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Via Hand Delivery and U.S. Mail
Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk of Court, South Carolina Court of Appeals
Sumter County Summary Court
PO Box 11629
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Re: *Shane Gould v. Worldwide Apparel LLC et al.*
Appellate Case No. 2016-002469

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

This firm represents Respondent in the above matter. Respondent's Initial Brief and Designation of Matter in the above referenced case are currently due to be filed and served on Monday, May 1, 2017. However, we must respectfully request and move for a thirty (30) day extension of time within which to submit the Respondent's Initial Brief and Designation of Matter. If such extension request and motion is granted, we have calculated the new deadline as Wednesday, May 31, 2017.

By copy of this letter, this request and motion is being served on Appellant's Counsel. Counsel for Respondent has contacted counsel for Appellant regarding this request and motion for additional time and has been informed that Appellant has no objection to this request and motion.

Enclosed with this letter is a check for \$25.00 for the cost of this motion. If a more formal motion filing is required, please let us know and we will submit one immediately.

Thank you for kind consideration of this request. Please do not hesitate to contact me directly with any questions about this matter.

Very truly yours,

John E. Schmidt, III

Cc: via US Mail and E-Mail, Appellant's Counsel

