

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM RICHLAND COUNTY
Alison Renee Lee, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2014-CP-10-5663

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Rene Hale Shelley, Individually and as
Personal Representative of the
Estate of Michael Mann Lindler, Appellant-Respondent,

v.

South Carolina Highway Patrol, Respondent-Appellant.

**RESPONDENT-APPELLANT'S MOTION
FOR EXTENSION TO FILE
INITIAL APPELLANT'S BRIEF**

The Respondent-Appellant South Carolina Highway Patrol respectfully moves this Court for an additional extension of time until April 3, 2017, by which to file and serve its Initial Appellant's Brief and Designation of Matter to be Included in the Record on Appeal.

The Respondent-Appellant's motion is based on the following grounds:

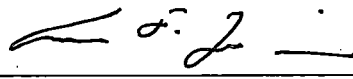
1. The Initial Appellant's Brief of the Respondent-Appellant is currently due to be filed and served on March 13, 2017.

2. The Appellant-Respondent Rene Hale Shelley requested an additional extension of time for extraordinary circumstances through April 3, 2017 to file and serve her Initial Appellant's Brief and Designation of Matter to be Included in the Record on Appeal. The undersigned counsel does not object to that extension request. The Respondent-Appellant now seeks the same extension so as to keep both the appeal and cross-appeal on the same briefing schedule.

3. Counsel for the Appellant-Respondent has been contacted regarding this extension request, and he does not have any objection to the extension that is requested.

WHEREFORE, the Respondent-Appellant respectfully requests that it be allowed until April 3, 2017, by which to file and serve its Initial Appellant's Brief and Designation of Matter to be Included in the Record on Appeal.

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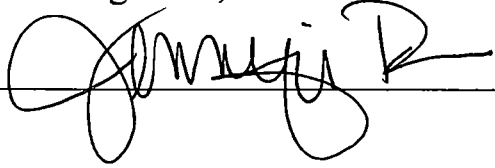
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned employee of Davidson & Lindemann, P.A., counsel for the Respondent-Appellant, South Carolina Highway Patrol, does hereby certify that service of **Respondent-Appellant's Motion for Extension to File Initial Appellant's Brief** in the above-captioned matter was made upon all counsel of record by placing copies in the United States Mail, first class postage prepaid, at the below listed addresses clearly indicated on said envelopes this the 10th day of March 2017:

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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Please find enclosed for filing the original and seven copies of **Respondent-Appellant's Motion for Extension to File Initial Appellant's Brief** in the above referenced matter. Please file the original and return a clocked-in copy to me by way of my courier. I have not enclosed the filing fee since the South Carolina Highway Patrol is exempt.

By copy of this letter, I am serving copies on all counsel of record. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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