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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE SUPREME COURT

Certiorari to Richland County

Honorable Jocelyn J. Newman, Circuit Court Judge

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MICHAEL P. CORNELIUS,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

Appellate Case No. 2018-001792

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

Counsel for Michael P. Cornelius respectfully requests a **final thirty (30) day extension, until March 22, 2019**, in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case. This motion is made pursuant to the Order of the South Carolina Supreme Court dated March 18, 2009. In support of this request, counsel shows:

1. The petition for writ of certiorari and appendix are due to be filed with the Court today. The Court has granted counsel two previous extensions.
2. Counsel for Michael P. Cornelius 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 his caseload, counsel hopes that no further extension requests will be required.

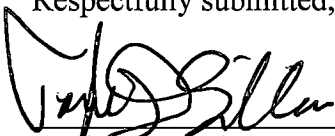
3. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Casey Jones, Jr. with the Court of Appeals on February 19, 2019. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari in the case of Gabriel Gratto v. The State with this Court on February 14, 2019. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari in the case of Jovan Mitchell v. The State with this Court on January 22, 2019. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari in the case of Timothy Beheler v. The State with this Court on January 22, 2019. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Peter Coffey with the Court of Appeals on January 9, 2019. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Michael Seals with the Court of Appeals on January 3, 2019. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Tyshun Bessellieu with the Court of Appeals on January 2, 2019. Counsel filed the brief of respondent in the case of Eugene Austin Gardner, III v. The State with this Court on December 31, 2018. Counsel filed the petition for rehearing in the case of The State v. Robin Herndon with the Court of Appeals on December 21, 2018.

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

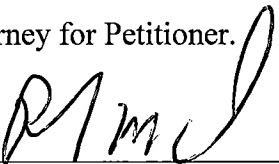
5. Counsel for the Attorney General's office consents to this request as shown by signature below.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty (30) day extension, until March 22, 2019**, in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and 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,

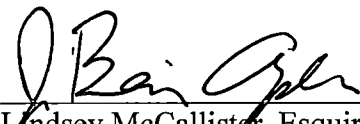
for 
David Alexander
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Attorney for Petitioner.


Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender

This 20th day of February, 2019.

I consent:

for 
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