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Appellate Case No. 2017-000692
Trial Court Case No. 1406130

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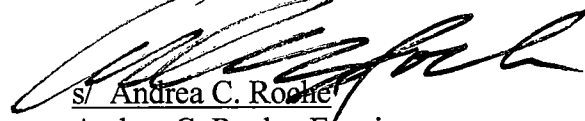
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Timber S.I. Fund c/o Walker,
Hunter & Associates, Inc.,
Carrier.

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**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE INITIAL BRIEF OF
APPELLANT-RESPONDENT**

The Appellant-Respondent, respectfully requests a thirty (30) day extension of time to file its Initial Brief. Andrea C. Roche, attorney for Appellant-Respondent, was recently associated on this appeal and has a family vacation planned. A thirty (30) day extension of the original deadline of April 20, 2017, would establish a new deadline of May 19, 2017, for service and filing of Appellant-Respondent's Initial Brief.

Respectfully submitted,



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I certify that I have served the Motion for Extension of Time to File Initial Brief of Appellant-Respondent by depositing a copy of it in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on April 10, 2017, addressed to the attorneys of record, Brian G. O'Keefe, Esquire, Helen F. Hiser, Esquire, and Jonathan G. Lane, Esquire, McAngus Goudelock & Courie, LLC, Post Office Box 650007, Mount Pleasant, South Carolina 29465.

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RE: Billy Wayne Herndon, Appellant-Respondent v. G & G Logging, Inc. and Palmetto Timber
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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed for filing please find the original and two (2) copies of a Motion for Extension of Time to File Initial Brief of Appellant-Respondent in the above case, along with the \$25 filing fee. Please return a clocked-in copy in the self-addressed, stamped envelope.

If you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. With kind regards, I am,

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