

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM BERKELEY COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

The Honorable Kristi Lea Harrington, Chief Administrative Judge,
Berkeley County

Appellate Case No. 2018-000036

Tawana Yvette Gadsden,

Appellant,

v.

The State

Respondent.

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APPELLANT'S MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE INITIAL BRIEF

The appellant moves this court to extend the time for the filing of the Initial Brief for as long as the first request of additional time is prohibited, and as grounds therefore, states:

1. The appellant is challenging the preparation of transcript that was received from Circuit Court Reporter, Amanda K. Haffenden, on March 16th, 2018. (See Exhibit A)
2. Appellant is seeking to pursue appellant counsel and requests the time to provide counsel with the record and legal issues in the case so that counsel will be able to prepare a cogent and succinct brief to aid this Court in its analysis of the issues presented.
3. Additional time is necessary to prepare a Brief.
4. There will be no prejudice to Appellee in granting this request for extension of time to file the Initial Brief.
5. This request is not sought for delay but so that justice may be done.
6. This Motion is made in good faith, and not merely for purposes of delay.

April 23, 2018

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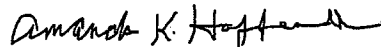
Tawana Y. Gadsden
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Dear Ms. Gadsden:

I received your letter stating you are challenging the transcript I prepared. When there is a challenge to the accuracy of a transcript, the court reporter will respond to the challenger in writing. The court reporter will then review the record and report the findings in writing to the challenger, with a copy to all parties and Court Administration. Any inaccuracies will be corrected and the pages forwarded to the challenger at no cost. Further review of the record may be permitted by the presiding judge upon written request with good cause shown.

If no challenge is received by the court reporter within the 365-day period, the tapes may be reused or destroyed. (See Rule 607(i)). This transcript was delivered to you on approximately March 24, 2018. Since I received your email and letter of April 4, 2018, I am willing to retain these records for another 365 days (through April 4, 2019). I will expect to receive the written challenge before that date. If not, the tapes will be reused or destroyed in accordance with Rule 607(i) unless there is an Order from the court otherwise. Thank you for your understanding of the Rules under which I must proceed.

Sincerely,



Amanda K. Haffenden, RPR, CRR
Circuit Court Reporter

Exhibit A
[Signature]

April 23rd, 2018

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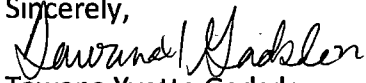
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Dear Ms. Kitchings,

Please see attached copy of the document below:

1. **APPELLANT'S MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE INITIAL BRIEF.**

Sincerely,



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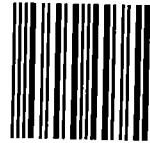
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