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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM RICHLAND COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

Alison Renee Lee, Circuit Court Judge

Appellate Case No. 2023-000104

Paul Roy Osmundson..... Appellant,

vs.

School District 5 of Lexington and Richland Counties..... Respondent.

MOTION TO EXTEND DEADLINE TO SERVE AND FILE
APPELLANT’S INITIAL BRIEF AND DESIGNATION OF
MATTER TO BE INCLUDED IN RECORD ON APPEAL

Appellant hereby moves pursuant to Rule 263(b), SCACR, for a 30-day extension of the time in which to serve and file the Appellant’s initial brief and designation of matter to be included in the record on appeal. The grounds for this motion are that there is good cause to grant the requested extension, as the following shows:

1. This is an appeal from an Order of the Richland County Court of Common Pleas. Appellant filed its Notice of Appeal on January 24, 2023¹, making Appellant’s deadline to file its brief February 23, 2023.

2. Appellant seeks a thirty (30) day extension of this deadline, to and including March 25, 2023, due to recent work travel of its undersigned counsel and counsel’s heavy workload.

¹ Appellant received the transcript in this matter prior to the filing of its Notice of Appeal.

Appellant does not anticipate needing or requesting any further extensions.

3. This is the first extension sought of this deadline.

4. There is good cause for the requested extension.

5. The undersigned has served this document on opposing counsel by email to registered AIS email address on the date given below.

WHEREFORE Appellant prays for an order extending the time in which to serve and file the Appellant's initial brief and designation of matter to be included in the record on appeal until March 25, 2023.

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I have served the foregoing motion for extension on the date given below by emailing it to counsel for the Respondent at the address(es) noted below.

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