To: Office of the Clerk U.S. Supreme Court

From: Patrick L. Booker#297590 Kirkland REE Center 4344 Broad River Road Columbia, S. C. 29210

AND Patrick L. Booker 103 Rock Knoll Drive Greenwood, S.C. 29649

Date: Friday, December 13th 2024

Re: Request for Extension of Time to File Petition for Writ of Certionari

Dear Clerk:

Please accept this letter as my formal request to be provided a forty-five (45) day extension of time in which to file a petition for a writ of certiorari. My current 90-day deadline is set to expire on December 23, 2024 (i.e., 90 days from September 24, 2024 (the state court's final judgment).

The basis for my request is that there was a significant delay (approximately 40 days) in the delivery of the state court's final judgment to me — due to change of my address. The clerk's office mailed the judgment to the jail; I had been movement to the jail; I had been movement to the jail; I had been movement.

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The final state court judgment was returned (by the U.S.P.S.) to the clerk's office which re-mailed it to me; I did not receive the judgment (or notice of it) until November 5th, 2024.

(NOTE: I promptly made out a similar letter/extension request to this office and meant to send it on November 12th, 2024 but I "inadvertently" mailed it to U.S. District Court in Columbia, South Garolina while also "indvertently" mailed to you mailed intended for the U.S. District Court. I was sort of in a hurried state at the time of mailing because I was at the nailroom window (with many prisoners behind me at the window) and was speaking with the mailroom clerk as I was placing the mail inside each envelope. I am sorry).

I an enclosing a copy of the lower court

## The Supreme Court of South Carolina

In the Matter of Patrick L. Booker, Respondent.

Appellate Case No. 2024-001505

**ORDER** 

We find Respondent Patrick L. Booker, despite repeated warnings, willfully disrupted and interfered with this Court's judicial proceedings on September 11, 2024. Accordingly, we find Respondent guilty of direct criminal contempt and sentence him to confinement for a period of six months.

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A.J.

Charleston, South Carolina September 11, 2024

cc: Patrick L. Booker
Sheriff Kristin Graziano
South Carolina Attorney General's Office

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S.C. SUPREME COURT

ORDER

Petitioner has filed a motion to reconsider the Court's holding of Petitioner in criminal contempt. The motion to reconsider is denied.

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McCoy, A.J., not participating

Columbia, South Carolina September 24, 2024

cc:

Alan McCrory Wilson Donald J. Zelenka Patrick Lee Booker To: Clerk, U.S. Supreme Court 1 First Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20543

From: Patrick Booker, #297590 Kirkland R&E Center 4344 Broad River Road Columbia, S.C. 29210

Date: November 8th, 2024

Re: Request for Extension of Time to File Petition for Writ of Certiorari

Dear Clerk:

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The Supreme Court of South Carolina issued a judgment on September 11, 2024. I timely petitioned for reconsideration on September 19, 2024 which that court denied by Order dated September 24, 2024. However, due to a change in my address, the mail from the clerk's office (containing the Order dated 9/24/24) was returned the clerk's office (as "Return to Sender/Attempted - Not Known / Unable to Forward") on October 22, 2024. The clerk's office stamped the Order as "Received October 22, 2024" and re-mailed the Order (along with the post-marked Return to Sender envelope) to me that same day. I received the 9/24/24 Order on November 5th, 2024. Because of the

Significant delay in my the delivery of the 9/24/24 Order, the Postal Director of the prison completed a verification of reciept of legal correspondence for me.

My question to this office is: Will you please extend the 90-day time limit by forty-five (45) days - or ask the chief justice to do so - in order that I may have ample time (90 days) to prepare and file a certiorari petition? Regardless, Please notify me of my deadline based upon the above.

(NOTE: If this request is granted on the condition that I send in "proof" of all of the above, along with the certiorari petition, I would be very thankful.)

I hope to hear from you all soon.

Thank you, Patrick L. Booker