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Appellate Case No. 2016-001125  
Case No. 2011-CP-32-02607

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MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Pursuant to 240 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules, Appellant Frances Arthur Oxner moves this Court for an order granting a ten (10) day extension of time to file the Initial Reply Brief of Appellant in this matter. This is Appellant's third request for an extension of this deadline. The Court has previously extended the original deadline by 10 days on two prior occasions. **Counsel for the State, Deborah R.J. Shupe, has consented to this request.**

This extension is necessitated due to other conflicting deadlines, work obligations, briefing deadlines in other matters. Undersigned counsel worked diligently to comply with the most recent deadline, but is unable to complete it prior to that date. By our calculation, the new deadline, after this 10 day extension, would be June 12, 2017.

Therefore, for good cause shown, Appellant moves this Court to extend the deadline for filing his Initial Reply Brief until June 12, 2017. Appellant asks that the current deadline be held in abeyance pending the Court's resolution of this motion. This request is exempt from filing fees per the Court's August 17, 2016 Order.

Respectfully submitted,

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I, the undersigned Administrative Assistant of the law offices of Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP, attorneys for Appellant, do hereby certify that I have served all counsel in this action with a copy of the pleading(s) hereinbelow specified at the following address(es):

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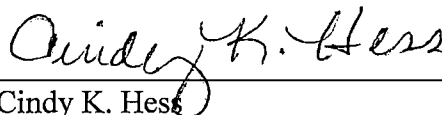
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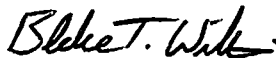
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Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced matter please find the original and seven copies of a Motion for Extension of Time. Please return a clocked-in copy to us via our courier.

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Very truly yours,



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