

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In The Supreme Court

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APPEAL FROM KERSHAW COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas  
J. Derham Cole, Circuit Court Judge

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S.C. SUPREME COURT

Case No. 2014-CP-28-00703

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George S. Branham, II, ..... Petitioner,

v.

State of South Carolina, ..... Respondent.

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**Petition for Extension of Time**

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George Branham petitions this Court for an order extending the time to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix until Friday, September 25, 2020. This request is the third request for an extension to file this pleading.

This request is based on undersigned counsel's other professional obligations and is not intended for delay. In the past thirty days, undersigned counsel has filed a amended petition for writ of habeas corpus in *Stanko v. Stirling*, CA: 1:19-cv-03257-RMG-SVH (a capital case), and amended petition for writ habeas corpus in *Langford v. Stonebreaker*, C/A No. 9:20-cv-01298-DCC-MHC, the record on appeal and final briefs in *State v. Morton*, Appellate Case No. 2018-001909, and attended video conference depositions in *Scruggs v. Stirling*, C/A No: 0:19-cv-00921-SAL-PJG, a wrongful death action consolidated for discover with cases brought by the estates of three other decedents.

Undersigned counsel has blocked time in the next two weeks to work on this petition and the appendix, with the anticipation of not requesting any additional extensions.

IT IS SO MOVED.

Respectfully submitted,

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