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APPEAL FROM SPARTANBURG COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

Grace Gilchrist Knie, Circuit Court Judge

Appellate Case No. 2025-001716

Andrea Allen, as Personal Representative of the
Estate of Albert Charles Jefferies, deceased Respondent,

v.

Chi Hun Lim, M.D., Megan Nicholas, P.A., Carolina Orthopaedic and Neurosurgical Associates
P.A., and Carolina Orthopaedic and Neurosurgical Associates, ASC, LLC Appellants.

**APPELLANT CAROLINA ORTHOPAEDIC AND NEUROSURGICAL
ASSOCIATES, ASC, LLC'S THIRD MOTION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
THE INITIAL BRIEF AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER**

Pursuant to Rule 263, SCACR, Appellant Carolina Orthopaedic and Neurosurgical Associates, ASC, LLC (CONA ASC, LLC), by and through its undersigned counsel, respectfully requests an extension of the April 27, 2026 deadline to file its initial brief and designation of matter. This is CONA ASC, LLC's third—and final—request for an extension of the deadline.

The basis for this request is that the parties have scheduled a mediation for April 23, 2026. Although the parties tried to schedule the mediation sooner, it was not possible due to Carolina Orthopaedic and Neurosurgical Associates, P.A.'s substitution of counsel and the conflicting schedules of multiple counsel. CONA ASC, LLC seeks the same extension other Appellants have received. *E.g.*, Order Gr. Ext. to Nicholas, App. No. 2025-001717 (Apr. 20, 2026). With the extension, CONA ASC, LLC's initial brief and designation of matter would be due May 13, 2026.

Accordingly, for good cause shown, CONA ASC, LLC respectfully requests that the Court stay the current deadline and grant this motion for an extension until May 13, 2026 to file its initial brief and designation of matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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PROOF OF SERVICE

Pursuant to Rule 262(c)(2), SCACR, I certify that I have served Carolina Orthopaedic and
Neurosurgical Associates, ASC, LLC's Third Motion for Extension to File the Initial Brief and
Designation of Matter on the following counsel of record by email on April 21, 2026.

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Dear Counsel:

Pursuant to Rule 262(c)(3), SCACR, attached for service is Carolina Orthopaedic and Neurosurgical Associates, ASC, LLC's Third Motion for Extension of Time to the File Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter being filed in the Court of Appeals of South Carolina today.

A copy of this email will be filed with the Proof of Service.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Thanks,

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