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S.C. SUPREME COURT

The Honorable Daniel E. Shearouse
Clerk, South Carolina Supreme Court
Post Office Box 11639
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Re: *Amy Elizabeth Williams, as the Personal Representative of the Estate for deceased minor; and Amy Elizabeth Williams, individually, v Quest Diagnostics, et al.*
Appellate Case No. 2017-000787
Our File #: 1000-109
Request for Extension of Time

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

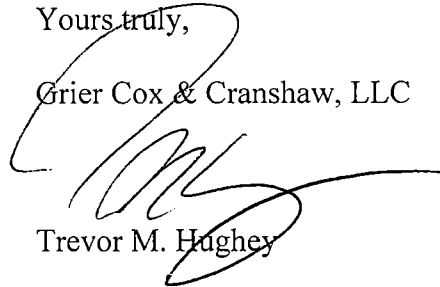
Please allow this correspondence to serve as a motion and request by the above named Plaintiffs, in this certified question, for an extension of time to file and serve our Reply Brief. One original and six copies of this letter are enclosed herein along with the filing fee in the form of a check payable in amount of \$25.00. Plaintiffs seek a ten (10) day extension in which to serve and file Plaintiffs' Final Brief, which is currently due on September 11, 2017. If granted, Plaintiffs' Final Brief would then be due on September 21, 2017.

This extension request is the first one made by Plaintiffs regarding its Reply Brief and is sought to allow Plaintiffs additional time to fully and completely respond to the Final Brief of Defendants and to allow for any server weather closing or associated delays that may inhibit a timely filing of the Reply Brief. Before submitting the motion made herein, Plaintiffs attempted to consult with counsel for Defendants, Quest Diagnostics, Inc., Athena Diagnostics, Inc., and ADI Holdings, Inc., who have not provided an objection to this request for an extension as of the time this request was drafted.

By copy of this letter, we are serving this motion on counsel for all parties of record in the above referenced proceeding as reflected on the certificate of service enclosed.

Yours truly,

Grier Cox & Cranshaw, LLC

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Trevor M. Hughey', is written over the printed name below.

Trevor M. Hughey

Enclosures

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**THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Supreme Court**

ON CERTIFICATION FROM THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Trial Judge: Margaret B. Seymour, United States District Judge

Appellate Case No.: 2017-000787

AMY ELIZABETH WILLIAMS, as the Personal Representative of the Estate for deceased
minor; and AMY ELIZABETH WILLIAMS individually,

Plaintiffs,

v.

QUEST DIAGNOSTICS, INC. ATHENA DIAGNOSTICS, INC. and ADI HOLDINGS, INC.,

Defendants.

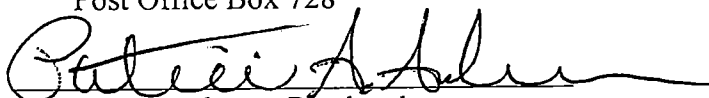
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I certify that I have served the Request for Extension of Plaintiffs upon the addressees
listed below by depositing a true copy in the United States Mail, First Class postage prepaid, on
~~July 7~~, 2017.

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