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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN THE MATTER OF ELLA E. HORST REVOCABLE TRUST, u/a/d 05/21/1991

BRIAN HOLIDAY,

Appellant,

vs.

PATRICIA L. HORST, Trustee of the ELLA E. HOST REVOCABLE TRUST, u/a/d 05/21/1999; ELLA E. HORST REVOCABLE TRUST, u/a/d 05/21/1999,

Respondent.

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APPELLANT'S MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE APPELLANT'S REPLY BRIEF (First Written Request)

Appellant Brian Holiday ("Brian") by and through his attorneys of record, Thomas W. Davis, Esq. and Gwen Rutar Mullins, Esq. of the law firm of HOWARD & HOWARD ATTORNEYS PLLC, pursuant to NRAP 26 (b)(1) respectfully moves this Court for a 30-day extension of time to file his Reply Brief.

Appellant's reply brief was originally due on April 27, 2020. This Court granted a 14-day telephonic extension on April 21, 2020 making Appellant's

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reply brief currently due on May 11, 2020. If this Court grants this request for a 30-day extension, Appellant's reply brief will be due on June 10, 2020. Good cause exists for allowing Appellant to extend the filing deadline until June 10, 2020.

- 1. Ms. Mullins is one of the counsels for Appellant and has been diligently working on the reply brief. However, the recent COVID-19 pandemic and restrictions placed by Governor Sisolak have caused unforeseen delays, including Ms. Mullins to lose time from work and certainly made it more challenging to work on and finalize the reply brief.
- 2. Although a significant part of the reply brief has been drafted, Ms. Mullins anticipates that she will need additional ten to fifteen days to complete the initial draft of the reply brief. Once completed, the draft reply brief will then be circulated to her co-counsel Thomas W. Davis and client who is currently out of the country. Being out of the country also makes communications with client a bit more challenging and has cause further time delays.
- 3. Both Mr. Davis and the client are very involved in the legal theories and positions in this appeal. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the social distancing restrictions that have been imposed, Mr. Davis and Ms. Mullins are currently not working from the same location, and with the client out of the

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country in a remote area of the world, makes scheduling conference calls with the client and Mr. Davis to strategize and otherwise discuss drafting and revisions to the reply brief more difficult and time consuming.

4. The requested extension will allow additional time for the client and Mr. Davis to review the draft reply brief once completed and for Ms. Mullins to address the requested revisions and then finalize the Appellant's reply brief.

Therefore, Appellant respectfully requests that the deadline to file his reply brief be extended by 30 days to June 10, 2020. This motion is submitted in good faith and not for the purpose of undue delay or this matter. Moreover, this motion is submitted for good cause shown in accordance with NRAP 31(b) and NRAP 26(b)(1).

Dated this 8th day of May 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to NRAP 25, I hereby certify that the Appellant's Motion for Extension to File Reply Brief was filed electronically with the Nevada Supreme Court on the 8th day of May 2020. Electronic Service of the Appellant's Motion for Extension to File Reply Brief shall be made in accordance with the Master Service List as follows:

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I further certify that on this 8th day of May 2020, I caused service of foregoing Appellant's Motion for Extension to File Reply Brief by mailing a true and correct copy thereof, postage prepaid, addressed to:

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