

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE SUPREME COURT

Certiorari to Charleston County

Honorable G. Thomas Cooper, Circuit Court Judge

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CHRISTOPHER WILLIAM SEABROOK,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2017-001901

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

Counsel for Christopher William Seabrook 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. This is a second request for an extension. In support of this request, counsel shows:

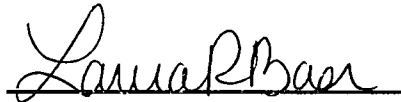
1. The petition for writ of certiorari and appendix are due to be served and filed with the Court today.
2. Counsel for Christopher William Seabrook respectfully submits that extraordinary circumstances exist which warrant the granting of an additional extension of time. Given the number of extensions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

3. Counsel will file the petition for writ of certiorari in Robin G. Reese v. State with this Court today December 27, 2017. Counsel filed the Motion to Dismiss the Notice of Appeal as Interlocutory in State v. Ronald Hakeem Mack with the Court of Appeals on December 19, 2017. Counsel appeared in general session's court in Richland County for a hearing in State v. Michael A. Smith on December 7, 2017. Counsel filed the initial reply brief in State v. Michael J. Finley with the Court of Appeals on December 5, 2017. Counsel filed the petition for rehearing in Richard Cappell v. State with the Court of Appeals on December 5, 2017. Counsel was a guest speaker at the Appellate Practice Project: Presenting Cases to the Appellate Courts seminar in Columbia, South Carolina on November 30, 2017. Counsel filed the petition for rehearing in Esaiueus F. Booker v. State with the Court of Appeals on November 29, 2017. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari in Abbdul O. Emmaunel v. State with this Court on November 20, 2017. Counsel filed the Johnson petition for writ of certiorari in Willie Edwards v. State with this Court on November 17, 2017. Counsel filed the Johnson petition for writ of certiorari in Anthony Q. Robinson v. State with this Court on November 13, 2017. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari in Juan Nimmons v. State with this Court on November 6, 2017. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant in State v. Brian Lewis with the Court of Appeals on October 31, 2017.

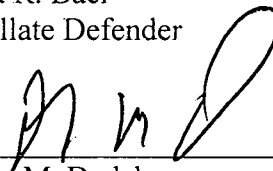
4. Counsel makes this request in good faith and not for purpose of delay.
5. Counsel for the Attorney General's office has been informed of this request.

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,



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December 27, 2017

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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 Megan H. Jameson, Esquire, Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, Rembert Dennis Building, 1000 Assembly Street, Room 519, Columbia, SC 29201, this 27th day of December, 2017.



Laura R. Baer
Appellate Defender

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER

SWORN TO BEFORE ME this 27th day
of December, 2017.



(L.S.)
Notary Public for South Carolina
My Commission Expires: July 3, 2023.