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**Via Electronic Mail**

The Honorable Jenny Abott Kitchings  
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals  
P.O. Box 11629  
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**Re: *DeWeerd v. Beaufort County Assessor*  
Appellate Case No. 2025-002588**

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed please find Appellant's motion for a thirty-day extension, along with the corresponding proof of service. Currently, the deadline is January 29, 2026. If granted, the deadline will be February 28, 2026. A check for the filing fee is being delivered via courier to the Court.

Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

*s/John R. Alphin*

John R. Alphin, Esquire

cc: Dylan Kidd (via email)

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