

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In The Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM RICHLAND COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

Alison Rence Lee, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2016-CP-40-04463
Appellate Case No. 2018-000924

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Jean Watkins, as Personal
Representative of the Estate of
Mildred Watkins,

Respondent,

v.

Sterling Healthcare, Inc.,
Country Wood Nursing
Center, LLC, and Guardian
Resources, LLC,

Appellants.

MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME

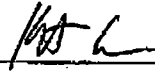
Pursuant to Rule 240 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules, Appellants Sterling Healthcare, Inc., Country Wood Nursing Center, LLC, and Guardian Resources, LLC ("Appellants") respectfully request a two-week extension of time to file the Appellants' Reply Brief. This is the second request for an extension of time.

This request is necessitated due to undersigned counsel's numerous other work conflicts and scheduling deadlines. Currently, Appellants' Reply Brief is due on October 19, 2018. Appellants request a two-week extension of time until November 2, 2018.

Therefore, Appellants request that this Court enter an order extending the deadline for the Appellants' Reply Brief until November 2, 2018. Appellants request that the current deadline be held in abeyance while the Court considers this request.

October 16, 2018

Respectfully submitted,



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I hereby certify that I have this day served a copy of the foregoing MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME upon all counsel of record by mailing same with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage in a properly addressed envelope to:

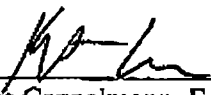
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Re: Watkins v. Sterling Healthcare, Inc., et al.
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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed for fax-filing, please find Appellants' *Motion for Extension of Time* in the above-referenced matter. The original executed Motion and the \$25.00 filing fee are being overnighted to the Court for delivery on October 17, 2018.

Thank you in advance for your assistance with this matter.

Very truly yours,

Kerri M. Coakley, Assistant to
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Enclosures

cc: Jennifer R. Purdy (w/encl.; via U.S. Mail)