

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE SUPREME COURT

Certiorari to Lancaster County

Honorable R. Knox McMahon, Circuit Court Judge

JOSEPH D. HILTON,

v.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2018-000492

PETITION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
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AND ACCOMPANYING APPENDIX

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 filed the petition for writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals and accompanying appendix in the case of The State v. Terry Williams with the Supreme Court on July 23, 2018. Counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case

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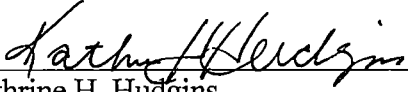
of The State v. Nathan Good with the Court of Appeals on July 23, 2018. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals and accompanying appendix in the case of The State v. Charles Winston, Jr. with the Supreme Court on July 20, 2018. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Tommy McGee with the Court of Appeals on July 17, 2018. Counsel filed the petition for rehearing in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Maurice A. Odom with the Court of Appeals on July 12, 2018. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari pursuant to Austin v. State in the case of Jonta Green v. The State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on July 10, 2018. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Jonta Green v. The State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on July 10, 2018. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Henry Delos Anderson v. The State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on June 25, 2018. Counsel filed the Johnson petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of David W. Dover v. The State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on June 13, 2018. Counsel filed the Johnson petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Bobby A. Gilbert v. The State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on June 4, 2018. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Reginald Canty v. The State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on June 4, 2018. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Christian Arenson Scowcroft with the Court of Appeals on May 31, 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. Billy Phillips with the Supreme Court on May 29, 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. Mark Lorenzo Blake, Jr. with the Supreme Court on May

25, 2018. Counsel filed the petition for rehearing in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Charles Winston, Jr. with the Court of Appeals on May 24, 2018.

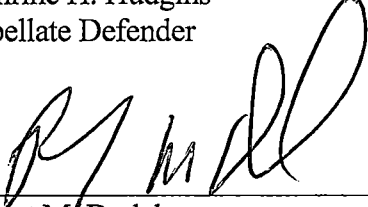
3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay. Counsel intends to continue to work on the cases with more than three extensions first so that the caseload will hopefully become more manageable in the near future, and less extensions will need to be requested.

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,



Kathrine H. Hudgins
Appellate Defender



Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender

July 23, 2018

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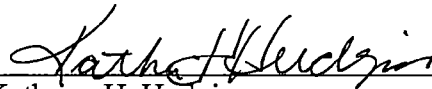
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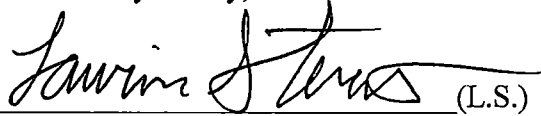
The undersigned attorney hereby certifies that a true copy of the petition for extension to file petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the above referenced case has been served upon DeShawn H. Mitchell, Esquire, at Rembert Dennis Building, Room 519, 1000 Assembly Street, Columbia, South Carolina 29201, this 23rd day of July, 2018.



Kathrine H. Hudgins
Appellate Defender

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me
this 23rd day of July, 2018



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