerod Swinton v. The State with this Court. On January 27, 2017, counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Robert Ware with the Court of Appeals. On January 26, 2017, counsel filed the petition for rehearing in the case of The State v. Jalann Williams with the Court of Appeals. On January 20, 2017, counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. David Ray Brown with the Court of Appeals. On January 3, 2017, counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of The State v. Ryan P. Deleston with this Court. On December 30, 2016, counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari in the double jeopardy case of The State v. Bryan Rearick with the United States Supreme Court.

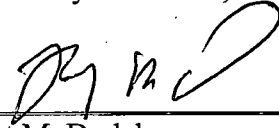
4. Counsel makes this request in good faith and not for purpose of delay.

5. Counsel for the Attorney General's office has been informed of this request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty day extension, in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case based upon

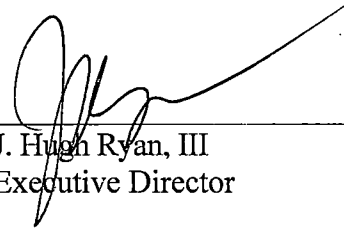
the above exigent circumstances. Counsel requests that time limits for filing the petition be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender

Attorney for Petitioner



J. Hugh Ryan, III
Executive Director

February 21, 2017

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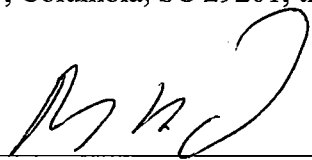
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a true copy of the motion for an extension of time in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in the above case has been served upon Jessica Kinard, Esquire, Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, Rembert Dennis Building, 1000 Assembly Street, Room 519, Columbia, SC 29201, this 21st day of February, 2017.



Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER

SWORN TO BEFORE ME this 21st day
of February, 2017.

 (P.S.)

Notary Public for South Carolina

My Commission Expires: November 3, 2026.