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APPEAL FROM DORCHESTER COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

The Honorable Diane Goodstein, First Judicial Circuit
Honorable Maite Murphy, First Judicial Circuit

Appellate Case No. 2023-000879

Molly M. Morphew — Appellant

v.

Stephen Dudek and Doreen Cross — Respondents

APPELLANT'S MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME/LATE FILING OF RETURN

Appellant, Molly Morphew, (herein "Appellant") submits this motion for an extension of time/late filing of the return to Respondents' Motion for Costs on Appeal and Itemized Statement of Costs in the above referenced matter.

On April 8, 2025, this Court issued an Order granting Appellant's Motion to Set Aside Judgment Due to Insufficient Service, where Appellant may serve a return to Respondents' Motion for Costs within ten days of service of or around April 23, 2025. Appellant's father passed and Appellant, executor, and responsible party to settle his estate and funeral arrangements, has been, and still is, in Beaufort, NC at the time the order and motion were sent. On Wednesday, April 30th, after her daughter picked up her mail in Georgia and informed her of the order, Appellant spoke with this court informing

the court that she had not received the order or motion due to the sudden death in the family and that she has been out of town. On Friday, May 2nd, the Appellant received her forwarded/overnighted mail.

Due to the above, Appellant asks this court for an extension of time or permission to file late, her return to the Respondents' Motion for Appellate costs and their Itemized Statement of Costs. Specifically, Appellant asks this court to allow her to file on or before May 13, 2025.

Respectfully Submitted,

Molly M. Morphew, pro se
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Molly M. Morphew, Appellant, pro se for said case, hereby certify that I have, on this date indicated below, served counsel below with Appellant's MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME/LATE FILING OF RETURN by mailing a copy of same via United States Mail, postage prepaid and return address clearly indicated on said envelope, to counsel at the following address:

Zachary Closser, Esquire
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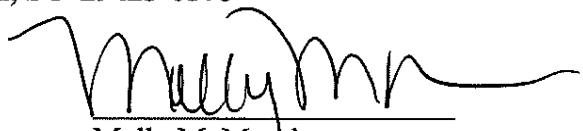

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Re: Appellate Case No. 2023-000879
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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Please find enclosed to be recorded and filed, two (2) copies of Appellant's MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME/LATE FILING OF RETURN, and Certificate of Service.

Also enclosed is a copy of the above to be kindly recorded and returned in the self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Thank you and very truly yours,

Molly Morphew, pro se

Cc: Zachary Closser, Esq.

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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Please find attached a copy of Appellant's MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME/LATE FILING OF RETURN and Certificate of Service.

Appellant has mailed, USPS, the $50.00 filing fee and three (3) hard copies.

Thank you and very truly yours,

Molly Morphew, pro se

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