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Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
South Carolina Court of Appeals
Post Office Box 11629
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Re: *James E. Fender v. Larry R. Hoffman, et al.*
Appellate Case No.: 2023-000246

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

My Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter are due to be served and filed on July 29, 2023. Given that is a Saturday, the next business day that is not a holiday, would be Monday, July 31, 2023. I am writing to request a 30-day extension in which to file. If granted the new due date would be Wednesday, August 30, 2023. The deadline has not been extended previously. Respondent's counsel has consented to this request.

Pursuant to paragraph (c) of the Supreme Court's administrative order dated May 6, 2022 ("Methods of Electronic Filing and Service Under Rule 262 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules") a check for the filing fee is being forwarded separately via US mail.

Please let me know if I need a more formal motion.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of this request. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

s/ Allen Jackson Barnes

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