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**VIA HAND DELIVERY**

The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings, Clerk  
South Carolina Court of Appeals  
1015 Sumter Street  
Columbia, SC 29201

Re: Gertrude Shiver v. Palmetto Health Richland, Key Risk Management Services, Inc., Palmetto Hospital Trust Services, Trident Regional Medical Center and Zurich American Insurance Company  
Appellate Tracking No.: 2013-000887  
File No.: 1329.238


Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Our firm represents Respondents Palmetto Health Richland and Key Risk Management Services, Inc. in the above-referenced matter. We are writing to join the request of Respondents Trident Regional Medical Center and Zurich American Insurance Company for clarification of an accurate timeline for deadlines in connection with this matter. To date, undersigned counsel has received Appellant's Initial Brief, which was returned by the Court, as well as her "Addendum to the Initial Brief" and her Designation of Matter. From these filings it is difficult for Respondents to calculate a valid deadline for their Initial Brief and Designation of Matter. For this reason, we are requesting guidance from the Court as well as a stay of deadlines pending the requested timeline. Thank you for your assistance with this matter, and please contact me if you have any questions.

With kind regards, I am

Very truly yours,

TURNER, PADGET, GRAHAM & LANEY, P.A.

  
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