

**MOTION FOR EXTENTION**

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
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Appellate Case No.2024-000925

Patrick C. Fant III, Judge, Greenville County  
Trial Case No. 2022-CP-23-03460

Srikanth Pilla, Clemson University International Center Automotive Research (CUICAR),  
Respondent,

V.

Richard Smith, **Appellant**.

APPELLANT RICHARD SMITH'S MOTION TO EXTEND TIME FOR  
RESPONDING TO ALL FINAL BRIEFS, BY RULE 267 of South Carolina  
SC COURT OF APPEALS

I, Richard Smith, Appellant, pursuant to Rule 267, SCACR, move the Court to exten<sup>t</sup> the time for responding to final brief case No. 2024-000925.

Dealing with health issues from my heart attack in May 2025, and rehab until November, which has taking a toll on my family and time with my minor child. I respectfully ask for a minimum 30 days extension.

December 8, 2025

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Filing Appellant's initial brief and designation of matters  
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I, Richard Smith certify, that I have filed an Appellant's motion of extension, case No. 2024-000925, addressed to the South Carolina Court Appeals.

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