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In the Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM BEAUFORT COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas

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Bentley D. Price, Circuit Court Judge

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Appellant Case No. 2022-000867  
Case No. 2017-CP-07-01057

SC Court of Appeals

Bittmint, LLC and Harbour Town Surf Shop, LLC,..... Appellants,

v.

Lynda H. Johnson, Charles S. Giannone, and Sea Pines Resort, LLC,..... Respondents.

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**MOTION TO EXTEND TIME FOR RESPONDENTS  
TO PETITION FOR REHEARING**  
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NOW COMES Respondents, Lynda H. Johnson, Charles S. Giannone, and Sea Pines Resort, LLC, (“Respondents”) by and through their undersigned counsel pursuant to Rule 263(b), SCACR,<sup>1</sup> and move for an extension of fifteen (15) days’ time for Respondents to petition for rehearing of this matter, which the Court decided via an unpublished opinion filed July 30, 2025.

Rule 221(a), SCACR, provides that “[p]etitions for rehearing must be actually received by the appellate court no later than fifteen (15) days after the filing of the opinion, order, judgment, or decree of the court.” Based on the July 30, 2025 filing of the Court’s

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<sup>1</sup> In pertinent part, Rule 263(b) provides, “The time prescribed by these Rules for performing any act except the time for serving the notice of appeal under Rules 203 and 243 may be extended or shortened by the appellate court, or by any judge or justice thereof.”

opinion in this case, the present deadline to petition for rehearing is Thursday, August 14, 2025, which, in accordance with Rule 263(a), SCACR (regarding computation of time), is the 15th day after the opinion was filed. Because of work-related and other time commitments, the Court's allowance of fifteen (15) days' additional time for Respondents to petition for rehearing is requested.

It is respectfully submitted that there is good cause for the Court to grant the relief requested herein, as it is, under the circumstances, a reasonable dispensation, timely sought, consistent with the interests of justice, posing no threat of undue prejudice to any other party.

WHEREFORE, it is requested that the Court grant Respondents an extension of 15 days' time to petition for rehearing. By the undersigned's calculations, the granting of this relief would make the new deadline to petition for rehearing Friday, August 29, 2025. Additionally, for the same reasons set forth in support of the within request for an extension of time, it is requested that the Court hold the present deadline for Respondents to petition for rehearing in abeyance until the Court acts on this motion. By copy to opposing counsel, I am informing them of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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August 11, 2025  
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.I, Nancy Jane Dennis, paralegal at Walker, Gressette & Linton, LLC, attorneys for the Respondents, hereby certify that the MOTION TO EXTEND THE TIME FOR RESPONDENTS TO PETITION FOR REHEARING was served on August 11, 2025, on all attorneys for Appellant in this matter via emailing a copy of the same to the following:

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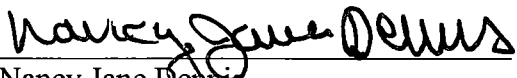
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Re: Bittmint, LLC and Harbour Town Surf Shop, LLC v. Lynda H. Johnson, et al.  
Appellate Case No. 2022-000867

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Our firm represents the Respondents in the above appeal. I have enclosed Respondent's Motion to Extend Time to Petition for Rehearing, requesting an extension of fifteen (15) days for the service and filing of our Petition for Rehearing. Respondents' petition is due Thursday, August 14, 2025. With the extension, the due date would be Friday, August 29, 2025.

By copy to opposing counsel I am notifying them of this request. I have not previously sought an extension for the filing date for our petition.

I have enclosed our firm's check for \$50. Thank you very much for your courtesies in this matter.

Sincerely yours,

WALKER GRESSETTE & LINTON, LLC

John P. Linton, Jr.

Enclosure (Check)

cc: All counsel of record (via e-mail only)

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