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RE: Jefferson Davis, Jr. v. Phillip Cease, et al
Civil Action No.: 2018CP4002425
Claim No.:
Our File: 6075-12350

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

I represent the Respondent Phillip Cease and South Carolinians for Responsible Government in the above referenced matter. At this time, it is our understanding that Appellant's Motion to Allow the Late Filing of Initial Reply Brief filed on March 2, 2020, and Appellant's Motion for Extension of Time to File Record on Appeal filed on February 27, 2020, are still pending. My understanding is that these pending motions toll time for filing final briefs pursuant to Rules 210 and 211, SCACR.

In the event that the time for filing final briefs is not tolled, Respondents Cease and South Carolinians for Responsible Government respectfully request a twenty day extension pursuant to Rule 263(b), SCACR, to serve and file their Final Brief. This is the party's first request for an extension of time for filing its final brief. Please find enclosed a check for the required filing fee of \$50.00 if deemed necessary. By copy of this letter, I am serving a copy of this correspondence upon all counsel of record.

Yours truly,

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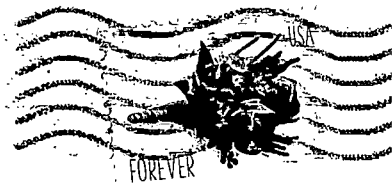
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