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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM GEORGETOWN COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

Larry B. Hyman, Jr., Circuit Court Judge

CASE NO. 2013-CP-22-001231

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MELANIE J. NEWMAN, MELISSA J. ARCE, WINONA M. NEWMAN,
AND CHRISTOPHER J. NEWMAN..... Appellants

vs.

VIRGINIA K. NEWMAN, INDIVIDUALLY AND VIRGINIA K. NEWMAN,
AS PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ESTATE OF
JOHN PERCY NEWMAN..... Respondents

IN RE: ESTATE OF JOHN PERCY NEWMAN

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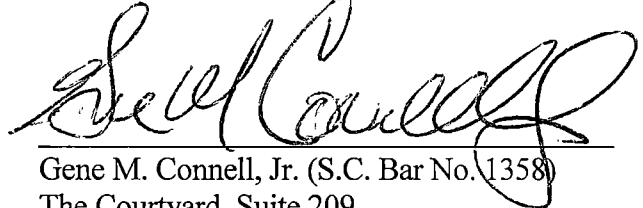
MOTION TO EXTEND TIME TO FILE APPELLANTS'
INITIAL BRIEF AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the undersigned, as counsel for the
Appellants, moves this Court for an Order extending the time to file Appellants' Initial Brief

and Designation of Matter in the captioned case. The basis of this request is that counsel's trial schedule has been hectic and that counsel has been preparing for a trial which is scheduled to start February 22, 2016. Counsel further has been designated as a speaker to the South Carolina Bar Association on Tuesday, February 23, 2016. Further, the record is voluminous in this matter.

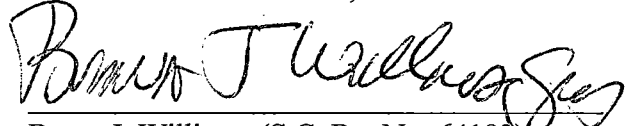
WHEREFORE, counsel for Appellants respectfully requests this Court issue its Order granting Appellants additional time to file and serve their Initial Brief and Designation of Matter and thus extending the time until March 30, 2016.

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PROOF OF SERVICE

PERSONALLY appeared before me, Shelia Y. McCumbee, who being duly sworn,
deposes and says that she is an employee of KELAHER, CONNELL & CONNOR, P.C.,
Attorneys at Law, and that she has served a **Motion to Extend Time to File Appellants'**

Initial Brief and Designation of Matter on the Respondent, through her attorney of record,
by depositing a copy of same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, to:


Charles O. Nation, II, Esquire
NATION LAW FIRM
Post Office Drawer 1657
Georgetown, SC 29442

DATE OF MAILING: February 23, 2016



Shelia Y. McCumbee

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED before me,
this 23rd day of February, 2016.



Notary Public for South Carolina
My Commission Expires: 6/11/24

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The Honorable Jenny Abbot Kitchings
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Re: Appellate Case No. 2015-000873

*Melanie J. Newman, Melissa J. Arce, Winona M. Newman and Christopher J. Newman In
Re: Estate of John Percy Newman vs. Virginia K. Newman, Individually and Virginia K.
Newman, As Personal Representatives of The Estate Of John Percy Newman*

AND

*Virginia K. Newman, Individually and Virginia K. Newman, As Personal Representatives of
The Estate Of John Percy Newman V. Melanie J. Newman, Melissa J. Arce, Winona M.
Newman and Christopher J. Newman In Re: Estate of John Percy Newman*

Case No. 2013-CP-22-1231

Our File No. 2015-105-C

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed please find an original and seven (7) copies of a Motion to Extend Time to File Appellants' Initial Brief and Designation of Matter and Proof of Service in the above-captioned matter. I also enclose a check for \$25.00 for the filing fee. Please return a filed copy to me in the self-addressed, stamped envelope enclosed for your convenience.

By copy of this letter, we hereby serve a copy of the above-stated documents on counsel of record.

With best regards, I am

Sincerely yours,



Gene M. Connell, Jr.

GMC,Jr.:sm

Enclosures

cc with enc.: Charles O. Nation, II, Esquire
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