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APPEAL FROM RICHLAND COUNTY
Court of Common Pleas

James O. Spence, Master-in-Equity

Appellate Case No. 2020-001580

First Reliance Bank,..... Respondent,

v.

Charles E. Bishop, Brett D. Blanks, BCM of Lexington, LLC,
d/b/a Dam Bar & Grill, B&H of Lexington, LLC, and
Branch Banking and Trust Company of South Carolina, Defendants,

of Whom Brett D. Blanks, BCM of Lexington, LLC
d/b/a Dam Bar & Grill and B&H of Lexington, LLC are..... Appellants.

**RESPONDENT’S MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
INITIAL BRIEF AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER**

Respondent First Reliance Bank respectfully moves this Court for an extension of time to file and serve its Initial Brief and Designation of Matter.

The Respondent’s motion is based on the grounds that Counsel for Respondent requires additional time to prepare the Initial Brief and Designation of Matter due to a very active caseload complicated by the negative impacts of COVID 19, and would respectfully request an additional thirty (30) days to complete, file and serve these pleadings. This is the first request for an extension in this matter. By our calculations, the new deadline would be May 4, 2021

WHEREFORE, the Respondent respectfully requests that it be granted an additional thirty (30) days to file its Initial Brief and Designation of Matter.

Respectfully submitted,

March 9, 2021

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PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Lynn G. Ivey, an employee of the Moore Taylor Law Firm, P.A., certify that I have served the Respondent’s Motion for Extension of Time to File Initial Brief and Designation of Matter on the Appellants by depositing a copy of same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid and via electronic mail (email), on March 9, 2021, addressed to the attorneys of record as follows:

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