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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM CHESTER COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas
The Honorable Thomas W. McGee, III
Circuit Court Judge

Appellate Case No.: 2025-002548
Trial Court Case No. 2023-CP-12-00288

Mary Simpson Carpenter Crowder, by and through
Michael Paul Swearingen, as Special Administrator
For the Estate of Mary Simpson Carpenter CrowderAppellant,

v.

Cedar Grove Baptist Church, Deacons of Cedar Grove
Baptist Church, a/k/a Cedar Grove Providence Church,
SCBT and South State Bank Respondents,

And

Cedar Grove Baptist Church as Third-Party Plaintiff.....Respondent,

v.

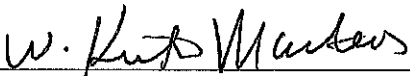
James Wylie Crowder, III, as Third-Party DefendantAppellant.

RESPONDENT CEDAR GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH'S MOTION TO EXTEND
TIME TO PREPARE AND SERVE INITIAL BRIEF AND DESIGNATION OF
MATTER

Respondent Cedar Grove Baptist Church, by and through its undersigned counsel, moves for an extension of time through September 25, 2026 to prepare and serve Respondent's Initial Brief and Designation of Matter. In support of this motion, Counsel would show that he requires additional time to adequately prepare the Brief and Designation because of prior deadlines in other cases, as well as having Protected leave for the week of September 15, 2026 for a family vacation. Counsel certifies that prior to

filing this Motion, he consulted with Miles E. Coleman and Mayme-Elizabeth Dubose Medlock, attorneys for Appellants, and that they consent to the extension request.

August 6, 2026



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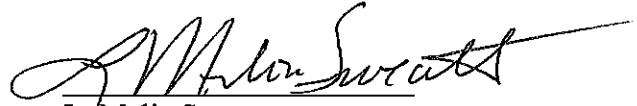
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned, an employee of Hamilton Martens, LLC certifies that the Motion of Respondent for Extension of Time to Prepare and Serve their Initial Brief and Designation of Matter was served upon the Appellants by depositing same in the United States Mail, with sufficient postage affixed and addressed as follows:

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This the 6th day of August, 2026.


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