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APPEAL FROM ORANGEBURG COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas

Edgar W. Dickson, Circuit Court Judge

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Case No. 2019-CP-38-00786  
Appellate Case No. 2021000336

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Kevin Reid and LaDonna Rowland, Plaintiffs,

v.

Robert Bethea, III d/b/a Bethea's Funeral Home, Bethea Funeral Home, LLC, d/b/a Bethea's Funeral Home, Belleville Memorial Gardens of SC, Inc. d/b/a Belleville Memorial Gardens, Belleville Memorial Gardens, LLC, Crestlawn Memorial Cemetery of SC, Inc. d/b/a Crestlawn Memorial Gardens, and Crestlawn Memorial Gardens, LLC, Defendants,

Of which Ladonna Rowland is the Respondent and Belleville Memorial Gardens of SC, Inc. d/b/a Belleville Memorial Gardens, LLC is the Appellant.

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**JOINT MOTION FOR SECOND EXTENSION  
TO FILE FINAL BRIEFS AND RECORD ON APPEAL  
AND MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT**

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Per Rule 240(a), the parties to this appeal respectfully request that the time period for filing Final Briefs and the Record on Appeal, as required under Rule 210(b) and Rule 211, SCACR, be extended until November 3, 2021. The basis for this request is that the claims in the underlying action were scheduled to be mediated on October 5, 2021. If mediation were not successful, Final Briefs would be due on October 12 and 13, 2021, per the September 2 and September 10, 2021 Orders of this Court.

Mediation had to be rescheduled from October 5, 2021 to October 21, 2021. The parties are still hopeful that mediation will resolve this matter, and a resolution of the underlying claims would result in the parties dismissing this Appeal. That resolution would alleviate the need for either the Record on Appeal or Final Briefs and create judicial economy for both the parties and the Court.

As such, the parties to this appeal hereby request that the deadline for filing and serving the Record on Appeal and the Final Briefs be extended to November 3, 2021.

Respectfully submitted,

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Of whom Belleville Memorial Gardens of SC, Inc. d/b/a Belleville Memorial Gardens, LLC is.....Appellant.

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