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Re: *Simmons v. Simmons // 2021-000375*

Your Honorable Madam Clerk,

On May 6, 2022, Ms. Tillman, counsel for Appellants, filed a request for clarification regarding the Record on Appeal. The Record, together with the parties Final Briefs, is due to be filed today, May 18, 2022. This morning the Court issued a response to Ms. Tillman's request that would make the filing of final briefs at this point duplicative. Having conferred with Ms. Tillman, the below-signed counsel for Respondents interprets Madam Clerk's directive to provide that final briefs would be due (per Rule 211(a), SCACR) 20 days after the service of the corrected Record on Appeal. Unless or until further directive is issued by the Clerk or the Court, counsel will proceed accordingly.

Respectfully,

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