

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In Supreme Court

APPEAL FROM YORK COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

John C. Hayes, III, Circuit Court Judge

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Appellate Case No. 2016-002556
Circuit Court Case No. 2014-CP-46-1307
Opinion No. 5710 (Ct. App. filed January 20, 2020)

RussellShaneCarter,.....Respondent,

v.

Bruce Bryant,.....Appellant.

**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO
FILE PETITON FOR CERTIORARI**

This motion is filed pursuant to Rule 240 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules. The Court of Appeals issued its decision on January 15, 2020. See Op. No. 5710. Carter filed a timely petition for rehearing on January 29, 2020. The Court of Appeals denied the petition for rehearing on February 20, 2020. The Petition was originally due on March 20, 2020; however, after the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic, Petitioner requested an extension, and the Court of Appeals

graciously extended all deadlines 20 days in an Order dated March 20, 2020. The Petition for Certiorari is presently due on April 18, 2020. Additionally, in light of the recent severe storms that swept through yesterday morning, counsel for Petitioner Carter finds his household, where he is self-quaranting, still without electricity and is told it should be restored within the next couple of days. Therefore, Petitioner Carter respectfully requests an additional 10-day extension to file his petition, thereby making the petition due on April 28, 2020. Petitioner has consulted with Andrew Lindemann, attorney for Bryant, who consents to the request for an extension.

Respectfully submitted this the 14th day of April, 2020.

s/J. Christopher Mills

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