

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM LEXINGTON COUNTY  
Circuit Court for the Eleventh Judicial Circuit

Walton J. McLeod, Circuit Court Judge

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Appellate Case Number: 2025-001470

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**SC Court of Appeals**

M.C. Blease, Individually, and as Co-Trustee of the M.C. Blease et. al. Trust, the M.C. Blease BMB Irrevocable Trust, the M.C. Blease BMB Revocable Trust; Connie B. Reames, Individually, and as Co-Trustee of the M.C. Blease et. al. Trust, the M.C. Blease BMB Irrevocable Trust, the M.C. Blease BMB Revocable Trust; Rufus Eugene Trotter, as Co-Trustee of the M.C. Blease BMB Irrevocable Trust, the M.C. Blease BMB Revocable Trust; Alexis B. Gunter, Joseph B. Hammond, Charlton B. Sample, Sue B. Sample, Russel L. Sample, and John B. Crawford,

Appellants,

vs.

Little Giant ATM, Inc., Samuel Sturkie, Jackson, Jr., Samuel Sturkie Jackson, III, Daniel Frank" Shumpert, III, Daniel F. Shumpert, IV, Steven Davis, Boss Ramsey, John Quick, Dale Young, and D.M. Skip Mayes,

Respondents.

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**APPELLANTS' MOTION TO FILE RETURN TO RESPONDENT LITTLE GIANT  
ATM, INC.'S MOTION TO DISMISS APPEAL AS INTERLOCUTORY OUT OF TIME**

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Appellants respectfully move this Court for permission to file and serve their Return to Respondent Little Giant ATM, Inc.'s Motion to Dismiss Appeal as Interlocutory out of time.

Appellants' motion is based on the grounds that Counsel for Appellants was in trial and inadvertently missed the deadline to file the return on March 2, 2026. The error was noted on March 4, 2026, and counsel immediately took action to resolve the error. A copy of the return is filed with this motion.

WHEREFORE, the Appellants respectfully request that they be granted permission to file their return to Respondent Little Giant ATM, Inc.'s Motion to Dismiss out of time.

Respectfully submitted,

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