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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals
1220 Senate Street
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Re: Appellate Case No: 2020-001323

**CareAlliance Health Services, et al. vs. South Carolina DHEC, et al. AND
Walterboro Community Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Colleton Medical Center v. South
Carolina DHEC, et al. AND
Trident Medical Center, LLC, d/b/a Trident Medical Center and Summerville
Medical Center vs. SC DHEC, et al.**

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The Initial Reply Brief of the Appellants Trident Medical Center, LLC and Walterboro Community Hospital, Inc. to the Respondent DHEC's Initial Brief is due on February 16, 2021. This Court has previously granted an extension to the Respondent Medical University Hospital Authority ("MUHA") to file its Initial Respondent's Brief on March 5, 2021. In order to avoid duplicate Reply Briefs with different deadlines, the Appellants respectfully request an extension of time, from February 16, 2021 to March 15, 2021, within which to file a Reply Brief to DHEC's Initial Brief.

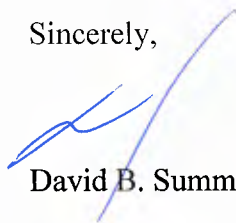
This extension will allow the Appellants to combine its responses and file one Initial Reply Brief on March 15, 2021 in reply to both DHEC and MUHA's Initial Briefs. This is Appellants' first request for an extension of time to file a Reply Brief.

By copy of this letter and pursuant to the Court's standing Order, we are notifying opposing counsel of the request for extension by providing a copy of this letter via email.

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With regards, I am

Sincerely,



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