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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings  
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RE: Tosha Gary v. Richland County Sheriff Leon Lott, in his Official Capacity  
Civil Action Number: 2011-CP-40-0890  
Claim Number: 1001131-001  
Our File Number: 314.8705

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

This letter is to request a thirty-day extension of the deadline set by Rule 207(a)(1), SCACR, for the ordering of the trial transcript with respect to the above-referenced appeal. In order to pursue this appeal, the Appellant Leon Lott will require a copy of trial transcript. However, prior to incurring the expense of the transcript, the undersigned counsel would like the opportunity to discuss with the Respondent's counsel whether there is any potential for compromise and settlement of the matter on appeal. The undersigned counsel has attempted to contact Respondent's counsel to broach the issue but understands that counsel is currently on leave and out-of-state for National Guard duty.

I was unable to obtain the consent of Respondent's counsel given his unavailability as discussed above. However, under the circumstances, it is not anticipated that the Appellant would object to the brief extension as requested for purposes of exploring a possible resolution of this matter.

If you require a formal motion, please advise. I am enclosing my firm's check in the amount of \$25.00 for the filing fee for this extension request.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

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Sincerely,

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