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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk of Court
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RE: Jim Washington v. Trident Medical Center
Case No. 2019-000640
Our File No. 27979/01501

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Due to other deadlines and work obligations, Respondent respectfully requests a thirty (30) day extension of time to file its initial brief of respondent in this matter. This is Respondent's first request for an extension regarding this brief. The current deadline is August 28, 2019. By our calculation, the new deadline would be September 27, 2019.

The undersigned seeks this request based on numerous other work obligations and pre-planned travel obligations.

The filing fee of \$50.00 is enclosed with this request. Thank you for your consideration.

With kind regards, I remain

Very truly yours,

Blake T. Williams

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Enclosure
cc: Mr. Jim Washington