

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

Appeal from Greenville County

Honorable Edward W. Miller, Circuit Court Judge

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SC Court of Appeals

THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

TIMOTHY WILLIAM PYLE,

APPELLANT

APPELLATE CASE NO. 2020-001484

MOTION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
INITIAL BRIEF OF APPELLANT
AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER

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 reply brief of petitioner in the case of Dameion Rivers v. The State with this Court on April 21, 2021. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Alfonso Morgan v. The State with the Supreme Court on March 31, 2021. Counsel had an oral argument in the case of The State v. Ontario Stefon Patrick Makins before the Supreme Court on March 24, 2021. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of Mitchell Rivers v. The State with this Court on March 5, 2021. Counsel had an oral

argument in the case of Victor Weldon v. The State before this Court on March 1, 2021. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and accompanying appendix in the case of Dennis Cumbee v. The State with the Supreme Court on February 22, 2021. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of Yashawnus Patterson v. The State with this Court on February 16, 2021. Counsel filed the Brief of Petitioner in the case of Dameion Rivers v. The State with this Court on February 12, 2021.

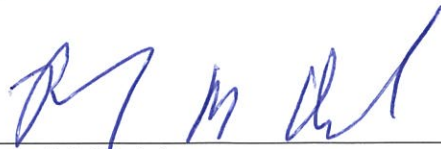
3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay.

4. Opposing counsel, the Attorney General's Office, has graciously consented to this extension request by way of the thirty-day general consent granted by email from Deputy Attorney General Donald J. Zelenka dated April 29, 2021 for all Appellate Defense extensions through May 31, 2021.

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,

s/ Taylor D. Gilliam
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to the Supreme Court's Order "RE: Operation of the Appellate Courts During the Coronavirus Emergency," dated March 20, 2020, the undersigned hereby certifies a true copy of the Motion for an Extension of Time in which to File the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in the above-referenced case have been served upon Matthew Buchanan, Esquire at the primary e-mail address listed in the Attorney Information System (AIS), this 14th day of May, 2021.

s/ Taylor D. Gilliam
Taylor D. Gilliam
Appellate Defender

ATTORNEY FOR APPELLANT