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RE: Philip Ethier and Jeanne Ethier v. Guy R. Bibeau, M.D.
Appellate Case Number: 2018-001435
Civil Action Number: 2013-CP-20-0012
Claim Number: CB127439M
Our File Number: 22.9679

Dear Mr. Shearouse:

Under normal conditions, the Respondent's Petition for Rehearing would be due by 5:00 p.m. on today's date. I am unable to meet that deadline due to the current emergency conditions. Based upon the Order re: Operation of the Appellate Courts During the Coronavirus Emergency (issued March 20, 2020), it is my understanding that the deadline for the Petition for Rehearing has already been extended for 20 days. I am relying on the provision stating that "the due dates for all Appellate Court filings due on or after the effective date of this order are hereby extended for twenty (20) days." I did not see any exception noted for petitions for rehearing. If my understanding of the Order is incorrect, I would respectfully request that the Court treat this letter as a request for a 20 day extension to file the Respondent's Petition for Rehearing. In short, I am sending this letter as a precaution to make certain that the Remittitur is not issued because a Petition for Rehearing was not filed by today's date.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

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