

F. MILTON MANN, JR.

85519

ATTORNEY AT LAW
LICENSED IN SC, GA & FL

RECEIVED

December 27, 2017

DEC 28 2017

SC Court of Appeals

Jenny Abbott Kitchings

BY FACSIMILE & FEDERAL EXPRESS

Clerk of Court
South Carolina Court of Appeals
1220 Senate Street
Columbia, SC 29201

Re: Greenville Pharmaceutical Research, Inc., Appellant,
v. Parham & Smith, LLC and Gerald H. Sokol, M.D.,
Defendants, of whom, Gerald H. Sokol, M.D. is the
Respondent – Appellate Case No. 2016-000569

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Please allow this letter to serve as Appellant's request for a fifteen (15) day extension in filing Appellant's Petition for Rehearing in the above-referenced case. The Appellate Court's decision in this matter was filed on December 13, 2017 and received by Appellant on December 18, 2017. Counsel for Appellant was out-of-state from December 16th until December 21st. Further, counsel's office follows the state holiday schedule and was closed from December 22nd through December 26th for the Christmas holiday.

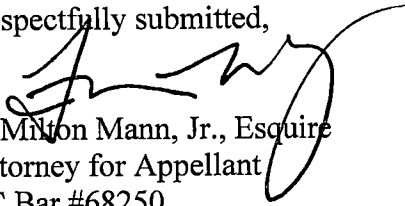
In addition, counsel's mother had been terminally ill for several months and passed away on October 29th. Unfortunately, counsel's father became suddenly ill and passed away on November 20th. Appellant's counsel reached out to counsel for Respondent Sokol, Mr. Rheney, for his consent to Appellant's request. Appellant has not heard from opposing counsel and assumes he is unavailable due to the holidays. Given these circumstances, coupled with the holiday season, Appellant respectfully requests an additional fifteen (15) days in which to file Appellant's Petition for Rehearing.

✓

Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
December 27, 2017
Page Two

Enclosed please find a check in the amount of Twenty-Five and 00/100 (\$25.00) Dollars for the filing fee. By copy of this letter, I am serving a copy on each counsel of record. Thank you in advance for your thoughtful consideration.

Respectfully submitted,



F. Milton Mann, Jr., Esquire
Attorney for Appellant
SC Bar #68250

cc: T. David Rheney, Esquire (by email)
Jeffrey Michael Bogdan, Esquire (by email)

F. MILTON MANN, JR.

ATTORNEY AT LAW
LICENSED IN SC,GA & FL

151 HAROLD FLEMING COURT
SPARTANBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA 29303

RECEIVED

DEC 28 2017

SC Court of Appeals

ORIGIN ID:SPAA (864) 384-0421
HOLLY MANN
DIANNE FURTEK
151. HAROLD FLEMING COURT

SPARTANBURG, SC 29303
UNITED STATES US

SHIP DATE: 27DEC17
ACTWGT: 0.80 LB
CAD: 101889815/INET3920

BILL SENDER

TO THE HONORABLE JENNY ABBOTT KITCHING
SOUTH CAROLINA COURT OF APPEALS
CLERK OF COURT
1220 SENATE STREET,
COLUMBIA SC 29201

549J17674C104C

(803) 734-1890

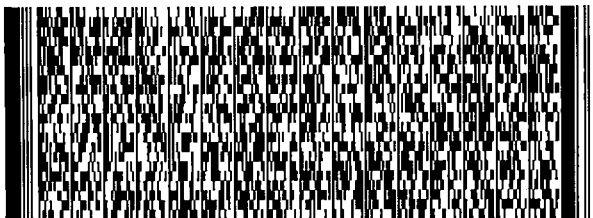
REF: GPR - SOKOL

INV:

DEPT:

PO:

FedEx Ship Manager - Print Your Label(s)



FedEx Express



J172117081201ur

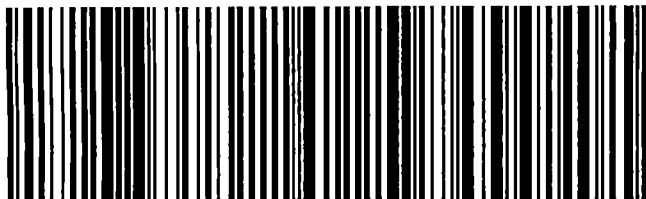
THU - 28 DEC 8:00A
FIRST OVERNIGHT

TRK# 7710 9284 8319

0201

N1 USCA

29201
SC-US CAE



RECEIVED

DEC 28 2017

SC Court of Appeals

12/27/2017