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Arun Kumar Chhabra
Petitioner

v.

ACW Of New Jersey Inc
Respondent

**APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE PETITION IN APPEAL FROM THE ORDER
OF
THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT**

Arun K. Chhabra
Petitioner, Pro Se

v

ACW NEW JERSEY INC
Respondent

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Petitioner Arun K. Chhabra, acting *pro se*, respectfully requests a 28-day extension of time, to and including January 30, 2026, in which to file his appeal to this Honorable Court. This is Petitioner's second request for an extension of time, made on urgent medical grounds. In support of this request, Petitioner states as follows:

Petitioner is an 86-year-old senior citizen who suffers from multiple disabilities. As a result of a slip-and-fall incident on Respondent's premises—which is the subject of the underlying tort action—Petitioner sustained several lasting and/or permanent injuries, as described in his first request for an extension of time, which the Chief Justice graciously granted. This second request is likewise based on urgent medical necessity.

Earlier this week, at the direction of his primary care physician, Petitioner was examined at the INOVA Vascular Center in Fairfax, Virginia. The examining physicians expressed concern that the swelling in Petitioner's legs and feet, along with persistent pain and burning sensations, continues nearly five years after the November 2020 slip-and-fall. The INOVA physicians have scheduled two appointments in January for ultrasound testing and, if necessary, surgical intervention. They have also placed Petitioner on a waiting list for potential openings during the upcoming holiday period. (See Attachments)

These are not Petitioner's only medical challenges. At his advanced age, daily functioning is difficult without assistance. Petitioner lives alone and must manage his daily living needs while also attending medical appointments and attempting to prepare this critically important legal filing. His impaired vision limits his ability to conduct legal research, and his trembling hands hinder his ability to type. Petitioner also lacks competent legal assistance. His professional background is limited to administrative law—specifically patents, trademarks, and immigration matters—and he has no experience with tort litigation. Friends have offered to assist him after the holidays.

In light of the foregoing, Petitioner Arun K. Chhabra respectfully requests that this Court issue an order extending the time to file his appeal to on or before January 30, 2026.

Respectfully submitted,



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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that on December 18, 2025, I emailed a true and correct copy of this request to Respondent's Counsel at their Washington, DC address.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Arun K. Chhabra', is written over a horizontal line.

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Attachments:

Two sheets of Attachments Issued by INOVA Hospital concerning Petitioner's Visit and Proposed Further Examination and Treatment.

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