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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
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SC Court of Appeals

Re: **Michelle Glass v. Mike's Landscaping Service, Inc., et al.**
Appellate Case No. 2023-001380
Case No.: 2020-CP-16-00507

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

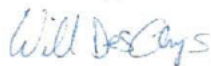
Appellants Richard Jones and Jones & Taylor, Insurance, Inc. d/b/a Jones & Taylor Insurance (collectively, "Jones & Taylor") pursuant to Rules 240(a) and 263(b), SCACR, respectfully, and with the consent of Respondent, request an extension of time of ninety (90) days within which to file their Initial Brief and Designation of Matter to be included in the Record on Appeal. This is Appellants' first request for an extension of time within which to file their Initial Brief and Designation of Matter to be included in the Record on Appeal, and counsel for Respondent Michelle Glass has indicated he consents to the requested extension.

Presently, Appellants' Initial Brief and Designation of Matter to be included in the Record on Appeal must be filed with the Court on or before February 6, 2024. However, the outcome of the third-party claims in this action may affect whether the matters subject to this Notice of Appeal become moot, and under a Scheduling Order in this action the third-party claims are subject to being called for trial on February 12, 2024. Therefore, Appellants request, and Respondent consents, in the interest of judicial economy and efficiency that Appellants' deadline be extended several months beyond when the third-party claims are subject to being called for trial. Therefore, Appellants are requesting an order granting an extension of ninety (90) days to file their Initial Brief and Designation of Matter to be included in the Record on Appeal, up to and including Monday, May 6, 2024.

Attached to this First Motion for Extension please find, a copy of the Proof of Service, and a check in the amount of \$50.00 for the filing fee. As evidenced by the attached Proof of Service, we are providing counsel for the Respondent with a copy of same.

Thank you for your time and consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,



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