

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE SUPREME COURT

Appeal from Greenville County

Honorable George C. James, Circuit Court Judge

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S.C. SUPREME COURT

RYAN DARRELL IRBY,

PETITIONER

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2016-002165

PETITION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
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AND ACCOMPANYING APPENDIX

The undersigned counsel respectfully requests a thirty day extension, **until April 17, 2017**, in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the above-referenced case. In support of this motion, counsel would respectfully show the Court the following extraordinary circumstances:

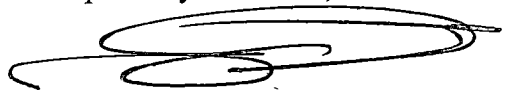
1. The petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in this case are due to be served and filed today.
2. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Steven Levon Williams with the Court of Appeals on March 15, 2017. Counsel

filed the initial brief of respondent and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Raheem Aquil with this Court of March 15, 2017. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of Shawn Lee Wyatt v. The State of South Carolina in this Court on March 13, 2017. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Anthony Dominique Wilder v. The State of South Carolina in this Court on March 8, 2017. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of Jerod Keykendall Harris v. The State of South Carolina in this Court on March 7, 2017. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Mark Anthony Bayne with the Court of Appeals on February 21, 2017. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Garrick Epps with the Court of Appeals on February 16, 2017.

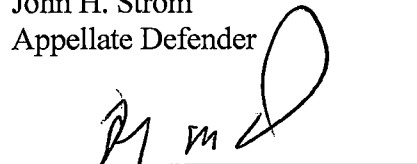
3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay. Counsel intends to continue to work on the cases with more than three extensions first so that the caseload will hopefully become more manageable in the near future, and less extensions will need to be requested.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty day extension. Counsel respectfully requests that the time limits for filing the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



John H. Strom
Appellate Defender



Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender

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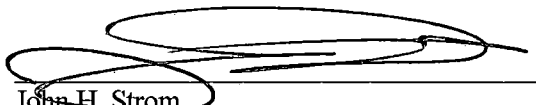
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned attorney hereby certifies that a true copy of the petition for extension to file petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the above referenced case has been served upon DeShawn Mitchell, Esquire, Office of the Attorney General, at Rembert Dennis Building, Room 519, 1000 Assembly Street, Columbia, South Carolina 29201, this 16th day of March, 2017.



John H. Strom
Appellate Defender

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me
this 16th day of March, 2017.

 (L.S.)

Notary Public for South Carolina
My Commission Expires: November 3, 2026.