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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

SC Court of Appeals

Appeal from Richland County
The Honorable Tanya A. Gee, Circuit Court Judge
Appellate Case No. 2016-001706

IN THE MATTER OF THE CARE AND TREATMENT OF
CHARLES T. SULLIVAN,

APPELLANT.

**MOTION FOR A FOURTH AND FINAL EXTENSION
TO SERVE AND FILE INITIAL BRIEF OF
RESPONDENT AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER**

Respondent, State of South Carolina, through its undersigned counsel, hereby moves for a fourth and final thirty day extension to file the Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter to be included in the Record on Appeal in the above captioned appeal. In support of this Motion, Respondent submits the following:

1. The Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter are due to be filed and served April 13, 2018.
2. The Respondent requests an additional thirty days to file these documents. The undersigned counsel continues to be on medically related work restriction and is unable to work a full schedule. During the last thirty days, counsel has filed the Briefs of Respondent in two cases pending in the South Carolina Supreme Court, the Initial Brief of Respondent in a case pending in this Court, and prepared for and participated in an oral argument in the Supreme

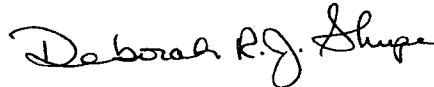
Court. The undersigned assures the Court completion of the brief is a high priority, and she will work diligently to complete the Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter.

3. The undersigned consulted with counsel for the Appellant, and she is authorized to advise the Court that counsel for the Appellant consents to the requested relief.

Based on the foregoing, Respondent respectfully requests this Court hold this matter in abeyance pending resolution of this Motion, and grant Respondent's request for a fourth and final 30-day extension of time to file and serve the Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter in this appeal.

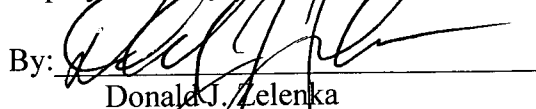
Respectfully submitted,
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PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Anne Mueller, certify I have served the Motion for Fourth and Final Thirty Day Extension to File Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter, by depositing a copy of same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed to:

David Alexander
Assistant Appellate Defender
SC Commission of Indigent Defense
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I further certify that all parties required by Rule to be served have been served, this 13th day of April, 2018.



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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
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RE: In the Matter of the Care and Treatment of Charles T. Sullivan
Appellate Case No. 2016-001706

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed for filing are an original and seven (7) copies of a Motion for a Fourth and Final Thirty Day Extension to File Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter in the above appeal. By copy of this correspondence, I am serving counsel for the Appellant with a copy of this Motion.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns regarding this Motion.

Sincerely,

Deborah R.J. Shupe
Senior Assistant Deputy Attorney General

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Enclosures

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