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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM NEWBERRY COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas

Eugene C. Griffith, Jr., Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2024-CP-36-00087  
Appellate Case No. 2024-001360

Abdellah El Farissi..... Appellant,

v.

Newberry College ..... Respondent.

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**Respondent's Motion for Extension of Time to file Return to Writ of Certiorari**

The Respondent, Newberry College, by and through the undersigned counsel, respectfully moves this Honorable Court pursuant to Rule 240, SCACR, for an order extending the time to file the Return to the Petition for a Writ of Certiorari. In support of this Motion, Respondent shows the Court as follows:

1. The Respondent's Return to the Petition for a Writ of Certiorari is currently due **October 15, 2026**.
2. Respondent respectfully requests a twenty (20) day extension of time, up to and including **November 4, 2026**, to complete and file the Return.
3. Good cause exists for this request due to ongoing family medical matters requiring counsel's personal attention. Accordingly, the undersigned counsel respectfully requests additional time to complete the necessary work.

4. This motion is made in good faith and not for the purpose of unnecessary delay.

5. Undersigned counsel has consulted with Pro Se Appellant, Abdellah El Farissi, who **consents** to this requested extension.

Accordingly, Respondent respectfully requests that this Court grant a twenty (20) day extension of time, extending the deadline to file the Return to the Petition up to and including **November 4, 2026**.

Respectfully Submitted,

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