

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE SUPREME COURT

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Certiorari to Chesterfield County
Honorable Michael G. Nettles, Circuit Court Judge

S.C. SUPREME COURT

BRENTON X. DAVIS,

PETITIONER,

V.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESPONDENT

Appellate Case No. 2021-001157

MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME
IN WHICH TO FILE THE PETITION FOR WRIT OF
CERTIORARI AND APPENDIX

Counsel for petitioner respectfully requests an extension of thirty (30) days in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case. This motion is made pursuant to the Order of the South Carolina Supreme Court dated March 18, 2009. This is a second request for an extension. In support of this request, counsel shows:

1. The petition for writ of certiorari and appendix are due to be served and filed with the Court today.
2. Counsel for petitioner respectfully submits that extraordinary circumstances exist which warrant the granting of an additional extension of time. Given the number of extensions previously granted and the order in which counsel attempts to manage his caseload, counsel hopes that no further extension requests will be required.

3. Counsel will file the initial brief of appellant in the case of Jeffrey Owens with the Court of Appeals today, April 11, 2022. Counsel filed the reply brief of petitioner in the case of Edward Maurice Dunn, Jr. v. The State with the Court of Appeals on March 31, 2022. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in the case of David Boggs v. The State with the Supreme Court on February 22, 2022. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in the case of Carrol T. Washington v. The State with the Supreme Court on February 22, 2022. Counsel filed the Anders brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. Joshua A. Kelly with this Court on February 3, 2022. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in the case of Demarcus Robinson v. The State with the Supreme Court on January 25, 2022. Counsel filed the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter in the case of State v. George Robert Leach with this Court on December 22, 2021. Counsel filed the brief of petitioner in the case of Edward M. Dunn, Jr., v. State with this Court on December 20, 2021. Counsel filed the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in the case of Jermaine Harris v. The State with the Supreme Court on December 10, 2021.

4. Counsel makes this request in good faith and not for purpose of delay.

5. 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 March 30, 2022 for all Appellate Defense extensions through April 30, 2022.

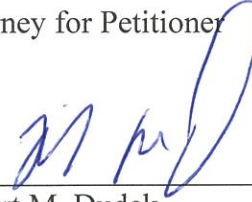
WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty day extension, in which to file the petition for writ of certiorari and appendix in this case based upon the above exigent circumstances. Counsel requests that time limits for filing the petition be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,

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Victor R. Seeger
Appellate Defender

Attorney for Petitioner

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Robert M. Dudek
Chief Appellate Defender

This 11th day of April, 2022