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September 5, 2013

VIA HAND-DELIVERY

The Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings
Clerk of the Court of Appeals
PO Box 11629
Columbia, SC 29211

Re: In the Matter of the Care and Treatment of Dusty Cyr
Appellate Case No. 2012-211486

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The Final Brief of Respondent in the above appeal is due to be served September 5, 2013. However, due to a heavy workload, I am requesting a 30-day extension to file the Respondent's Brief. This is the first extension request at this stage in the process, and it is not intended for the purpose of delay.

I appreciate your consideration of this request and ask that you hold the filing time in abeyance during the time in which this request is pending.

By copy of this letter, I am advising counsel for Appellant of this extension request.

Sincerely,

Deborah R.J. Shupe
Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General

DRJS/sbe

cc: Lanelle Cantey DuRant, Esquire
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