

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In The Supreme Court

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APPEAL FROM GEORGETOWN COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas  
Post Conviction Relief

S.C. SUPREME COURT

Honorable William H. Seals, Jr., Circuit Court Judge

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App. Case No.: 2020-000590

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Tamar Yaron Bryant,

Petitioner,

vs.

State of South Carolina

Respondent.

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MOTION FOR SUBSTITUTION  
OF COUNSEL

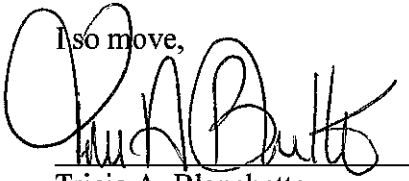
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Tamar Yaron Bryant, Petitioner, through undersigned counsel, would move the Court for substitution of counsel from the Office of Appellate Defense to Tricia A. Blanchette, Esquire. Mr. Bryant's signature is below to verify his consent.

On April 8, 2020, Tricia A. Blanchette, Esquire, filed the Notice of Appeal for Mr. Bryant. Thereafter, Mr. Bryant completed an Affidavit of Indigency that was provided to and processed by the Office of Appellate Defense. It appears the Office of Appellate Defense provided the Court notice of acceptance of the case and ordered the transcript on July 7, 2020.

With delay as a result of the current pandemic, Tricia A. Blanchette, Esquire, has been retained on Mr. Bryant's behalf by a related third party since he remains indigent. Undersigned counsel asks this Court to allow substitution of counsel since she handled the underlying Post Conviction Relief Application, which gives her easy access to the complete file and great familiarity with the issues raised and record. Furthermore, substitution would ease the case load of the Office of Appellate Defense.

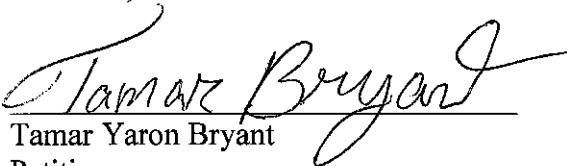
Therefore, Petitioner, through undersigned counsel, would move for substitution of counsel and would ask for a stay of proceedings until such time as this Motion is ruled upon.

Iso move,  


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7/30, 2020

I consent,

  
Tamar Yaron Bryant  
Petitioner