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Appellate Case No. 2017-001996

John Doe 2 and Jane Doe 4, John Doe 10, Jane Doe 11,
John Doe 193, Father Doe 194, John Doe 194, John Doe 245
and Father Doe 245, and John Doe 297 Appellants,

v.

The Bishop of Charleston, a Corporation Sole,
Robert Gugliemone, The Bishop of Charleston, in his official capacity,
Rev. Monsignor Martin Laughlin, former Administrator of the
Diocese of Charleston, in his official capacity, Robert J. Baker,
former Bishop of Charleston, in his official capacity,
Lawrence E. Richter, Jr., David K. Haller,
and Richter and Haller, LLC Respondents.

**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR ALL PARTIES
TO FILE AND SERVE FINAL BRIEFS**

Pursuant to Rule 240, SCACR, Respondents Lawrence E. Richter, Jr. & Richter & Haller, LLC hereby move for a fourteen-day extension of the deadline for all parties to serve and file their final briefs in this appeal. The Parties' current deadline to file and serve final briefs is January 8, 2019. If granted, the extension would move the deadline to January 22, 2019. This is the first

requested extension for this deadline, and the undersigned submits it with the agreement of counsel of record as shown by the attached correspondence.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Benjamin B", with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

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January 7, 2019
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Ben Bruner

From: Susan Wall <swall@grsm.com>
Sent: Friday, January 04, 2019 5:37 PM
To: Dukes, Richard S.
Cc: Gregg Meyers; Ben Bruner
Subject: Re: John Doe Appeals - Final Briefs

I concur

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 4, 2019, at 4:23 PM, Dukes, Richard S. <RDukes@turnerpadget.com<mailto:RDukes@turnerpadget.com>> wrote:

I concur – especially given your upcoming trial. 14 is fine with me.

I talked to Ben and he will send a letter to the Court of Appeals Monday on behalf of us all, so long as Susan concurs.

Have a good weekend all.

From: Gregg Meyers [mailto:attygm@gmail.com]
Sent: Friday, January 4, 2019 4:22 PM
To: Dukes, Richard S.
Cc: Ben Bruner (BBruner@brunerpowell.com<mailto:BBruner@brunerpowell.com>); Susan Taylor Wall - Gordon Rees Scully Mansukhani, LLP (swall@grsm.com<mailto:swall@grsm.com>)
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No objection from me, although I'd prefer the request be for 14.

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On Fri, Jan 4, 2019 at 4:12 PM Dukes, Richard S. <RDukes@turnerpadget.com<mailto:RDukes@turnerpadget.com>> wrote:
Counselors:

By my calculations our final briefs will be due on Tuesday. Is there any objection to requesting an additional 7 days, given the intervening Christmas and New Year, and the Court's correspondence saying the Record did not have to be served until January 8 anyway?

Rich

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Benjamin C. Bruner, counsel for Respondents Lawrence E. Richter, Jr., Richter & Haller, LLC, certify that I have served a copy of the attached **Motion For Extension Of Time For All Parties To File And Serve Final Briefs** by e-mail and by depositing a copy of it in the U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, on January 7, 2019, addressed to the following:

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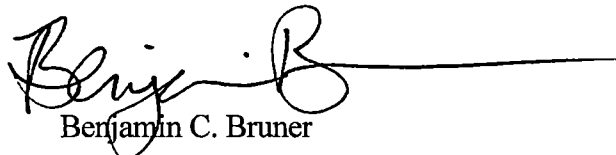
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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Please find enclosed for filing in the appeal the original and seven (7) copies of a **Motion For Extension Of Time For All Parties To File And Serve Final Briefs**, together with proof of service on other attorneys of record and the filing fee.

Sincerely,


Benjamin C. Bruner

BCB/gh

Enclosures

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