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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
IN THE SUPREME COURT

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Certiorari to Charleston County  
Roger M. Young, Circuit Court Judge

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RYAN P. DELESTON,

PETITIONER

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2018-001475

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

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Counsel for Ryan P. Deleston respectfully requests a **final thirty (30) day extension, until May 13, 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. This is a third request for an extension. In support of this request, counsel shows:

1. The Petition for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix are due to be served and filed with the Court today. The Court has granted counsel two previous extensions.
2. Counsel for Ryan P. Deleston 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.

3. Counsel filed the return to petition for writ of certiorari in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Marshall Hill with the Supreme Court on April 9, 2019. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Levance Dunham with the Court of Appeals on April 5, 2019. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Maurice A. Odom with the Supreme Court on April 3, 2019. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals and accompanying appendix in the case of The State of South Carolina v. James Bubba Patterson with the Supreme Court on March 21, 2019. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Jane Katherine Hughes with the Court of Appeals on March 21, 2019. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Dean Alton Holcomb before the Court of Appeals on March 14, 2019. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Adonis Williams v. The State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on March 11, 2019. Counsel filed the brief of appellant pursuant to White v. State in the case of Adonis Williams v. The State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on March 11, 2019. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State of South Carolina v. William Tiay Chandler with the Court of Appeals on March 5, 2019. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Jahru Harold Smith with the Court of Appeals on February 28, 2019. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Wayne Michael Smith v. The State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on February 19, 2019.

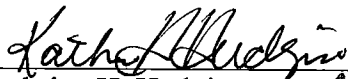
4. Counsel makes this request in good faith and not for purpose of delay.

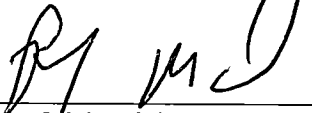
5. Counsel for the Attorney General's office has been informed of this request as shown by signature below.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty (30) day extension, until May 13, 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.

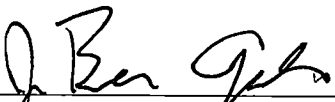
This 12th day of April, 2019.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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Chief Appellate Defender

I consent:

  
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