

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

Appeal from Aiken County
The Honorable Roger M. Young, Sr., Circuit Court Judge

Appellate Case No. 2017-001950

THE STATE,

Respondent,

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SC Court of Appeals

vs.

SANTONIO TOREZ WILLIAMS,

Appellant.

**MOTION FOR SECOND EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
INITIAL BRIEF OF RESPONDENT AND
DESIGNATION OF MATTER**

The undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty (30) day extension in which to file the Initial Brief of Respondent in the above-referenced case. In support of this motion, counsel would respectfully show the Court the following:

Respondent's Initial Brief is due today, December 17, 2018, upon this Court's grant of Respondent's first request for an extension filed on November 19, 2018. Specifically,

1. Counsel argued it's Summary Judgment Motion in the capital Beaufort County murder Post-Conviction Relief action of Abdiyyah Ben Alkebulanyahh, #6012 vs. State of South Carolina, 2014-CP-07-2994 on November 19, 2018;

2. Counsel filed the Final Brief of Respondent in the matter of The State vs. Rohaime Jamar Hopkins, Appellate Case No. 2017-001224, a Jasper County murder appeal now pending in the South Carolina Court of Appeals on November 20, 2018;

3. Counsel filed Respondent's Reply to Response in Opposition to Motion for Summary Judgment in the matter of Martina Putnam, #334375 vs. Warden Yeldell, C/A No. 2:18-1094-RMG-MGB on November 21, 2018;

4. Counsel also filed the Respondent's Reply to Response in Opposition to Motion for Summary Judgment [ECF #26] in the matter of David Smith, #360603 vs. State of South Carolina, C/A No.: 0:18-1442-RMG-PJG on December 3, 2018;

5. Counsel filed the Return and Memorandum of Law in Support of Motion for Summary Judgment in the matter of Sentrell Lee McCullough vs. Aaron S. Joyner, C/A No. 0:18-2278-DCC-PJG on December 10, 2018;

6. Counsel filed the Respondent's Response to Petitioner's Rule 59 Motion to Reconsider in the matter of James Edward Johnson, #353643 vs. Charles Williams, Warden, C/A No. 0:18-673-BHH-PJG, also on December 10, 2018;

7. Counsel filed the Supplemental Return and Memorandum of Law in Support of Motion for Summary Judgment, and Re-Newed Motion for Summary Judgment in the matter of Travis McLaughlin, #291562 vs. Warden Leroy Cartledge, C/A No. 2:17-01817-BHH-MGB on December 13, 2018;

8. Counsel filed Respondent's Reply to Response in Opposition to Motion for Summary Judgment [ECF#30] in the matter of Juan M. Nimmons, #256828 vs. Warden Lieber Correctional Institution, C/A.No. 8:18-1919-JFA-JDA, also on December 13, 2018; and

9. Counsel is currently out of the office today, December 17, 2018 on sick leave.

However, due to counsel's involvement in these and other matters pending in state and federal court, counsel is unable to timely complete the Initial Brief of Respondent in this proceeding. Thus, counsel is requesting an extension of time in which to file the Initial Brief in this matter. This request is made in good faith, and not for the purposes of delay.

WHEREFORE, premises considered, counsel hereby respectfully requests a thirty (30) day extension of time to serve and file the Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter.

Respectfully submitted,

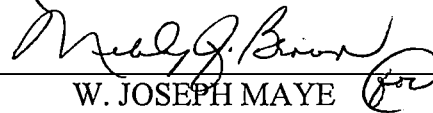
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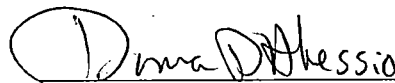
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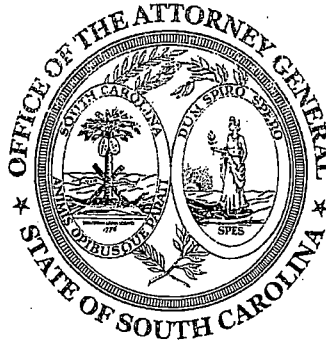
I, W. Joseph Maye, of counsel for the Respondent, certify that I have served two (2) copies of the within motion for a second extension to file Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter via U.S. mail to his attorney of record, Tristan M. Shaffer, Esq., P.O. Box 1027, Chapin, South Carolina 29036.

I further certify that all parties required by Rule to be served have been served.

This 17th day of December, 2018.



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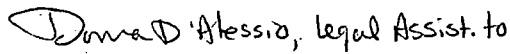
Re: The State vs. Santonio Torez Williams
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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed for filing are the original and six (6) copies of the Respondent's Second Extension of Time to File Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter, together with Proof of Service, in the above-referenced matter. Opposing counsel has been copied on this extension request.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,


W. Joseph Maye
Assistant Attorney General

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Enclosures
cc: Tristan M. Shaffer, Esq. (w/two copies of encls.)

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