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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
IN THE SUPREME COURT

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Certiorari to Charleston County

Jennifer B. McCoy, Circuit Court Judge  
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GUSSIE HENRY HILTON, JR.,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT.

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2019-001226  
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MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION  
TO FILE THE PETITION FOR WRIT OF  
CERTIORARI AND APPENDIX  
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Counsel for Gussie Henry Hilton respectfully requests a **final thirty (30) day extension, until February 3, 2020**, 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 third 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. The Court has granted counsel two previous extensions.
2. Counsel for Gussie Henry Hilton 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.

3. On December 31, 2019, counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in In the Matter of the Care and Treatment of Antonio Young with the Court of Appeals. On December 16, 2019, counsel filed a petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in Tamarcus Long v. The State with the Supreme Court. On December 12, 2019, counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in The State v. Frederick Harrison Towe with the Court of Appeals. On December 4, 2019, counsel filed a petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in Brandon James Littell v. The State with the Supreme Court. On November 25, 2019, counsel filed a petition for a writ of certiorari to the Court of Appeals in The State v. Anthony M. Enriquez with the Supreme Court. On November 8, 2019, counsel filed a petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in Moses Frasier v. The State with the Supreme Court. On October 31, 2019, counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in The State v. Alonza King Gibson with the Court of Appeals.


4. Counsel makes this request in good faith and not for purpose of delay.

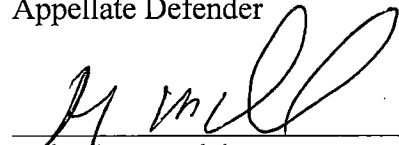
5. Counsel for the Attorney General's office has been informed of this request as shown by signature below.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a **final thirty (30) day extension, until February 3, 2020**, 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 for Writ of Certiorari and Appendix be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

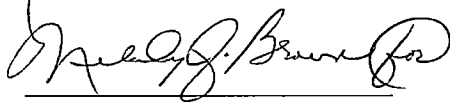
This 3rd day of January, 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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Chief Appellate Defender

I consent:

  
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Benjamin Limbaugh, Esquire