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Via Appellate Case Management System

Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk of Court
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Re: Bear Island Distributors, LLC v. Lincoln & South Brewing Co., LLC
Appellate Case No. 2025-000792
Circuit Court Case No. 2025-CP-07-00051

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

I write on behalf of Appellant Bear Island Distributors, LLC in response to the Court's July 15, 2026 correspondence advising that the above-captioned appeal may be scheduled for the November 2026 term of court.

The parties have executed a confidential settlement agreement resolving the appeal and the underlying action. The parties are presently completing the remaining performance required under the settlement agreement, including payment of the settlement consideration. Once the remaining settlement obligations have been completed, the parties intend to promptly file an agreed dismissal of the appeal pursuant to Rule 260(b), SCACR.

Although the appeal is not yet ripe for dismissal, I wanted to notify the Court of the settlement before the matter is placed on an oral-argument roster. To the extent administratively feasible, Appellant respectfully requests that the Court refrain from scheduling the appeal while the parties finalize performance of the settlement agreement.

I have provided a copy of this letter to counsel for Respondent Lincoln & South Brewing Co., LLC for review, and Respondent has advised that it has no objection to the relief requested herein.

The parties will promptly file their agreed dismissal once the remaining settlement obligations have been completed. Appellant will also promptly notify the Court should the settlement not be consummated.

Respectfully submitted,

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