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APPEAL FROM ALLENDALE COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas

The Honorable Lawton McIntosh

Appellate Case No. 2019-000905

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J. Morgan Kears, Personal Representative of the Estate of G.H. Kears, ..... Appellant,

v.

The Kears Family Education Trust, William Gordon Kears, Elizabeth Kears Gooding, Julia Kears Sharp, Rachael Kears Best, Joseph Weber Kears, and John Morgan Kears, of which all are named individually and as Trustees of the Kears Family Education Trust U/A/D Nov. 05, 1992..... Respondents.

**THIRD MOTION FOR EXTENSION BY RESPONDENT JULIA KEARSE SHARP,  
INDIVIDUALLY AND AS TRUSTEE OF THE KEARSE FAMILY EDUCATION  
TRUST U/A/D NOV. 05, 1992**

Respondent Julia Kears Sharp, Individually and as Trustee of the Kears Family Education Trust U/A/D Nov. 05, 1992, moves this Court for a thirty-day extension in which to file the Initial Brief of Respondent and Designation of Matter to be included in the Record on Appeal. Mr. Speights and Ms. Harrison are both extensively involved in the utility litigation before the Honorable Jean H. Toal, and have had scheduling conflicts as a result. Respondent's Initial Brief is currently due on February 3, 2020. Respondent respectfully requests an extension of thirty days, making the Initial Brief and Designation of Matter due on March 4, 2020.

*Signature Page to Follow*

February 3, 2020

Respectfully submitted,



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The undersigned, Susan T. Murdaugh, certifies that a copy of *Third Motion for Extension and Notice of Appearance by Respondent Julia Sharp Kears, Individually and as Trustee of the Kears Family Education Trust U/A/D Nov. 05, 1992*, has been served upon counsel listed below by mailing a copy of the same, postage prepaid, in the United States Mail, addressed as shown below on February 3, 2020.

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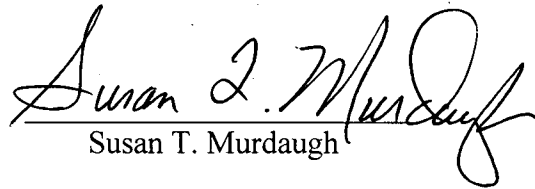
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RE: *Kearse v. The Kearse Educational Family Trust et. al*  
Case No. 2019-000905

Dear Ms. Kitchings,

Enclosed please find the Third Motion for an Extension for Respondent Julia Kearse Sharp, Individually and as Trustee of the Kearse Family Education Trust U/A/D Nov. 05, 1992. Currently, the Initial Brief and Designation of Matter are due February 3, 2020. If granted, the new deadline for filing will be March 4, 2020. Also included is the \$50 filing fee for the Motion and the Proof of Service.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

With kind regards,

Sincerely,



Daniel A. Speights

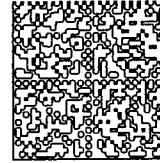
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