

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

ORIGINAL

Appeal from Beaufort County

Brooks P. Goldsmith, Circuit Court Judge

THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

MARY ANN GERMAN,

APPELLANT.

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2018-002090

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

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The undersigned counsel respectfully requests 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 extraordinary circumstances:

1. The initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in this case are due to be served and filed today.
2. Counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of In the Matter of the Care and Treatment of Donald Donald Hulon with the Court of Appeals on September 16, 2019. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in

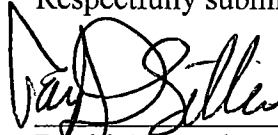
the case of The State v. Dameon Brown with the Court of Appeals on September 4, 2019. Counsel filed the return to petition for rehearing in the case of The State v. Vladimir Pantovich with the Supreme Court on August 29, 2019. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of The State v. Robin Herndon with the Supreme Court on August 20, 2019. Counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Michael Collins with the Court of Appeals on August 7, 2019. Counsel filed the return to petition for rehearing in the case of The State v. Anthony Martin with the Supreme Court on August 2, 2019. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of The State v. Michael Juan Smith with the Supreme Court on July 31, 2019. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of Robin Renee Herndon v. The State with the Supreme Court on July 29, 2019. Counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State v. Kenneth Campbell with the Court of Appeals on July 26, 2019.

3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay. Counsel intends to continue to work on the cases with more than three extensions first so that the caseload will hopefully become more manageable in the near future, and less extensions will need to be requested.

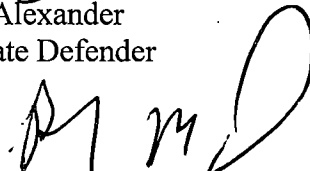
4. As indicated by the counsel below, counsel for the state graciously consents to or does not oppose this request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty-day extension. Counsel respectfully 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,

for 

David Alexander
Appellate Defender



Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender

This 23rd day of September, 2019.

I do not oppose:

for 

William M. Blich, Esquire