

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

Appeal from Lancaster County

J. Ernest Kinard, Jr., Circuit Court Judge

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THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

v.

ANTHONY RODRICKUS CARTER,

APPELLANT

Appellate Case No. 2011-203566

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
INITIAL BRIEF OF APPELLANT AND
DESIGNATION OF MATTER**

The undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty-day extension, until December 26, 2012** in which to file the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the above-referenced case. In support of this motion, counsel would respectfully show the Court the following exigent circumstances:

1. The initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in this case are due to be served and filed today having been extended by four prior orders of this Court.
2. Today, November 26, 2012, counsel is planning to file the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in State v. Donte Reid. On November 15, 2012, counsel had an oral argument in the South Carolina Supreme Court in State v. Mark Baker. On November 9, 2012, counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and record on appeal in State v. Timothy Young. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in State v. Alirio Ortiz in the Supreme Court on November 5, 2012. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in State v. Antrell Felder and the brief of respondent in Cazario Marshall v. State on October 22, 2012. Counsel filed the petitions for

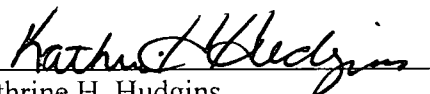
writ of certiorari and accompanying appendices in William Cornish v. State and Wiley Post James v. State on October 8, 2012. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in Archie Hoover v. State on October 4, 2012. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in Terrance Gist v. State on October 1, 2012.

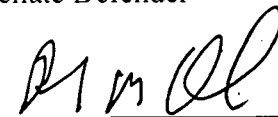
3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay.

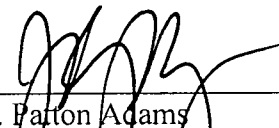
4. As indicated by his consent below, counsel for the state graciously consents to or does not oppose this request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty-day extension, until December 26, 2012** in which to file the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in this case. Counsel requests that the time limits for filing the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,

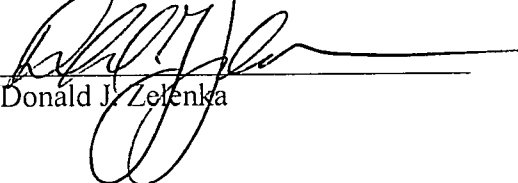

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November 26, 2012

I DO NOT OPPOSE:


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