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**THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals**

**APPEAL FROM THE SOUTH CAROLINA ADMINISTRATIVE LAW COURT
The Honorable S. Phillip Lenski, Administrative Law Judge
Docket No. 24-ALJ-30-0192-AP**

**Kyndra Sumter Ford,
Educator Certificate No. 184236,
Appellant,**

v.

**South Carolina Department of Education,
Respondent.**

SECOND MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE INITIAL BRIEF

Appellant, by and through undersigned counsel, respectfully moves this Honorable Court for an additional extension of time to file the Appellant's initial brief in the above-captioned matter. In support of this motion, Appellant shows the following:

1. Undersigned counsel has recently been confronted with a succession of emergent hearings and deadlines in unrelated matters.
2. These unforeseen scheduling conflicts have significantly impeded counsel's ability to finalize the necessary research and preparation for the initial brief.
3. This request is made in good faith and not for the purpose of delay, but to ensure that the Appellant may file a thorough and well-prepared brief.
4. Counsel for Appellant therefore respectfully requests an additional thirty (30)-day extension of time to file the initial brief.
5. Counsel further requests that the current deadline be held in abeyance until this Court rules on the present Motion.

WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully requests that this Court grant the Motion and extend the deadline for filing the Appellant's initial brief by an additional thirty (30) days.

Respectfully submitted,

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