

**In The South Carolina Court of Appeals  
On Appeal Form the South Carolina Workers' Compensation Commission  
Appellate Case No: 2019-001936**

**Jennie Cox, Employee**

**Appellant,**

**v.**

**Appellate Case No: 2019-001936**

**Palmetto State Transportation, Employer  
And Cherokee Insurance Company,  
Respondents**

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**SC Court of Appeals**

**SECOND MOTION TO EXTEND PRIOR ORDER HOLDING APPEAL IN ABEYANCE OR, IN THE ALTERNATIVE,  
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE APPELLANT'S INITIAL BRIEF AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER.**

1. This appeal was held in abeyance pursuant to prior Order of the Court dated July 29, 2020 in order to allow the parties time to engage in settlement negotiations. The time period during which the appeal was held in abeyance has now expired.
2. Appellant now seeks an Order extending the time period holding this matter in abeyance until December 21, 2020. Although the parties attempted to engage in settlement negotiations during the initial time period the appeal was being held in abeyance, there was a significant delay in Appellant's receipt of certain documentation upon which aspects of the negotiations hinge. Accordingly, the parties were not able to complete negotiations within the original time period during which the matter was held in abeyance.
3. Appellant previously sought an extension of the time the appeal would be held in abeyance until November 12, 2020, which request has not yet been ruled upon.
4. The parties are now actively engaged in settlement negotiations, which the parties hope to complete shortly. Appellant would therefore request that the original period holding the appeal in abeyance be extended to December 21, 2020 (to include the time which elapsed between the expiration of the initial period and this request).
5. Alternatively, should the Court determine that an extension of the period of abeyance is not appropriate at this juncture, Appellant would seek an extension of time after the date of this request, until December 21, 2020, for filing the Appellant's Initial Brief and Designation of Matter.
6. Counsel for Appellant further requests that the applicable deadlines for perfecting the appeal be held in abeyance pending the Court's ruling on this motion.
7. This motion is not being made for purposes of delay; rather, the unavoidable delay in receiving certain necessary documentation from medical professionals, the effects of the recent and continuing State and national Health Alerts, as well as Counsel's limited access to resources

necessary to conduct research and counsel's heavy workload as a solo practitioner has necessitated this request.

Accordingly, Appellant requests an extension of time period holding the appeal of this matter in abeyance, or, alternatively, an extension of time to file Appellant's Initial Brief and Designation of matter, until December 21, 2020.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

**I certify that a true and correct copy of the Motion to Hold Appeal in Abeyance or, alternatively, to Extend Time for Filing Appellant's Initial Brief was sent by electronic mail and/or United States Mail, postage prepaid, on November 23, 2020 to:**

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