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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
IN THE COURT OF APPEALS

APPEAL FROM THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW COURT
Ralph King Anderson, III, Judge

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Case No. 2012-212844

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SC Court of Appeals

John Ray and Sherry Ray,

Appellants,

v.

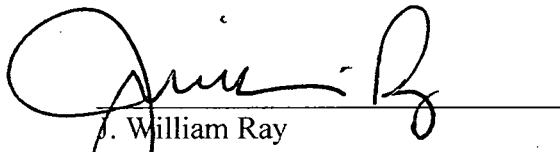
S.C. Department of Revenue,

Respondent.

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

The Appellants, alleging good cause, move for an extension of time of thirty (30) days from the current due date for the filing and service of an Initial Reply Brief and Reply Designation of Matter. The Appellants filed a Notice of Appeal on August 24, 2012, and have sought an earlier extension. If the requested relief is granted, the Initial Reply Brief and Reply Designation will fall due on May 7, 2013.

The grounds for such Motion are as follows: 1) The Appellants' Motion to Strike was denied by Order dated April 1, 2013 and many of the items approved thereby for inclusion in the Record on Appeal are not within the possession of the undersigned; 2) It will require an undetermined period of time to acquire and/or reconstruct such items for the drafting of a Reply Brief and for the reproduction, preparation, and binding of the Record on Appeal; 3) The brief of the Respondent contains significant amounts of new matter for which a response must be drafted and finalized; 4) The undersigned has multiple statewide Common Pleas appearances and deadlines, Administrative Law Court duties, and Federal Court deadlines upcoming in the next ten to twenty (10-20) days and, also due to the general workload of the undersigned sole practitioner, the attorney finds it impossible to properly fulfill his duties to the Appellants, the Respondent, and this Court; 5) The requested extension affords sufficient "no court" time in the state Circuits for the proper completion of this Court's requirements; 6) The granting of the relief requested will not substantially delay the processing of this appeal.



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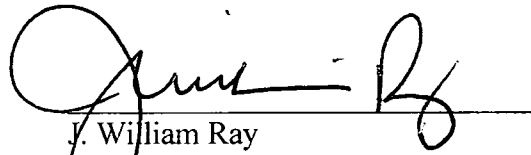
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PROOF OF SERVICE

I, J. William Ray, do hereby certify that a copy of the Motion for Extension of Time in the above captioned case has been duly served on the Respondent by placing the same in an envelope, with adequate prepaid postage affixed thereto, addressed as shown below, and properly depositing such copy of it in the United States Mail.

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