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Subject: Case 2016-000270 on Casey R. Perkins, SCDC # 286100,

Supreme Court of South Carolina
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Dear Sir/Madam;

I am writing to you concerning my son, Casey R. Perkins, Case number 2016-00270.

It is my understanding that my son, Casey, has until May 18, 2018 to provide a reply concerning the action that the SC Supreme Court took on May 3, 2018. Copy of the "case view" is attached.

My purpose in writing is to earnestly request that Casey be given a time extension to provide his reply. His mental state right now is not very good since he was advised that the SC Supreme Court would not review his case. In addition, Casey does "not fully understand" what is being asked of him! And he has a very limited mental capability to reply in a manner that would fully or properly answer the question or questions that are being presented to him.

It would be so very helpful if an attorney or someone with legal training could sit down with Casey and properly explain to him what is being asked of him. And hopefully, Casey will be emotional stable enough to provide reasonable answers to the questions. Then the attorney or the person with legal training could, hopefully, put Casey's answer in a written statement that would properly answer those important questions! Casey could sign the statement in the presence of someone who could verify or notarized his signature.

Casey's lack of ability to understand and lack of ability to properly answer the questions that he is being asked, must be a common problem with other SC inmates.

As his mother, I am earnestly requesting that a time extension of some reasonable length be given Casey so that he can, hopefully, with some type of professional help, provide good and reasonable answers to the questions that he is being asked!

In addition, Casey was at Lee Correctional Institution during the recent riots. To my understanding his dorm was one of the dorms where the riots took place. Going through those riots has greatly affected his mental state of mind. So please let this being a consideration when allowing a time extension! Thank you!

Finally, I have not been able to understand how Casey could have been convicted by the local court on the crime that he has been charged with. During his trial an expert (of some type) witnessed on Casey's behalf that they only had "circumstantial evidence." There was no DNA evidence to my knowledge! In addition, Casey has continually denied that he had committed such an awful crime!

Any assistance that can be provided my son, Casey, will be so greatly appreciated! God bless!!

Respectfully submitted, *Carolyn A Perkins*

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Case Information: 2016-000270

Court:	Supreme Court	Classification:	Certiorari - PCR - Common Pleas - Other
Short Title:	Casey R. Perkins v. State	Case Status:	Decision Filed
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Consolidated:			
Filed Date:	02/16/2016	Oral Argument Date:	
Disposition Date:	05/03/2018	Disposition Type:	Certiorari Denied
Remittitur Date:			
Lower Court or Tribunal:	Chester (2013CP1200278)		

- Party Information

Appellate Role	Party Name	Former	Attorney(s)
Petitioner	Casey Raymond Perkins	N	Guy J. Vitetta (Former) Robert Michael Dudek (Former) Susan Barber Hackett
Respondent	The State	N	John Croom Colvin Hunter (Former) Jessica Elizabeth Kinard (Former) Johanna Catalina Valenzuela (Former) Patrick Lowell Schmeckpeper (Former) DeShawn Herman Mitchell

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Event Information

Filed Date	Event Information	Doc
05/03/2018	Dispositional Decision - Certiorari Denied	
03/17/2017	Correspondence - Incoming (DeShawn Mitchell Representing)	
12/06/2016	Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Responses - No Reply	
12/06/2016	Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Responses - No Johnson Pro Se Response	
10/11/2016	Correspondence - Outgoing (Johnson Letter to Petitioner)	
10/10/2016	Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Responses - Johnson Petition and Appendix	
09/09/2016	Non-Dispositional Decision - Extension Granted (3rd)	
09/08/2016	Motion - Extension of Time (3rd)	
08/16/2016	Correspondence - Incoming (Schmeckpeper Representing)	
08/10/2016	Non-Dispositional Decision - Extension Granted 2nd	
08/08/2016	Motion - Extension of Time (2nd)	
07/12/2016	Non-Dispositional Decision - Extension Granted (1st)	
07/08/2016	Motion - Extension of Time (1st)	
05/09/2016	Transcript Documents - Transcript Delivered - PCR	
02/17/2016	Transcript Documents - Transcript Ordered	
02/16/2016	Notice of Appeal (Civil) - Initial	

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