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November 4, 2016

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Re: John Alden Bauer, III v. Beaufort Co. Sch. Dist.
Appellate Case No. 2016-000955

Dear Ms. Allen:

I wish to clarify the calendar and the "identical content" requirements (Rules 210 and 211). The *last* brief (Amended Initial Reply Brief) was filed October 27, 2016.

If I understand it correctly:

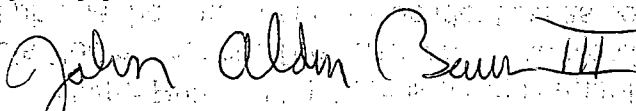
1. I am required to serve/file a copy of the Record on or before Monday, November 28, 2016.

2. I should then serve/file my final brief on or before Monday, December 19, 2016.

Under Rule 211(b) there is a requirement for my final brief to be identical to my briefs filed previously. The briefs have had significant deletions required by the court. I will phrase the final brief to be as identical as possible with the content and wording of previous filings, but with the mandated changes.

Question: Should I submit a proposed draft of my final brief to the court and to the attorneys of record to allow for ameliorating the possibility of misunderstanding the word "*identical*"?

Very truly yours,



John Alden Bauer, III

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