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In the Court of Appeals

APPEAL FROM GREENVILLE COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

Robin B. Stilwell, Circuit Court Judge

Lower Court Case No. 2019-CP-23-0049

Appellate Case No. 2020-00023

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James Bennet SchwiersRespondent,

v.

Gene Baxley Schwiers Appellant.

MOTION FOR 15-DAY EXTENSION TO FILE INITIAL REPLY BRIEF

Pursuant to Rules 208, 240, and 263, SCACR, Gene Baxley Schwiers (“Ms. Schwiers”) respectfully requests a fifteen (15) day extension of time to file her initial reply brief. On August 4, 2020, Respondent James Bennet Schwiers served his initial brief. The deadline for Ms. Schwiers to file her initial reply brief is August 14, 2020. Ms. Schwiers seeks the subject extension to accommodate the schedule of her counsel. This is the first reply briefing extension requested by Ms. Schwiers. Accordingly, Ms. Schwiers requests that the Court extend the deadline to file her initial reply brief to August 31, 2020.

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August 10, 2020

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on August 10, 2020, I served the Motion for Extension of Time by sending a copy of the same to the email address for Respondent James B. Schwiers's counsel of record as identified in the Attorney Information System pursuant to Supreme Court *Order Re: Operation of the Appellate Courts During the Coronavirus Emergency* (g)(3). Specifically, I certify that a copy was sent to: jcassidy@roecassidy.com and ebarbery@roecassidy.com. A copy of the sent email is attached as *Exhibit 1* to this certificate of service.

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EXHIBIT 1

Service of Motion for Extension of Time to File Initial Brief:
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From: [Burl Williams](#)
To: [Jim Cassidy](#); [Ella Barbery](#)
Subject: Schwiers v. Schwiers, Appellate Case No. 2020-000023
Date: Monday, August 10, 2020 9:55:00 AM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)
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Dear Jim and Ella:

Attached please find Ms. Schwiers' motion for a 15-day extension to serve her initial reply brief. Please respond or call with any questions.

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SENT VIA ALTERNATE METHOD FOR APPELLATE COURT FILINGS & UNITED STATES MAIL

The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk of Court
South Carolina Court of Appeals
1220 Senate Street
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

Re: *James B. Schwiers v. Gene B. Schwiers, Appellate Case No. 2020-000023*

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Enclosed please find Appellant Gene B. Schwiers' Motion for 15-Day Extension to file her initial reply brief, and a \$50 check representing the motion fee. Pursuant to the alternative method for appellate court filings I have uploaded the Motion and the Certificate of Service today. This letter, along with the filing fee, will be placed in the U.S. Mail today.

Please contact my office with any questions.

Sincerely,

s/Burl F. Williams

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