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In the Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM GREENVILLE COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas

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Jean H. Toal, Circuit Court Judge

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Consolidated C.A. No. 2015-CP-10-2389

**SC Court of Appeals**

Appellate Case No.: 2016-002525

Amy Garrard and Lee Garrard, Guardians Ad Litem for R.C.G., a Minor; Dean Frailey and Kathryn Frailey, Guardians Ad Litem for C.F., a Minor; Richard Nelson and Cherly Nelson, Gaurdians Ad Litem for D.G.N., a Minor; Adam Olsen Ackerman; and AEP, III, ..... Plaintiffs,

v.

Charleston County School District, Kevin Clayton, Axxis Consulting Company, and Jones Street Publishers, LLC, ..... Defendants,

And

Eugene Walpole, ..... Plaintiff,

v.

Charleston County School District, Kevin Clayton, Axxis Consulting Company, and Jones Street Publishers, LLC, ..... Defendants,

Of Whom Eugene Walpole, Amy Garrard and Lee Garrard, Guardians Ad Litem for R.C.G., a Minor; Dean Frailey and Kathryn Frailey, Guardians Ad Litem for C.F., a Minor; Richard Nelson and Cherly Nelson, Gaurdians Ad Litem for D.G.N., a Minor; Adam Olsen Ackerman; and AEP, III are the ..... Appellants,

And

Jones Street Publishers, LLC, is the ..... Respondent.

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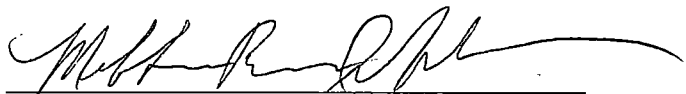
**RESPONDENT'S CONSENT MOTION  
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
TO FILE RESPONDENT'S INITIAL BRIEF  
AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER FOR RECORD ON APPEAL**

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Respondent respectfully moves the Court for a 30-day extension of time in which to file its initial brief and designation of matter for inclusion in the record on appeal. Respondent's brief and designation are presently due on May 11, 2017. The grounds for this motion are existing family and professional commitments of counsel primarily responsible for drafting the brief on behalf of the Respondent. Therefore, we respectfully request an extension of 30 days of this deadline.

Respondent has not previously requested an extension of the briefing deadline. The undersigned has communicated with counsel for the appellant, who has graciously consented to the extension.

For the foregoing reasons, respondent respectfully requests that its deadline for filing its initial brief and designation be extended to June 12, 2017.



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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed please find the original and seven (7) copies of Appellant's Motion for Extension of Time to File the Record on Appeal in the above-referenced matter. Please return to us, by our courier, a file-stamped copy of the motion.

Thank you for considering this request.

Sincerely,



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