

January 15, 2026

RECEIVED**Jan 15 2026****S.C. SUPREME COURT***Via e-mail only:*Honorable Patricia A. Howard
1231 Gervais Street
Columbia, South Carolina 29201
E-mail: supctfilings@sccourts.orgRE: Bobby Blakney v. City of Rock Hill
C/A #: 20-CP-46-01803
Appellate Case No. 2025-000032

Dear Clerk Howard:

This letter is to request a thirty-one (31) day extension of time to file the Appellant's brief and Appendix in this matter. If extension is granted, our new due date would be February 16, 2026.

The grounds for the request are that this counsel has been busy since Christmas with elderly out of state parents and their health, future care and housing situation in North Carolina. I spent two weeks in North Carolina trying to get this sorted out over Christmas and have spent many hours continuing to work on this since returning to South Carolina. Currently, my mother is scheduled to move into a nursing home this weekend and her husband will be released from the hospital where he has been for three weeks with a safety plan in effect to go into the same nursing home this weekend. Unfortunately, this situation required a lot of trips, attention, meetings, discussions and planning to get everything arranged for their health and safety.

Our firm's check for the \$50.00 filing fee will be sent to the Court today via U.S. Mail.

Very truly yours,

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