

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

ORIGINAL

Appeal from Fairfield County
Honorable R. Lawton McIntosh, Circuit Court Judge

THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

DARRYL EUGENE COLEMAN,

APPELLANT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2019-000936

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 petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Sandy Lee Locklear v. The State of South Carolina with the Supreme Court on December 23, 2019. Counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of The State of South Carolina v. Tristian Cummings with this Court on December 20, 2019. 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 the Supreme 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 this Court 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 the Supreme 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 the Supreme Court on October 23, 2019.

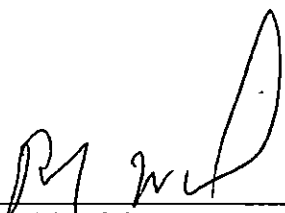
3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay. Counsel intends to continue to work on the cases with more than three extensions first so that the caseload will hopefully become more manageable in the near future, and less extensions will need to be requested.

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,

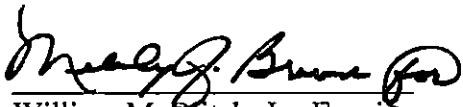

Kathrine H. Hudgins
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Robert M. Dudek
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This 2nd day of January, 2020.

I do not oppose:



William M. Blitch, Jr., Esquire