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The Honorable Scott S. Harris  
Clerk of the United States Supreme Court  
One First Street NE  
Washington, D.C. 20543

RE: Request for Extension of Time file Brief in Opposition in  
*David Asa Villarreal v. Texas*, Case No. 24-557

Dear Mr. Harris:

Pursuant to Rule 30.4, respondent respectfully requests a 30-day extension of time to respond to the petition for writ of certiorari, from Monday, January 27, 2025, to and including **Wednesday, February 26, 2025**.

This is respondent's first request for extension of time to file a response. This request is not for the purpose of delay; rather, it is made due to the press of matters in Texas state courts by undersigned counsel and other attorney's in his office who may review the response before final submission. Further, on December 27, 2024, the undersigned had eye surgery, which his doctor estimates will take up to 4 weeks to fully recover from and will require several follow-up appointments.

This brief delay will not prejudice any party. Petitioner's counsel has informed the undersigned by email that he does not object to this request. Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Respectfully,  
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