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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE SUPREME COURT

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Certiorari to York County

Honorable R. Lawton McIntosh, Circuit Court Judge  
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DAVID W. DOVER,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2017-001969  
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE  
PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI  
AND ACCOMPANYING APPENDIX  
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The undersigned counsel respectfully requests a thirty day extension 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 had an oral argument in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Nathaniel Wright before the Court of Appeals on April 18, 2018. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of Elvira Lynn Seay v. The State of South Carolina with the Court of

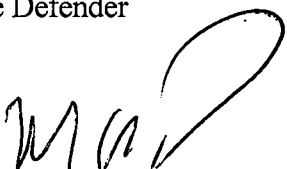
Appeals on April 12, 2018. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Kelvin Jones with the Court of Appeals on April 9, 2018. Counsel filed the Johnson petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Walter Monroe Lance v. The State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on April 6, 2018. Counsel filed the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Nathaniel Antron Hunter with the Court of Appeals on April 4, 2018. Counsel filed the Anders Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Joshua Lenard Poacher with the Court of Appeals on April 4, 2018. Counsel filed the Johnson petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Steve Leon Griffin v. The State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on March 30, 2018. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of Darryl Frierson v. The State of South Carolina before the Supreme Court on March 29, 2018. Counsel filed the Johnson Petition for Writ of Certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of John Henry Smith v. The State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on March 14, 2018. Counsel filed the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Vance Ross with the Court of Appeals on March 7, 2018. Counsel filed the Johnson Petition for Writ of Certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Ralph Beverly Hayes v. The State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on February 26, 2018. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Robert Matthew Fulmer v. The State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on February 26, 2018. Counsel filed the Anders Brief of Appellant pursuant to White v. State in the case of Robert Matthew Fulmer v. The State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on February 26, 2018. Counsel filed the Petition for Writ of Certiorari to the Court of Appeals and accompanying appendix in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Christopher Jermaine Wells with the Supreme Court on February 20, 2018.

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,

  
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Kathrine H. Hudgins  
Appellate Defender

  
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Robert M. Dudek  
Chief Appellate Defender

April 18, 2018

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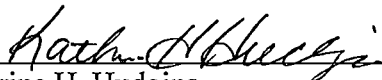
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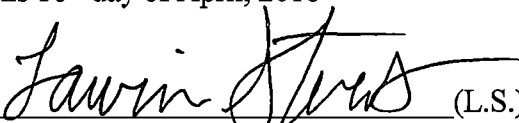
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The undersigned attorney hereby certifies that a true copy of the petition for extension to file petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the above referenced case has been served upon Justin James Hunter, Esquire, at Rembert Dennis Building, Room 519, 1000 Assembly Street, Columbia, South Carolina 29201, this 18th day of April, 2018.

  
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Kathrine H. Hudgins  
Appellate Defender

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me  
this 18<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2018

  
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(L.S.)  
Notary Public for South Carolina  
My Commission Expires: July 5, 2027.