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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings  
Clerk  
South Carolina Court of Appeals  
1015 Sumter Street  
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

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**SC Court of Appeals**

RE: Timothy McDuffie v. Johnson Food Service, LLC and  
Great American Alliance Insurance Co./Strategic Comp.  
Appellate Case No.: 2016-002294

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

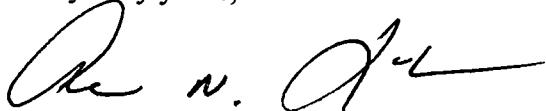
I have been attempting to address various time sensitive matters prior to leaving the country this weekend and realize I'm simply unable to meet all current obligations. In view of this fact, I am requesting a thirty (30) day extension of the August 2, 2017 deadline to file the Respondent's Final Brief. In this regard, I have enclosed our firm's check in the amount of Twenty-five and no/100 (\$25.00) Dollars in satisfaction of the Court's extension fee.

By copy of this letter, I am verifying my extension request with Shelby Hapeshis and Ros Huff, attorneys for Appellants. As always, in the event they have any questions or comments concerning this matter, I invite them to contact me.

Thank you for your cooperation.

With kindest regards, I am

Very truly yours,



Andrew N. Safran

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cc: Shelby G. Hapeshis  
E. Ros Huff, Jr., Esquire