

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

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Appeal from Greenville County

The Honorable G. Edward Welmaker, Circuit Court Judge

THE STATE,

RESPONDENT,

V.

ERICK E. HEWINS,

APPELLANT

Appellate Case No. 2013-000224

PETITION FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
APPELLANT'S REPLY BRIEF

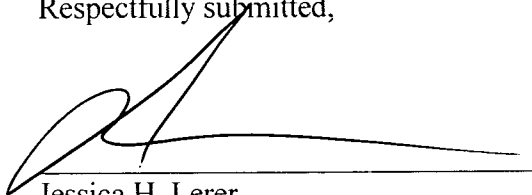
The undersigned counsel respectfully requests a fourteen (14) day extension to file the reply to the Respondent's initial brief designation of matter in the above-referenced case. In support of this motion, counsel would respectfully show the Court the following extraordinary circumstances:

1. Counsel for Appellant, Ms. Jessica H. Lerer, received Respondent's Initial Brief via United States Mail on Thursday April, 17, 2014.
2. Counsel for Appellant requests additional time to properly respond to this matter,
3. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay. Furthermore, Counsel has relayed to Appellant her intention to seek an extension in the reply brief deadline of this matter.

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WHEREFORE, the undersigned counsel would respectfully request a thirty day extension. Counsel further requests that the time limits for filing the initial brief of appellant and designation of matter be held in abeyance pending a ruling on this motion.

Respectfully submitted,

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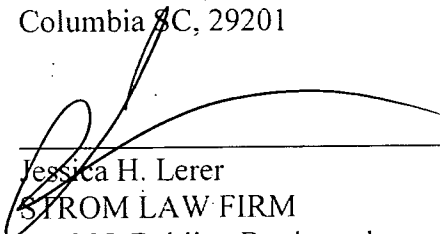
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day filed Appellant's motion for extension to file reply brief with or served a copy thereof on the persons named herein, by forwarding via United States Mail, to the places and addresses listed below:

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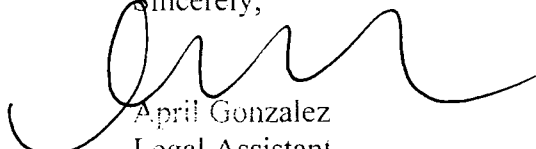
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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

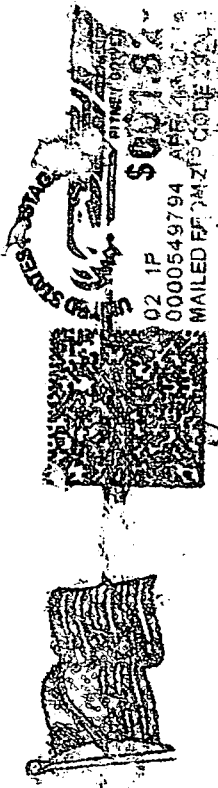
Enclosed please find the original and six (6) copies of our Petition for Extension to File Appellant's Reply Brief in the above reference matter.

Please do not hesitate to contact attorney Jessica H. Lerer should you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter.

Sincerely,


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