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Via Fax @803-734-1839 & US Mail
Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
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P.O. Box 11629
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**RE: Gennette Sowell, Claimant/Respondent v.
Piggly Wiggly, Employer and Auto Owners Insurance
Inc., Carrier/Appellants
Appellate Case No. 2017-002396
WCC File: 1408826**

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

I would appreciate the advice of the Court concerning my initial Respondent's Brief and also my Motion for an Extension of Time to file the Respondent's Brief. Almost simultaneously, I filed a Motion for Extension of Time for 30 days to file my initial Respondent's Brief and we received in the mail, Chief Judge Lockemy's Order, changing the date that my initial Respondent's Brief was due to March 22nd. If the Extension when requested was granted by the Court, my Brief would have been due on April 5th, 2018. Again, I am confident that my Motion for Extension and Chief Judge Lockemy's Order crossed in the mail.

I am rapidly trying to get the Brief and Designation completed by March 22nd but if I cannot, I would appreciate it if it would be acceptable without filing a new motion to simply re-phrase the request to ask for a 30-day extension after the current date of March 22nd.

By copy of this letter, I am notifying defense counsel of this communication and request.

Again, I am hopeful that I can complete this Brief by the 22nd because we want this matter to move forward for consideration by the Court as rapidly as possible. As always, I appreciate all of

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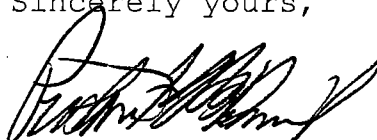
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the courtesies and kindnesses shown to me by the Court and if anyone would like to contact me concerning this that would be welcomed and I will make myself available at the Court's convenience.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Preston F. McDaniel", written in a cursive style.

Preston F. McDaniel

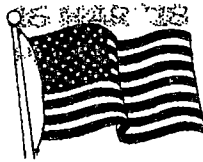
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