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APPEAL FROM BARNWELL COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas

Clifton Newman, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2018-CP-06-00383

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v.

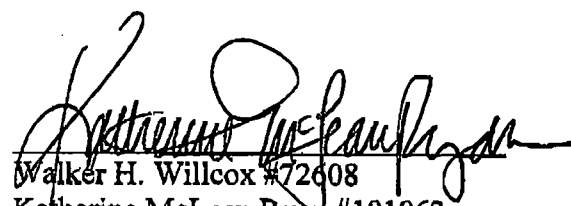
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the United States of America, acting through the Small Business  
Administration, successors in interest to Still & Williams, Inc.,  
SC Electric & Gas Co., and David Payton ..... Defendants,

Of Whom, Edgar Payton is .....Appellant,

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

The Respondent moves before the Court pursuant to Rule 240, SCACR for an Order extending the time for responding to the initial brief of the Appellant to 60 days from 30 days, which is the time period set forth in Rule 208, SCACR. The new deadline would be April 26, 2020. Appellant has consented to the extension. Willie Payton, Hattie Payton, David Payton, SC Electric & Gas Co, and the Small Business Administration have also consented to the extension. The motion is based on the undersigned's schedule during this month due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

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**PROOF OF SERVICE**

I certify that on March 25, 2020, I served the **Respondent's Motion for Extension of Time to File the Initial Brief of the Respondent** on the *Defendants*, through their attorneys of record, by depositing a copy of same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, to:

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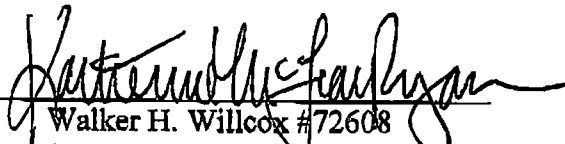
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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed please find an original and seven copies of Respondent's Motion for Extension of Time to File the Initial Brief of the Respondent in connection with the above appeal. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$50.00 for the filing of this Motion. Please return a filed copy to me in the enclosed envelope.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at (843) 662-3258.

With kindest regards,

  
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