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APPEAL FROM GREENVILLE COUNTY  
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Alex Kinlaw, Jr., Circuit Court Judge

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Appellate Case No.: 2021-000424

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The NEXT School, Inc., a Public, Not-for-Profit Corporation  
Incorporated & Existing under the Laws of the State of South Carolina . . . . . Appellant,

v.

AT-NET Services-Charlotte, Inc., a Private Corporation  
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and American Arbitration Association, Inc., a Not-for-Profit Corporation  
Incorporated & Existing under the Laws of the State of New York . . . . . Respondent.

AND

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**MOTION FOR ENLARGEMENT OF TIME**

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT, pursuant to Rule 240, SCACR, the undersigned counsel for The NEXT School, Inc., Appellant, is respectfully requesting an enlargement of the time within which to file and serve its initial opening brief, as well as its initial designation of matter for the record on appeal. In furtherance of this Motion, Appellant would respectfully advise that:

1. Presently, Appellant's initial opening brief and designation of matter for the record on appeal are due to be filed on Monday, July 12, 2021;
2. Appellant's undersigned counsel and his wife are expecting the birth of their first child, and the projected due date is Tuesday, July 6, 2021;
3. Appellant's counsel is mindful that he has no idea how dramatically life is about to change, but appreciates that a dramatic change is at hand;
4. This is the first request for enlargement that Appellant has made in this case; and,
5. Prior to filing this Motion, Appellant's undersigned counsel consulted with counsel for Respondent, who has graciously consented to the enlargement herein requested.

As noted above, Appellant's initial opening brief and designation matter for the record on appeal are due to be filed on Monday, July 12, 2021. Appellant is respectfully requesting a 30-day extension of the deadlines as to those filings. If this request is granted, Appellant's initial opening brief and designation of matter for the record on appeal will be due on Wednesday, August 11, 2021.

**WHEREFORE**, with the consent of Respondent's counsel, Appellant respectfully requests the extension herein made. It is Appellant's understanding that a filing fee for this Motion is not required at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

*s/ Steven Edward Buckingham*

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**PROOF OF SERVICE**

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The undersigned counsel for Appellant hereby certifies, subject to penalty of perjury, that the following document(s) was/were served upon the following by the following means as of the date identified below.

**Document(s):** Appellant’s Motion for Enlargement

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