

July 26 2024

Office of the clerk
Supreme Court of the United States
1 First Street N.E.
Washington DC 20543

Dear Clerk:

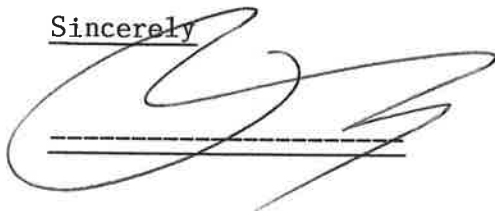
I am asking that you please send me a pro se packet on how to file a writ of certiorari in the Supreme Court.

The Seventh Circuit rendered its decision on June 26 2024 denying my habeas 2254 motion. My lawyer attempted to inform me of this decision as can be seen in the included letter dated June 27 2024. Because of my transfer from Racine Correctional Institute to Stanley Correctional Institute I did not receive this letter until July 24 2024.

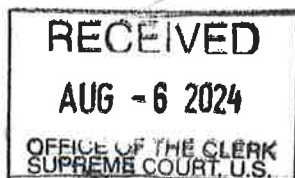
As the letter states Attorney Jensen will not be able to represent me unless I can pay my balance of over \$11,000 which I cannot. Based on all of this information I'm asking for an extension of time to file my writ of certiorari as I'm now pro se and over 30 days into the original 90 day deadline. Also important to note I only receive three one hour law library periods per week.

I did not want to wait to the last minute to request an extension and can assure you I will do my best to submit this writ as soon as possible. I have been told I can only request a 60 day extension. I do not know if that date could be added from the day you mail me the pro se packet or not but any extension of time will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely



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