

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

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Appeal from Newberry County

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SC Court of Appeals

THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

CLIFTON CURTIS BOOZER,

APPELLANT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2018-001542

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
INITIAL BRIEF OF APPELLANT AND
DESIGNATION OF MATTER**

The undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty-day extension in which to file the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the above-referenced case. In support of this motion, counsel would respectfully show the Court the following exigent circumstances:

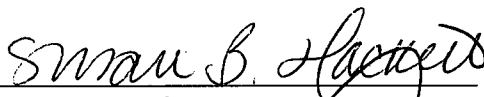
1. The initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in this case are due to be served and filed today having been extended by two prior orders of this Court.
2. Counsel filed a petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of James D. Lloyd v. State in the Supreme Court on May 23, 2019. Counsel filed the Johnson petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Shaquan Newjean Lewis v. The State in the Supreme Court on May 20, 2019. Counsel filed a petition for

writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals in the case of State v. Melvin Durant in the Supreme Court on May 17, 2019. Counsel filed the initial brief of respondent and designation of matter in the case of Jakarta Young v. SCDC in this Court on May 15, 2019. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of State v. Christopher D. Campbell with the Supreme Court on May 9, 2019. Counsel had an oral argument in Conway in the case of State v. Steven Otts with the Supreme Court on April 17, 2019. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of State v. Jamie Lee Simpson with this Court on April 9, 2019. Counsel appeared in Sumter County on April 3, 2019, to represent Michael Spann at a guilty plea proceeding. Counsel filed the Johnson petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Jason A. West v. State in the Supreme Court on March 28, 2019. Counsel filed the Johnson petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of John Cleveland Jr. v. State in the Supreme Court on March 27, 2019.


3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay.
4. As indicated by her consent below, counsel for the state graciously consents to or does not oppose this request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty-day extension in which to file the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in this case. Counsel requests that the time limits for filing the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



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Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender

May 24, 2019

I DO NOT OPPOSE:



Melody J. Brown, Esquire