

No. 24A-_____

IN THE
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

JORDAN SHAUN RODGERS,
Petitioner

v.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
Respondent.

**APPLICATION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO
FILE A PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE UNITED
STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT**

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November 15, 2024.

PARTIES TO THE PROCEEDINGS

The petitioner herein, who was the defendant-appellant in the lower court, is Jordan Shaun Rodgers.

The respondent herein, who was the appellee in the lower court, is the State of Texas.

APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

To the Honorable Samuel Alito, Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court and Circuit Justice for the Fifth Circuit:

Pursuant to Rule 13.5 of the Rules of this Court, applicant Jordan Shaun Rodgers respectfully requests a 45-day extension of time, to and including January 17, 2025, within which to file a petition for writ of certiorari.

JUDGMENT FOR WHICH REVIEW IS SOUGHT

The judgment for which review is sought is the decision of the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals which denied petitioner's timely petition for discretionary review in Case No. PD-0602-24 (order attached as Exhibit A).

JURISDICTION

The Texas Court of Criminal Appeals entered judgment on September 4, 2024. Under Rules 13.1, 13.3, and 30.1 of the Rules of this Court, the current deadline for filing a petition for a writ of certiorari, if not extended, will expire on December 3, 2024. In accordance with Rule 13.5, this application is being filed at least ten days in advance of the filing date for a petition for writ of certiorari. This Court will have jurisdiction over any timely filed petition pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1257.

REASONS FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant/Petitioner Rodgers respectfully requests a 45-day extension of time to file a petition for writ of certiorari seeking review of the order of the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals to and including January 17, 2025, for the following reasons:

1. Petitioner is a citizen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. Counsel for petitioner has been in contact with representatives of His Majesty's Government concerning petitioner's case. Counsel for petitioner continues to seek support from His Majesty's Government.

2. Counsel for petitioner has worked diligently on this petition but must share it with colleagues to refine the argument and for comments on the potential of the issues presented.

3. Finally, petitioner remains in the custody of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice and communication with petitioner is challenging.

4. Counsel for respondent, The State of Texas, Joshua Vanderslice is unopposed to this request.

5. Accordingly, to allow counsel sufficient time to prepare a petition for a writ of certiorari that will assist the Court in resolving this matter, counsel respectfully requests a 45-day extension of time.

CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, applicant/petitioner respectfully requests that this Court grant a 45-day extension of time to and including January 17, 2025, in which to file a petition for a writ of certiorari.

Respectfully Submitted,



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Exhibit A

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RODGERS, JORDAN SHAUN Tr. Ct. No. **F22-00524** **COA Case No. 05-23-00316-CR**
PD-0602-24

On this day, the Appellant's petition for discretionary review has been refused.
JUDGE YEARY WOULD GRANT

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On this day, the Appellant's petition for discretionary review has been refused.
JUDGE YEARY WOULD GRANT

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On this day, the Appellant's petition for discretionary review has been refused.
JUDGE YEARY WOULD GRANT

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JUDGE YEARY WOULD GRANT

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On this day, the Appellant's petition for discretionary review has been refused.
JUDGE YEARY WOULD GRANT

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On this day, the Appellant's petition for discretionary review has been refused.
JUDGE YEARY WOULD GRANT

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