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

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Re: ***Jo Ann Blackwell, Michelene Brooks, and Samuel H. Owens, Jr., individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated, v. Mary Black Health System, LLC, d/b/a Mary Black Memorial Hospital, CHSPSC, LLC, and Professional Account Services, Inc.***
Case Number: 2020-001613

Dear Mrs. Kitchings:

Appellants Mary Black Health System, LLC, d/b/a Mary Black Memorial Hospital; CHSPSC, LLC; Professional Account Services, Inc. (collectively, "Appellants") pursuant to 240(a), SCACR, respectfully request an extension of time to serve the Record on Appeal on Respondents and to file a Proof of Service with the Court. The current deadline for serving the Record on Appeal on Respondents and filing the Proof of Service with the Court is Wednesday, September 15, 2021.

On August 19, 2021, Appellants filed a Motion to File Documents Under Seal and requested the Court grant Appellants permission to file two confidential contracts under seal in a separately numbered volume of the Record on Appeal. Respondents filed a Return to the Motion to File Documents Under Seal and Appellants filed a Reply. The Court has not yet ruled on the Motion to File Documents Under Seal and, therefore, Appellants respectfully request an extension of time to serve the Record on Appeal and to file the Proof of Service of the Record on Appeal until five (5) days from the date the Court rules on the Motion to File Documents Under Seal.

This is Appellants' first request for an extension to serve the Record on Appeal on the counsel for the Respondents and to file a proof of service with the Court.

Attached to this Motion for Extension please find a copy of the Proof of Service. The filing fee for this motion will be delivered to the Court within the next five (5) days.

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Sincerely,

s/Katon E. Dawson Jr.

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J. Mark Hayes, II, Circuit Court Judge

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Respondents,

v.

Mary Black Health System, LLC, d/b/a Mary Black Memorial Hospital; CHSPSC, LLC; Professional Account Services, Inc.,

Appellants,

PROOF OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that on September 15, 2021, Appellants Mary Black Health System, LLC, d/b/a Mary Black Memorial Hospital, CHSPSC, LLC, Professional Account Services, Inc.'s **Motion for Extension to Serve the Record on Appeal** was served on all counsel of record via email containing the above referenced document to counsels' individual AIS email addresses:

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