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S.C. SUPREME COURT

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In The Supreme Court

APPEAL FROM HORRY COUNTY  
William H. Seals, Jr., Circuit Court Judge  
Case No. 2024-CP-26-02537

Appellate Case No. 2024-002023

Josephine Isom..... Appellant,

v.

Town of Atlantic Beach Municipal  
Election Commission..... Respondent.

**RESPONDENT’S MOTION FOR  
AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE  
REPLY TO APPELLANT’S REPOSE TO  
INTERVENOR JOHN DAVID’S MOTION  
TO DISMISS OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE  
TO EXPEDITE APPEAL**

TO: THE HONORABLE JUSTICES OF THE SUPREME COURT OF  
SOUTH CAROLINA:

Pursuant to Rule 240, SCACR, Respondent Town of Atlantic Beach  
Municipal Election Commission respectfully moves this Court for an Order  
granting it an extension of time in which to file the Respondent’s Reply to

Appellant Josephine Isom's Response to Intervenor John David's Motion to Dismiss or in the Alternative to Expedite Appeal in the instant case. The deadline to file and serve Respondent's Reply is February 21, 2025. Respondent respectfully requests an extension until March 7, 2025 in which to file and serve Respondent's Reply to Appellant Josephine Isom's Response to Intervenor John David's Motion to Dismiss or in the Alternative to Expedite Appeal.

The grounds for this request for extension are Respondent retained Collins & Lacy, PC on today's date, February 21, 2025, to represent Respondent in this matter and undersigned counsel needs additional time to examine Appellant Josephine Isom's Response to Intervenor John David's Motion to Dismiss or in the Alternative to Expedite Appeal in order to respond to same. For the above reasons, undersigned counsel respectfully requests the Court's assistance with regard to this request for an extension of time until March 7, 2025.

Counsel for Respondent greatly appreciates the Court's time, attention, and assistance with regard to this request.

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Respectfully submitted,

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