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The Honorable Jenny Abbott Kitchings  
Clerk of Court  
South Carolina Court of Appeals  
1220 Senate Street  
Columbia, SC 29201

Re: United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company v. Covil Corporation  
Appellate Case No. 2020-001437  
Request for Extension for Filing Reply Brief

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

On behalf of the Appellant United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company in the above-referenced appeal, we write to request an extension of ten days to file the Appellant's initial reply brief due to counsel's current workload and longstanding vacation schedules. The Appellant's current deadline for its reply is August 2, 2021, and it has not previously been extended. If granted, the Appellant's new deadline would be August 12, 2021. Counsel for the Respondent consents to this requested extension.

We are e-filing this letter pursuant to Rule 262(a)(3), SCACR, and Section (c)(5) of Supreme Court Order 2020-05-29-02. We are also serving this letter via email on counsel for the Respondent, as permitted by Section (g)(3) of that Order.

We appreciate the Court's consideration of this request. If we can provide any additional materials or information, please do not hesitate to call on us.

Best regards,

/s/ M. Todd Carroll

cc: Counsel for Respondent