

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM CHARLESTON COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

J. C. Nicholson, Jr., Circuit Court Judge
Trial Court Case No. 2017-CP-10-03226

Appellate Case No. 2017-002621

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John Gilbert Singletary, Appellant,

v.

The State, Respondent.

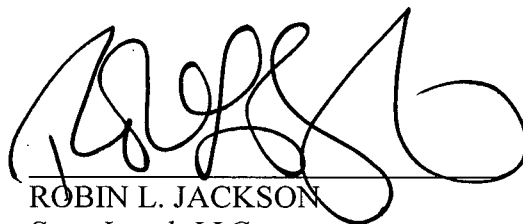
RESPONSE IN OPPOSITION TO 3RD MOTION FOR EXTENSION

NOW COMES The State and opposes the Appellant's third (and untimely) motion for extension of time to file the record on appeal. Appellant was previously granted two extensions with a deadline to file the Record on Appeal of November 17, 2018. No Record on Appeal was filed, nor was any further extension requested. Not until the Respondent filed a motion to dismiss and the court issued an order giving the appellant ten (10) days – not to file the Record on Appeal, but to show proof of timely service of the record on appeal, that he is now asking for another extension.

There are deadlines for a purpose. Appellant has missed almost every deadline he has been given and despite having had months to gather the information he needed, he has failed to do so.

Appellant complains that his attorney did not have a complete file. This is not the responsibility of the Court or the undersigned. The appellant was provided with each and every document designated by the Respondent back when the Designation of Matter was originally filed. The undersigned also has all documents served on her by appellant and his former counsel. At no time, have copies of the documents been requested from her office. To the extent that filed pleadings and exhibits were needed for the Record on Appeal, if they had been requested by appellant, the undersigned's office would have provided them electronically within minutes of the request being reviewed.

Appellant is *pro se*, but is no stranger to the process of the courts, having represented himself in previous litigation both at the trial and appellate levels a number of times. Therefore, for all of these reasons, Respondent asks that the position that Appellant not be granted any further extensions.



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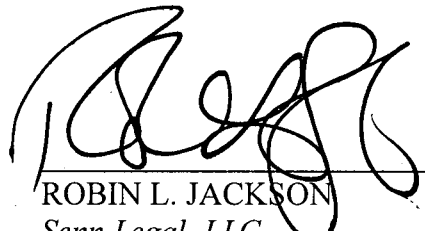
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PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served the Respondent's Response in Opposition to 3rd Motion for Extension on the Appellant, by depositing a copy of the same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on December 19, 2018, addressed to John G. Singletary, 4321 Waterview Circle, North Charleston, South Carolina 29418.



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RE: John Gilbert Singletary v. The State
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Dear Madame Clerk:

Enclosed for filing please find Respondent's Response in Opposition to 3rd Motion for Extension and Respondent's Reply in Support of Motion to Dismiss Appeal. If you would, please file the same. Appellant is being served with copies of these pleadings on today's date as referenced by the attached Proofs of Service.

Thank you and with kind regards, I am,

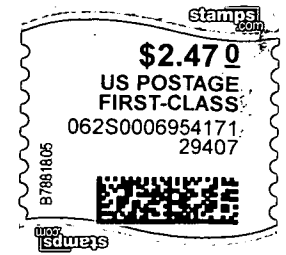
Sincerely,

Robin L. Jackson

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Enclosures

cc: Mr. John G. Singletary

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