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The Honorable Patricia A. Howard
Clerk of Court, S.C. Supreme Court
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S.C. SUPREME COURT

**Re: Margaret Eberly v. D.R. Horton, Inc.
Appellate Case No. 2022-001719
RPR File No.: 007534-49**

Dear Ms. Howard:

As counsel for the Respondent, Hutton's Landscapes, Inc., in the above-referenced matter, we respectfully request a 20-day extension of time in which to serve and file our Brief of Respondent. The Brief of Respondent is currently due on Friday, August 18, 2023. However, with a 20-day extension of time, it would be due on Thursday, September 7, 2023.

We find it necessary to request this extension because the undersigned's child was hospitalized this summer, has been undergoing continuing treatment, and is currently on medical homebound from school. Accordingly, the undersigned has a current backlog of work. This is our first request for an extension.

I am enclosing the \$50.00 filing fee and thank you for your consideration of this request. By copy of this letter, I am notifying counsel of record of this request.

Sincerely,

/s Carmen V. Ganjehsani

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