

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
IN THE SUPREME COURT

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Certiorari to York County  
Letitia H. Verdin, Circuit Court Judge  
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ROBERT SHAVER,

S.C. SUPREME COURT

RESPONDENT

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

PETITIONER

Appellate Case No. 2017-000701  
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**MOTION TO FILE THE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO  
FILE THE PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI  
AND APPENDIX OUT OF TIME**  
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Counsel for Robert Shaver petitions the Court to allow late filing of the petition for extension in which to file the return to petition for writ of certiorari in this case. In support of this petition she shows:

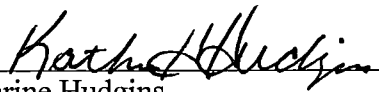
1. The return to petition for writ of certiorari was due to be filed on August 22, 2017, however, due to a calendar error the petition for extension of time to file the return to the petition for writ of certiorari was not filed.

2. Counsel has prepared and is filing the petition for extension of time to file the return to the petition for writ of certiorari. This is the first extension request made by Respondent.

3. Counsel for the Attorney General's office consents to this request as shown by signature below.

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

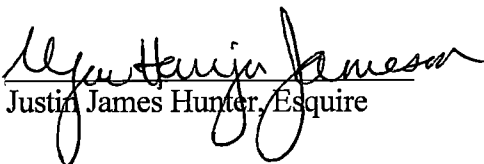
WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel respectfully requests that the Court grant counsel's request to relax Rule 263(b), SCACR, and allow leave in which to file the petition for extension in which to file the return to petition for writ of certiorari in this case out of time.

  
Kathrine Hudgins  
Appellate Defender

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER

August 29, 2017

I Consent:

*for*   
Justin James Hunter, Esquire