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The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse  
Clerk of Court  
Supreme Court of South Carolina  
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**S.C. SUPREME COURT**

RE: Holmes v. East Cooper Comm. Hosp., Inc., et al.  
Case No. 2010-CP-10-03410  
Appellate Case No. 2011-198092; Appellate Case No. 2012-209666

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

Please be advised that this firm represents Respondents East Cooper Community Hospital, Inc. and Tenet HealthSystem Medical, Inc. ("Respondents") in the above-captioned appeal. Respondents' return to Appellant's petition for rehearing is currently due on April 21, 2014. I am writing to request a ten (10) day extension of this deadline. By my calculation, the extended deadline would be May 1, 2014. Respondents have not previously requested or received an extension of this deadline.

I have enclosed our firm's check in the amount of \$25.00 to cover the filing fee for this request. By copy of this letter to Appellant's counsel of record, I am advising him of this request. Your courtesies and consideration of this matter are greatly appreciated.

With kindest regards, I remain,

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