

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COURT OF APPEALS
CASE No: 2025-001299

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SC Court of Appeals

Attia Elbadawy and Lynne Chatlos,
Appellants,

v.

D.R. Horton, Inc.,
Respondents,

v

Dorchester County,
Third Party Respondents,

**APPELLANTS' RESPONSE IN OPPOSITION TO RESPONDENT'S
MOTION FOR ENLARGEMENT OF TIME**

Appellants respectfully oppose Respondent's Motion for Enlargement of Time.

Respondent seeks an additional thirty (30) days to file its Initial Brief; however, such request is unwarranted and unsupported by good cause.

Respondent has already been afforded additional time in connection with the Designation of Matter to be Included in the Record on Appeal. Specifically, the relevant materials were served upon Respondent on April 12, 2026, and supplemented on April 21, 2026. The Court has already recognized this timeframe as sufficient.

Despite receiving these materials, Respondent failed to raise any issue, objection, or request for clarification at or near the time of service. Instead, Respondent waited approximately two weeks before filing the present Motion, attempting to use the same materials as a basis for further delay.

This lack of diligence undermines any claim of good cause. A party acting in good faith would have promptly notified Appellants or the Court of any alleged deficiency, rather than remaining silent and later seeking an additional thirty (30) days. Respondent should not be permitted to benefit from its own delay.

Furthermore, Respondent's request is excessive. The extension sought would move the deadline to June 12, 2026, resulting in a substantial and unnecessary delay in the progression of this appeal. Appellants have a right to a timely resolution, and further delay is prejudicial.

Accordingly, Appellants respectfully request that the Court deny Respondent's Motion for Enlargement of Time.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

We, certify that a copy of the foregoing was served upon all parties of record this 8th day of May 2026.

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