

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM HORRY COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

The Honorable John C. Hayes, III

Case No. 2017-CP-26-1571
Appellate Case No. 2019-001665

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David L. Scheer, as Personal Representative of the
Estate of Matthew J. Scheer,.....Respondent,

v.

Southern Myrtle Inpatient Services, LLC, Nirlep A.
Patel, M.D. and Rachel Ash-Bernal M.D. Defendants,

Of which Southern Myrtle Inpatients Services, LLC is.....Appellant.

MOTION FOR EXTENSION

Appellant’s Initial Reply Brief is currently due July 22, 2020. Appellant respectfully requests a one-week extension, making the Initial Reply Brief due on or before July 29, 2020. Undersigned counsel spent three days last week and the first two days of this week out of town attending to his father. Counsel’s daughter lives next door and usually does this but, over the past two weeks, one of her children has exhibited cold-like symptoms. This required “isolation” from counsel’s father, whose age and medical conditions make him susceptible to coronavirus complications. The child’s symptoms now appear fully resolved. Undersigned counsel does not anticipate any further complications, but this is the second time this situation has arisen, and he has made alternative arrangements for the remainder of this week and next week should the need again arise.

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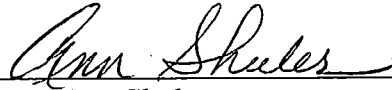
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Ann Shuler, an employee of Burr & Forman, LLP, hereby certify that true and correct copies of the **Appellant's Motion for Extension** was served upon counsel for the Respondent in the above-captioned matter, by causing a copy of same to be deposited in the United States Mail, first class postage prepaid, this 22nd day of July, 2020, addressed as follows:

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A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Ann Shuler". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

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**Re: David Scheer -v- Southern Myrtle Inpatient Services, LLC
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Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Please find enclosed for filing the original and one copy of the Appellant's Motion for Extension of Time to Serve and File Appellant's Initial Reply Brief. Please file the motion in your office, and return the file stamped copy to me in the enclosed return envelope.

By copy of this letter, we are serving counsel for the Respondent with a copy of the motion.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Burr Forman McNair



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Partner

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