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APPEAL FROM RICHLAND COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

The Honorable Daniel M. Coble

Appellate Case No. 2026-001276

Zillow, Inc.....Respondent,

v.

Richland County, South Carolina .....Appellant.

APPELLANT'S MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE REPLY BRIEF

Pursuant to Rules 208, 209, 240 and 263(b) of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (SCACR), and in accordance with Rule 262(a)(3) of the SCACR and Supreme Court Order 2024-04-24-01, Appellant Richland County, South Carolina (Appellant) respectfully requests a thirty (30) day extension of the deadline to serve and file its initial Reply Brief.

The grounds for this request are that (1) Appellant's counsel M. Elizabeth Crum is out of the country the week of September 28, 2026; and (2) Appellant's counsel Michael Burchstead will be traveling out of the country from October 6 to October 20, 2026; and (3) Mr. Burchstead, on July 20, 2026, requested and received confirmation of secure leave from the Supreme Court from October 5, 2026, to October 23, 2026. For those reasons, counsel for Appellant require additional time to properly and adequately prepare the brief.

The current deadline for the filing of Appellant's Reply Brief is October 9, 2026. If the request for a 30-day extension is granted, the new deadline would be November 9, 2026. Appellant has previously requested and received an extension of time to file its Initial Brief and Designation of Matter, and it does not anticipate any further extension requests. Prior to filing this Motion, the undersigned counsel reached out to counsel for Respondent, who does not object to this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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