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VIA FACSIMILE & U.S. MAIL

The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse  
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Re: **Case Tracking No. 2017-000599**  
*David Engleman v. Town of James Island*

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

This firm represents Appellant Town of James Island in connection with the above appeal. On February 21, 2017, the transcripts for the September 2, 2015, December 9, 2015, and November 7, 2016 hearings were ordered through their respective court reporters. On March 30, 2017, counsel for Appellant received the third transcript.

Pursuant to Rule 240, SCACR, Appellant hereby requests an extension of time to file and serve its initial brief in this matter. This is Appellant's first request. As grounds for this request, Appellant would show that Respondent Charleston County has filed a motion before the circuit court to alter or amend the injunction giving rise to this appeal, and a hearing on this motion is set for April 24, 2017. The result of this motion likely will impact the issues that need to be briefed on appeal. Prior to submitting this request, Appellant obtained consent from all parties to this request.

Enclosed is this firm's check in the amount of \$25.00 dollars in satisfaction of the filing fee associated with this request for extension. I would appreciate your filing this request with the

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Court and returning a file-stamped copy to my office in the self-addressed, stamped envelope. Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Your assistance with this matter is appreciated.

With kindest regards, I remain

Very truly yours,

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