

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF SOUTH CAROLINA
APPEAL FROM GREENVILLE COUNTY

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S.C. SUPREME COURT

Appellate Case No. 2020-001361

Oshaun J. Robinson, #327798

Respondent,

v.

State of South Carolina, Petitioner,

Petitioner

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
IN WHICH TO FILE
RETURN

NOW COMES the Respondent in the above captioned matter requesting an addition extension of time in which to file the Return of Respondent in the above captioned Post-Conviction Relief Appeal. Undersigned Counsel had hoped not to need an additional extension in this appeal; however, she came down with a stomach virus and was out sick much of the week last week. The Return in this matter is due for service and filing on today's date, however, Counsel has still had a fever and a bad headache today. Counsel came into the office late in the day in hopes of completing this Return this evening, but is simply not feeling well enough to do so. Counsel is scheduled to be at Lieber Correctional tomorrow and Thursday, July 7-8, 2021, for meeting with clients. Hopefully Counsel's fever will have abated so that she will be permitted to move forward with these visits tomorrow and Thursday. For various reasons, these client meeting were each necessary at this time and had to be approved by SCDC Legal, in order for Counsel to gain access to this institution. Counsel has two other filings due the first of next week. For that reason, Counsel now requests that she be granted an additional ten (10) day extension in this matter until Friday, July 16, 2021.

Inasmuch as Counsel is now a sole practitioner, she has no other attorney's in her office that can attest to the need for this extension, however, she personally assures this Honorable Court that the Return would have been filed on or before today's date had Counsel not been ill last week. Due to the hour, Counsel did not have the opportunity to discuss this request with opposing counsel, Lillian Loch Meadows, Assistant Attorney General. For that reason, she would ask Attorney Meadows to please advise the Court of her position on this request directly. Attorney Meadows has been digitally served with this request on today's date. A COS is attached to this Petition.

Respectfully submitted,

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