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## VIA FACSIMILE AND U.S. MAIL

The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse  
Clerk of Court  
South Carolina Supreme Court  
P. O. Box 11330  
Columbia, SC 29211

Re: Randy Horton v. Jasper County School District,  
Appellant Case No.: 2016-001507

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

On behalf of the Respondent, Jasper County School District, the undersigned respectfully requests to be added, along with David Lyon, as the attorneys for Respondent in the above case. Both attorneys are with the law firm of Duff & Childs, LLC.

The Respondent District was previously represented in this matter by Dwayne Mazyck and Mary Allison Caudell, both of Halligan Mahoney & Williams. Respondent District now retains Duff & Childs as its general counsel and in that role, attorneys Duff and Hart have been tasked with representing the District in the appeal to this court. I have communicated with attorneys Mazyck and Caudell regarding their need to file a motion with the court seeking to be removed as counsel of record.

In addition to our request that the above attorneys be added to this case, we are hereby requesting a thirty-day (30) extension of the current date for filing the Respondent's brief. The present filing deadline is June 12, 2017. With the thirty-day (30) extension, the new filing deadline would be July 12, 2017.

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Thank you for your cooperation and assistance. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



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