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VIA EMAIL AND US MAIL

Honorable Patricia A. Howard
Clerk, South Carolina Supreme Court
PO Box 11330
Columbia, SC 29211
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RE: Cruz et al v. City of Columbia
Appellate Case No. 2022-001494

Dear Ms. Howard,

This letter is to request an extension of fifteen (15) days, through Thursday, December 8, 2022, to file and serve a Return to Petitioners' Petition for Certiorari on behalf of Respondent City of Columbia in the above-referenced matter. This is the City's first request for an extension of time of this filing deadline. Petitioner's counsel consents to this request. (*See* attached e-mail.)

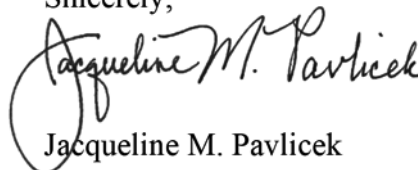
An extension of time is needed to enable the undersigned counsel for the City to meet other court deadlines and work-related obligations to prepare for an unanticipated medical procedure and related medical leave.

I am enclosing a copy of this request with a \$50.00 check for the filing fee, which I am placing in today's mail.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

With warm regards,

Sincerely,



Jacqueline M. Pavlicek

JMP/jlw

Enclosure(s): As stated

cc: W. Allen Nickles, III; Nancy Bloodgood; Christopher James Bryant; Susan K. Dunn