

**IN THE SUPREME COURT
OF THE UNITED STATES**

**CASE NO.: To Be Set
DIST. COURT CASE NO.: 3:21-cv-00316-TJC-LLL**

**CARL EZEKIEL WOODS,
Petitioner/Appellant,**

v.

**SECRETARY, FLORIDA DEPARTMENT
OF CORRECTIONS, et. al.,
Respondents/Appellees.**

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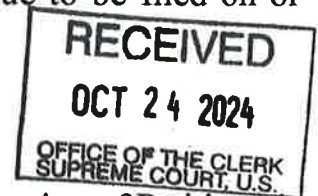
STAFF IN CHARGE
INMATE INTAKE



MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

The Petitioner/Appellant, Carl E. Woods, respectfully moves this Honorable Court pursuant to Fed.R.Civ.P. Rule 6(b) for an order extending the time to file a petition for writ of certiorari, for a period of sixty(60) days. In support, the Petitioner states:

1. The Petitioner's Petition for Writ of Certiorari is presently due to be filed on or around the 25th day of October, 2024.



2. The remaining time is insufficient to insure an adequate presentation of Petitioner's dispute because Petitioner is a pro se litigant without the training of a professional attorney or such resources. Also, Petitioner has been receiving assistance from a certified law clerk within the prison law library and has been informed that more

time is needed to research the records in order to properly present Petitioner's claims.

3. The State will be served a copy of Petitioner's Motion for Extension of Time as is indicated on the Certificate of Service.
4. This motion is being made in good faith and not to delay the process.
5. This request is in accordance with *U.S. v. Ballentine*, 245 F.2d 223 (2nd Cir. 1957) where an extension of time was granted.
6. The Eleventh Circuit Court's order is dated July 26, 2024 (See Exhibit A; order).

WHEREFORE, Petitioner Woods, respectfully moves for an extension of time to file his Petition for Writ of Certiorari for Sixty(60) days to and including December 10, 2024.


Respectfully Submitted.



Carl E. Woods #J50110

UNNOTARIZED OATH


Under penalties of perjury and administrative sanctions from the Department of Corrections including forfeiture of gain time, if this motion is found to be frivolous or made in bad faith, I certify that I understand the contents of the foregoing motion, that the facts contained in the motion are true and correct and that I have reasonable belief that this motion does not duplicate previous motions that have been disposed of by the court. I further certify I understand English and have read the foregoing motion.



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of this motion was furnished to Clerk of the U.S. Supreme Court, 1 First St. NE, Washington, D.C. 20543; and Attorney General, Department of Legal Affairs, The Capitol, PL-01, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1050. On this the 14th day of October 2024.



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Exhibit A

Order from the 11th Circuit

In the
United States Court of Appeals
For the Eleventh Circuit

No. 24-10822

CARL EZEKIEL WOODS,

Petitioner-Appellant,

versus

SECRETARY, DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS,
FLORIDA ATTORNEY GENERAL,

Respondents-Appellees.

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Middle District of Florida
D.C. Docket No. 3:21-cv-00316-TJC-LLL

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Order of the Court

24-10822

ORDER:

Carl Woods moves for a certificate of appealability in order to appeal the denial of his 28 U.S.C. § 2254 petition. Woods's motion for a certificate of appealability is DENIED because he has failed to make a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c)(2).


UNITED STATES CIRCUIT JUDGE