

SOUTH CARLOINA COURT OF APPEALS

Request for Clarification Regarding Pending Motions and Appellate Deadlines

CASE No. 2025-001299

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To the Clerk of the South Carolina Court of Appeals:

Dear Clerk:

Because several motions remain pending and briefing deadlines may be affected by those unresolved motions, Appellants respectfully request clarification and guidance from the Court regarding how they should proceed.

On April 17, 2026, Appellants filed a Motion to Correct the Caption and Supplement the Record on Appeal. In that motion, Appellants requested that Dorchester County be properly reflected in the caption and that filings submitted prior to the Motion to Reconsider be included within the designation of matter on appeal and the record to be reviewed by the

Court. To date, Appellants have not received a ruling or other direction regarding that motion.

On May 8, 2026, Respondent D.R. Horton filed a Motion for Extension of Time to file its Initial Brief. Appellants filed an objection on the same date. Appellants are unaware of any order granting or denying the requested extension.

On May 13, 2026, D.R. Horton filed a Motion to Vacate the Temporary Injunction. On June 9, 2026, the Court entered an order granting that motion and vacating the injunction.

Thereafter, on June 12, 2026, D.R. Horton filed its Initial Brief and Designation of Matter on Appeal. D R Horton has included the Order Vacating the Injunction on their Designation of Matter on Appeal.

Appellants subsequently filed a Motion to Strike Respondent's Initial Brief as untimely. Appellants also filed a Motion to Compel Dorchester County to file an Initial Brief. To the best of Appellants' knowledge, those motions remain pending.

Appellants respectfully request clarification regarding:

1. The status of the April 17, 2026 Motion to Correct the Caption and Supplement the Record?.
2. The status of the May 8, 2026 Motion for Extension of Time and Appellants' objection thereto?:
3. The status of Appellants' Motion to Strike Respondent's Initial Brief?:
4. The status of Appellants' Motion to Compel Dorchester County to file an Initial Brief?:
5. Whether the June 12, 2026 Initial Brief filed by D.R. Horton is deemed timely?; and
6. Whether the deadline for Appellants' Reply Brief is presently running or whether briefing deadlines will be held in abeyance pending resolution of the outstanding motions?.

Appellants respectfully request clarification before additional briefing deadlines expire so that they may fully comply with the Court's rules and orders.

Respectfully submitted,

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