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Appellate Case No.: 2016-001247

Thomas Contreras, Claimant, ..... Appellant,

v.

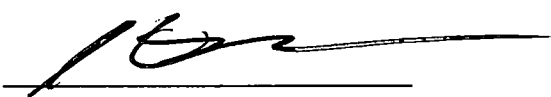
St. John's Fire District Commission, Employer, and  
State Accident Fund, Carrier, ..... Respondents.

**SECOND MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE  
APPELLANT'S INITIAL BRIEF AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER**

Appellant, by and through his undersigned attorney, hereby moves before this Honorable Court for a 30-day extension in which to file the Initial Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter to be included in the Record on Appeal. The Brief is currently due on August 10, 2016. If the extension is granted, the Brief will be due on September 9, 2016. As grounds for this Motion, Appellant would show additional time is needed as Counsel has multiple matters pending before this Court many of which require the filing of briefs and additional time is needed to adequately prepare this brief.

Respectfully Submitted:

August 10, 2016

  
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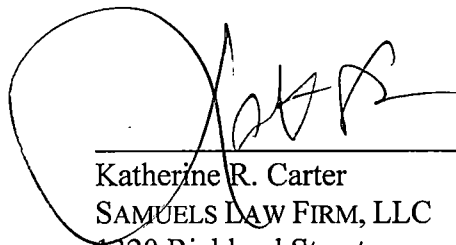
**PROOF OF SERVICE**

I certify that I, Katherine R. Carter, paralegal for the Samuels Law Firm, LLC, have served the **Second Motion for Extension of Time to File Appellant's Initial Brief and Designation of Matter** upon counsel for the Respondents by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on August 10, 2016, addressed as follows:

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RE: Thomas Contreras v. St. John's Fire District Commission and State Accident Fund  
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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed for filing are the original and seven (7) copies of the **Second Motion for Extension of time to file Appellant's Initial Brief and Designation of Matter and Proof of Service**, in the above case.

Please have your staff file the Motion for Extension of Time to file Appellant's Initial Brief, Designation of Matter and Proof of Service and return a clocked copy in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope.

Respectfully,

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Paralegal for Stephen B. Samuels

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Enclosure(s) as stated

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