

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE SUPREME COURT

Certiorari to Greenville County
Robin B. Stilwell, Circuit Court Judge

JAMES ALLEN JOHNSON,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2018-000600

MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME
IN WHICH TO FILE THE PETITION FOR WRIT
OF CERTIORARI AND ACCOMPANYING APPENDIX

Counsel for James Allen Johnson respectfully requests an extension of thirty (30) days in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in this case. This motion is made pursuant to the Order of the South Carolina Supreme Court dated March 18, 2009. This is a second request for an extension. In support of this request, counsel shows:

1. The petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix are due to be served and filed with the Court today.
2. Counsel for James Allen Johnson respectfully submits that extraordinary circumstances exist which warrant the granting of an additional extension of time. Given the number of extensions previously granted and the order in which counsel attempts to manage her caseload, counsel hopes that no further extension requests will be required.

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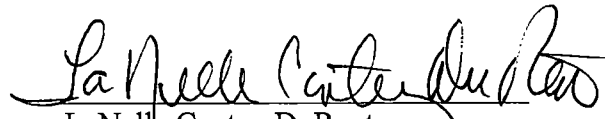
3. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Ronald Edward Gooden v. The State with the Supreme Court on September 17, 2018. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Michael Duran Watson v. The State with the Supreme Court on August 31, 2018. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and Johnson petition for writ of certiorari pursuant to Austin v. State along with the accompanying appendix in the case of Deshaun A. Drafts v. The State with the Supreme Court on August 24, 2018. Counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Marcus Antonio Mack with the Court of Appeals on August 17, 2018. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Charles P. Blackwell v. The State with the Supreme Court on August 9, 2018. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Kashaun Banks v. The State with the Supreme Court on August 8, 2018. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of David Scott Mooney v. The State with the Supreme Court on August 6, 2018. Counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. John Anthony Duckett with the Court of Appeals on August 1, 2018. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Courtney Lamont Pauling v. The State with the Supreme Court on July 30, 2018. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Marcellous R. Clark v. The State with the Supreme Court on July 27, 2018. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Brandon Bannister v. The State with the Supreme Court 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. Antwan Jamal Jett with the Supreme Court on July 20, 2018.

4. Counsel makes this request in good faith and not for purpose of delay.

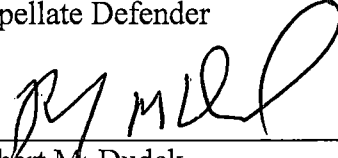
5. Counsel for the Attorney General's office has been informed of this request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty day extension, in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in this case based upon the above exigent circumstances. Counsel requests that time limits for filing the petition be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



LaNelle Cantey DuRant
Appellate Defender



Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender

This 20th day of September, 2018.

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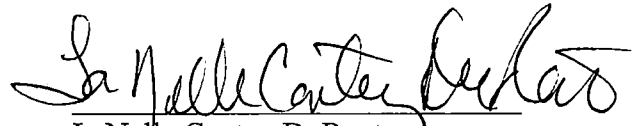
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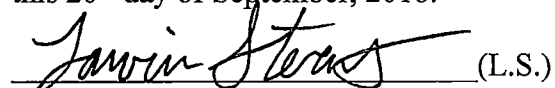
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of the Motion for an Extension of Time in which to file the 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 20th day of September, 2018.


LaNelle Cantey DuRant
Appellate Defender

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me
this 20th day of September, 2018.

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