

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE SUPREME COURT

Certiorari to Williamsburg County
Honorable Kristi F. Curtis, Circuit Court Judge

JASON SINATRA EDWARDS,

PETITIONER, S.C. SUPREME COURT

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

Appellate Case No. 2019-001088

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

Counsel for petitioner respectfully requests an extension of thirty (30) days 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 second 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.
2. Counsel for petitioner 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.

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3. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Jerry Dean Heard v. The State of South Carolina with this Court on December 4, 2019. Counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Keshawn Melvin Rice with the Court of Appeals on December 4, 2019. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Tyrone Joseph Whatley v. The State of South Carolina with this Court on November 7, 2019. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Timothy L. Frady v. The State of South Carolina with this Court on November 4, 2019. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Derek Maner v. The State of South Carolina with this Court on October 23, 2019. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State of South Carolina v. David Paul Merritt with the Court of Appeals on October 16, 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.

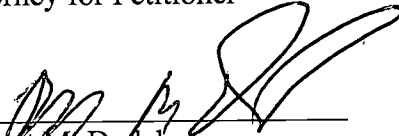
WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty day extension, in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case based upon the above exigent circumstances. Counsel requests that time limits for filing the petition be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



Kathrine H. Hudgins
Appellate Defender

Attorney for Petitioner



Robert M. Dufek
Chief Appellate Defender

This 9th day of December, 2019

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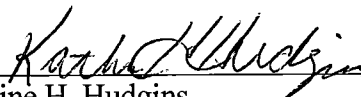
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a true copy of the motion for an extension of time in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in the above case has been served upon Janell Gregory, Esquire, Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, Rembert Dennis Building, 1000 Assembly Street, Room 519, Columbia, SC 29201, this 9th day of December, 2019.


Kathrine H. Hudgins
Appellate Defender

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER

SWORN TO BEFORE ME
this 9th day of December, 2019.


(L.S.)

Notary Public for South Carolina
My Commission Expires: September 30, 2029.