

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
IN THE SUPREME COURT

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Certiorari to Sumter County

DeAndrea G. Benjamin, Circuit Court Judge  
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S.C. SUPREME COURT

CAZIEK LIGHTY,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2019-000002  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE  
PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI  
AND APPENDIX**  
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The undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty-day extension, until August 12, 2019** in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in the above-referenced case. In support of this motion, counsel would respectfully show the Court the following exigent circumstances:

1. The petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case are due to be served and filed today, having been extended by two prior orders of this Court.
2. Counsel is preparing and consulting with Chief Appellate Defender, Robert M. Dudek, on the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the cases of State v. Malik

Jabree Singleton, State v. Bobby Jones, Sr., The State v. Victoria Lorraine Sanchez, State v. Lance Antonio Brewton, and State v. Steven Deontae Hoover, which he plans to file with the Court of Appeals in the upcoming weeks. Counsel is preparing and consulting with Chief Appellate Defender, Robert M. Dudek, on the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the cases of Torren M. Eady v. The State, Greg K. Isaac v. The State, and this case which he plans to file with this Court in the upcoming weeks.

3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay.

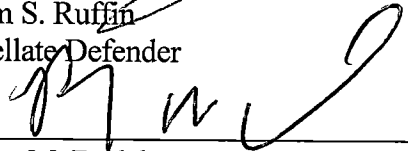
4. As indicated by her consent below, counsel for the state graciously consents to or does not oppose this request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty-day extension, until August 12, 2019** in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case. Counsel requests that the time limits for filing the petition for writ of certiorari be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



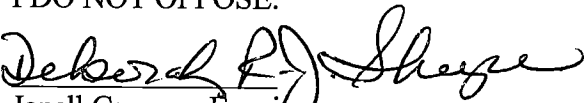
Adam S. Ruffin  
Appellate Defender



Robert M. Dudek  
Chief Appellate Defender

July 12, 2019

I DO NOT OPPOSE:

  
for Janell Gregory, Esquire