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APPEAL FROM GEORGETOWN COUNTY

Court of General Sessions

Robert J. Bonds, Circuit Court Judge

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APPELLATE CASE NO. 2021-001306

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The State,

Respondent,

v.

Alexander Rhue, Jr.,

Appellant,

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION TO ORDER THE TRANSCRIPT

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The undersigned counsel respectfully requests a thirty-day extension in which to order the transcript in the above-referenced case. In support of this motion, counsel would respectfully show the Court the following extraordinary circumstances:

1. After discussions with Appellant and his family, it was decided that the best course of action was to have the South Carolina Commission on Indigent Defense, Appellate Defense Division represent Appellant (as they are with his co-defendant.) On November 13, 2021, undersigned counsel sent Appellant the complete application packet with detailed instructions on how to apply to have an attorney appointed to him. Counsel also included a stamped envelope addressed to the Commission on Indigent Defense to assist Appellant.

2. On November 29, 2021 undersigned counsel requested an extension to order the transcript while Appellant's application was pending.
3. Appellant's application was received, however it was incomplete, and the Commission on Indigent Defense reached out to Appellant to supplement the record.
4. The supplemented materials supplied by Appellant lack the required notarization and the Commission has again written to Appellant with instructions on how to correct this deficiency.
5. It is believed that the Commission will soon be able to assume the defense of this matter and order the transcript in this matter. Upon information and belief, the transcript of the co-defendant has been timely ordered.
6. This request is made in good faith, and not for any dilatory purpose.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty-day extension to allow Appellant to return the completed and notarized affidavit of indigency. Counsel respectfully requests that the time delays for ordering the transcript be held in abeyance pending the ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,



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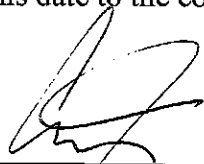
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing Petition for Extension of Time to Order the Transcript was served via email on this date to the counsel listed below.

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