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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE SUPREME COURT

Certiorari to Spartanburg County

Honorable Thomas A. Russo, Circuit Court Judge

ORIGINAL

TERRY COOPER,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

RESPONDENT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2019-001197

MOTION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI
AND ACCOMPANYING APPENDIX

The undersigned counsel respectfully requests a **final thirty-day extension, until February 3, 2020**, in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the above-referenced case. In support of this motion, counsel would respectfully show the Court the following extraordinary circumstances:

1. The petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in this case are due to be served and filed today.

2. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari in the case of David Mooney v. The State on January 2, 2020 with the Supreme Court. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari in the case of Fred Madden v. The State on December 16, 2019 with the Supreme Court. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari in the case of Christopher MeJean v. The State on December 4, 2019 with the Supreme Court. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant in

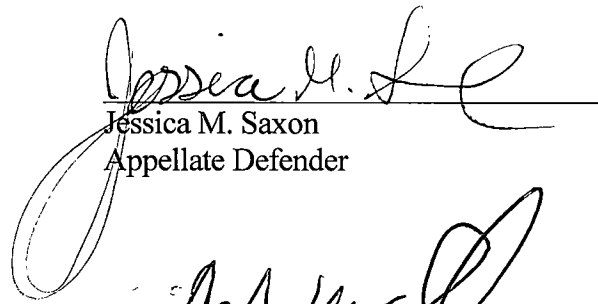
the case of The State v. Stephen Parten on December 2, 2019 with the Court of Appeals. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari in the case of Michael Pearson v. The State on November 27, 2019 with the Supreme Court. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant in the case of The State v. Evodio Hernandez-Santo on November 27, 2019 with the Court of Appeals. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari in the case of Elijah Brown v. The State on November 18, 2019 with the Supreme Court. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari in the case of Dederick Bright v. The State on November 12, 2019 with the Supreme Court. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant in the case of The State v. Samuel Jeter on November 4, 2019 with the Court of Appeals. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari in the case of Eric Adams v. The State on November 4, 2019 with the Supreme Court.

3. As indicated by her consent below, counsel for the state does not oppose this request.

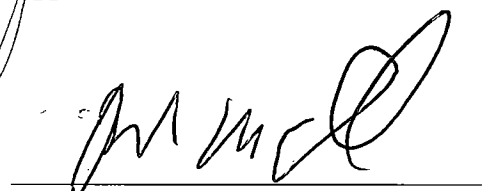
4. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay. Counsel intends to continue to work on the cases with more than three extensions first so that the caseload will hopefully become more manageable in the near future, and less extensions will need to be requested.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty-day extension, until February 3, 2020**. Counsel respectfully requests that the time limits for filing the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,

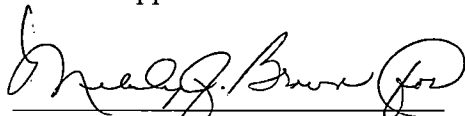


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January 3, 2020
I do not oppose:



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