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**SC Court of Appeals**

**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA**

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

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Appeal from Berkeley County  
Court of Common Pleas

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Case No. 2017-CP-08-02153  
Appellate Case No. 2020-000757

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DORETTA MCHUGH,

Appellant,

v.

JOHN DOE,

Respondent.

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**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO  
FILE APPELLANT'S INITIAL REPLY BRIEF AND DESIGNATION OF MATTER**

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COMES NOW, the Appellant, Doretta McHugh, by and through her undersigned counsel, and hereby moves the Court, pursuant to Rule 240, SCACR, for an extension of time for thirty (30) days to file the Initial Reply Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in this matter. In support hereof, the undersigned states the following:

1. The current deadline is Friday, March 15, 2021.
2. Appellant submits that an extension would not unduly delay these proceedings and would not cause prejudice.

3. Despite counsel's best efforts, this office's current heavy caseload has prevented counsel from completing the Initial Reply Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter by the applicable deadline.
4. Counsel has conferred with opposing counsel, who has consented to the requested extension.
5. This request is made in good faith, and not for purposes of delay.

WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully request until April 14, 2021 in which to file the Initial Reply Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter in this matter.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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I, Daniel C. Boles, attorney for the Appellant do hereby certify that on March 8, 2021, I served a copy of the Motion for Extension of Time to File Initial Reply Brief of Appellant and Designation of Matter on counsel for Respondent, via U.S. Mail, first class, postage prepaid to the following address:

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