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May 3, 2018

Hon. Daniel E. Shearouse, Clerk
Supreme Court of South Carolina
P.O. Box 11330
Columbia, SC 29211

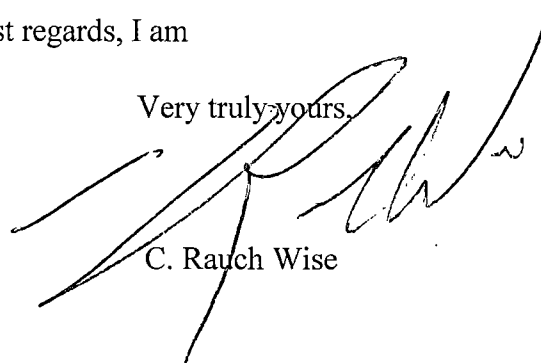
Re: Kenneth Morris vs. State of South Carolina, Appellate Case No. 2017-002355

Dear Hon. Shearouse:

I am enclosing herewith the original and six copies of the Petition for Extension together with the original Affidavit of Service regarding the above matter. Your help is greatly appreciated.

With kindest regards, I am

Very truly yours,



C. Rauch Wise

CRW/slt
Enclosure

cc Megan Harrigan Jameson

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE SUPREME COURT

CERTIORARI TO YORK COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas
J. Mark Hayes, II, Circuit Court Judge

Appellate Case No. 2017-002355
Lower Case No. 2015-CP-46-2859

Kenneth D. Morris, #334303 Respondent,
v.
State of South Carolina Petitioner

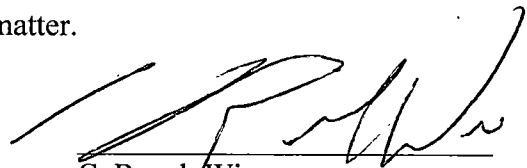
PETITION FOR EXTENSION

Kenneth Morris , the Respondent above-named hereby petitions the Court for a thirty (30) day extension in which to file his Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above referenced matter. This request is being made for the following reasons:

1. The Return is due on May 7, 2018;
2. Attorney was out of state with the National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers the week of April 16, 2018;
3. Attorney for Respondent has been in court on several occasions, including federal court; and has not been able to work on this brief.

Therefore, the Respondent requests a thirty (30) day extension of time in which to file the Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above matter.

May 3rd, 2018



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AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

PERSONALLY appeared before me Sandy Traynham who, after being duly sworn, deposes and says that she is the legal assistant for C. Rauch Wise, Attorney for the Respondent in the above entitled case. That on May 3, 2018, she did deposit in the United States Mail with proper postage affixed thereto a copy of the Petition for Extension in the above case addressed to Megan Harrigan Jameson, Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, P.O. Box 11549, Columbia, South Carolina 29211.

SWORN to and Subscribed
before me this 3rd day

Sandy Traynham

of May, 2018,

[Signature] (L.S.)
Notary Public for South Carolina

My Commission expires: 12/7/2019