

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

No. DA 21-0449

JOSEPH and SHARLENE LOENDORF; ABRAM and KATHY STEVENS,

Plaintiffs and Appellees,

vs.

EMPLOYERS MUTUAL CASUALTY COMPANY, a foreign corporation,

Defendant and Appellant.

ON APPEAL FROM THE MONTANA THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT COURT
HONORABLE GREGORY R. TODD
YELLOWSTONE COUNTY CAUSE NO. DV-20-0366

APPELLEES' UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO
FILE OPENING BRIEF

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COMES NOW, Appellees Joseph and Sharlene Loendorf and Abram and Kathy Stevens (“Appellees”), by and through their counsel of record, respectfully move this Court, pursuant to Rule 26(a) of the Montana Rules of Appellate Procedure for an extension of time to file its opening brief thirty (30) days after the current December 24, 2021 deadline. Based on the 30-day extension of time, Appellee’s opening brief will be filed on or before January 24, 2022.

In accordance with Rule 26(1), M. R. App. P., the undersigned contacted Appellant’s counsel concerning this extension of time, and he does not oppose this Motion. A proposed Order is filed herewith for the Court’s consideration.

Dated this _____ day of December, 2021.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Ryan James Gustafson, hereby certify that I have served true and accurate copies of the foregoing Motion - Unopposed to the following on 12-09-2021:

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Dated: 12-09-2021