

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM ABBEVILLE COUNTY
Court of General Sessions
Frank R. Addy, Jr., Circuit Court Judge

Appellate Case No. 2018-000495

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Charles Tillman,..... Appellant.

v.

State of South Carolina,..... Respondent.

***Petition to Extend Time to File Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter to
be Included in the Record on Appeal***

Charles Tillman petitions this Court for an order extending time to file the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter to be Included in the Record on Appeal. This request is based on counsel's workload and is not intended for delay. Counsel for Mr. Tillman prepared for and tried the evidentiary hearing in *Jerry Inmon v. State of South Carolina*, Pickens County Case No. 2012-CP-39-00918, a state court capital post-conviction relief case, tried August 20-23, 2018. During the past 30 days, counsel has filed the following pleadings in the appellate courts:


1. Response to the State's Petition for Writ of *Certiorari* and Reply to State's Return to Mr. Johnson's petition for Writ of *Certiorari* in *State v. Naka Johnson*, Supreme Court Appellate Case No. 2018-001355 (Court of Appeals' Opinion No. 2018-UP-109), under this Court's expedited procedure for *certiorari* to the Court of Appeal.

2. Petition for Writ of *Certiorari* in *Jennifer McSharry v. State of South Carolina*, Appellate Case Number 2018-00096.
3. Petition for Writ of *Certiorari* in *Michael Beaty v. South Carolina* in the Supreme Court of the United States.

Therefore, Mr. Tillman respectfully requests this Court issue order extending time to file the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter to be Included in the Record on Appeal until Friday, September 28, 2018.

IT IS SO MOVED.

Respectfully Submitted,

By  _____

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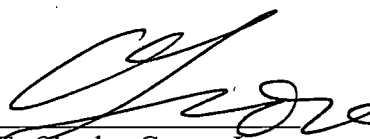
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Certificate of Service

I certify that I have served this pleading on the State of South Carolina by placing a copy in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on the date reflected below, addressed as follows:

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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
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P.O. Box 11629
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Re: *State of South Carolina v. Charles Tillman*
Appellate Case Number 2018-000495

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed please the original and six copies of Mr. Tillman's Petition to Extend Time to File Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter to be Included in the Record on Appeal, along with a certificate of service.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please let me know if I can answer any questions or provide additional information.

With kindest regards, I am

Yours very truly,


E. Charles Grose, Jr.

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