IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA

CASE NO.:

SC03-1856

Lower Tribunal Nos.:

3D00-3400, 3D00-3206, 3D-00-3207,

3D00-3208, 3D00-3210, 3D00-3212,

3D00-3215

HOWARD A. ENGLE, M.D., et al.,

Petitioners,

VS.

LIGGETT GROUP, INC., et al.,

PETITIONERS' UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE RESPONSE TO RESPONDENTS' MOTION FOR REHEARING

Petitioners, the Florida Engle Class, pursuant to Fla.R.Civ.P. 9.300(a) move for an unopposed seven (7) day extension of time to file their response to the motions for rehearing and/or clarification of all Respondents, and as grounds therefore state:

- 1. The response of Petitioners to the motions for rehearing and/or clarification filed by all Respondents, is due to be filed on September 6, 2006, pursuant to this Court's Order of July 13, 2006.
- 2. Respondents' motions for rehearing are lengthy (totaling over 45 pages), and the additional time requested is needed because of the current

Hurricane Watch for Tropical Storm Ernesto. Courthouses and schools in South Florida are closing early today, August 28th and will be closed Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

- 3. Because of the immediate threat South Florida faces with Ernesto, undersigned counsel and their staff have prepared today and plan to prepare over the next two days for a possible Hurricane. The approaching weekend is Labor Day weekend, leaving little, if any time between now and September 6th to complete the work needed for filing Petitioners' response to the motions for rehearing. In addition to the normal preparations for her family and office, undersigned counsel has seven puppies (born to her King Charles Cavalier) that are dependent upon her and additional preparations are needed for the possible Hurricane.
- 4. An additional seven (7) days, to and including September 13, 2006, is requested to file Petitioners' response to Respondents' motions for rehearing. Undersigned counsel has spoken to Norman Coll, counsel for Respondents, who said Respondents do not oppose this motion.

WHEREFORE, Petitioners most respectfully request that this Court grant

Petitioners a seven (7) day extension of time to file their response to Respondents' motions for rehearing and/or clarification, to and including September 13, 2006.

Dated: August 28, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the above and

foregoing was served by U.S. Mail this 28th day of August, 2006 to all counsel on

the attached Service List.

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