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Ms. Jenny Abbott Kitchings, Clerk
South Carolina Court of Appeals
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**Re: Blank v. Timmons
Appellate Case No. 2019-001555**

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

This letter shall serve as Appellant's Return to Respondent's Second Motion for an Extension of Time to respond to Appellant's Motion to strike certain items from Respondent's Designation of Matter to be included in the Record of Appeal (filed May 15, 2020) in lieu of a formal response. Appellant objected to the Respondent's first Motion for an extension filed April 13, 2020 based upon the lack of any justification, which Motion was granted proforma by this Court on that date. Respondent's second Motion states that the request is based upon "Covid-related circumstances" without further specificity. Accordingly, Appellant does not object to the second extension, provided no further extensions are granted unless supported by the exact nature of the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted

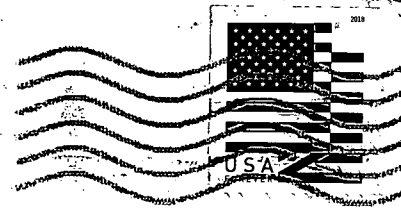

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