

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

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Appeal From Cherokee County
The Honorable R. Keith Kelly, Circuit Court Judge

THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

ALLEN CHARRON WILLIAMS, JR.,

APPELLANT.

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2018-001080

**MOTION FOR A FOURTH EXTENSION TO FILE INITIAL BRIEF OF
RESPONDENT AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER**

Respondent, through its undersigned attorney, would respectfully show as follows:

1. The Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter was due to be served and filed April 24, 2020 pursuant to a third extension. Respondent requests a fourth extension to serve and file these documents, which is not made for the purpose of delay but due to telecommuting issues regarding research and document preparation while working from home due to the Covid-19 virus issue in our State. In addition, the undersigned continues to be on a restricted work schedule due to a work related injury.

2. Counsel has worked on the Initial Brief and Designation of Matter, but has been unable to complete the Brief prior to the due date. Counsel assures the Court completion of the Brief is a high priority, and she will work diligently to complete it.

3. Consent to the request for this extension is granted based on the agreement between South Carolina Commission on Indigent Defense, Division of Appellant Defense and the Office of the Attorney General.

4. Based on the foregoing, counsel for Respondent respectfully requests that this Court grant a fourth 30-day extension in which to file and serve the Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter, and that all deadlines be held in abeyance pending resolution of this motion.

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Sally Ellison, certify that I served and filed the Motion for a Fourth Extension to File Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter on Appellant by email to the address listed in AIS and by depositing a copy in the United States Mail, postage Prepaid, addressed to:

Sarah Shipe, Esquire
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SC Commission on Indigent Defense
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I further certify all parties required by Rule to be served have been served.
This 24th day of April, 2020.



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Ms. Shipe:

Attached is a copy of the Respondent's Motion for Fourth Extension to File the Initial Brief and Designation of Matter in the above appeal. This Motion will be submitted to the Court of Appeals through the AIS System. A hard copy of the Certificate of Service and email will be deposited in today's mail.

Thank you.

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