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Hon. Scott S. Harris, Clerk
Supreme Court of the United States
One First Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20543

RE: *Michaels v. Davis*
Case No. 23-5038 CAPITAL CASE
Request for Extension of Time

Dear Mr. Harris:

This office represents the respondent in the above-referenced case. The petition for a writ of certiorari was filed on June 30, 2023. The response is currently due on August 4. Pursuant to Rule 30.4, I respectfully request a 30-day extension of time, to September 3, 2023, in which to file the Respondent's Brief in Opposition.

An extension of time would better enable preparation of a response that respondent believes would be most helpful to the Court. Respondent has not previously requested an extension in this matter.

Petitioner's counsel of record, Benjamin Coleman, has advised me that he does not oppose this request

Sincerely,

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