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Via ECF and

Federal Express Overnight

Mr. Scott S. Harris Clerk of the Supreme Court of the United States Office of the Clerk 1 First Street, NE Washington, DC 20543-0001

Re:

LUCAS PETERSON, et al., Petitioners, v. WALTER LOUIS

FRANKLIN, II, Trustee for the Estate of Terrance Terrell Franklin,

Respondent. No. 17-1572

Dear Mr. Harris:

I have recently filed my appearance on behalf of Respondent WALTER LOUIS FRANKLIN, II, Trustee for the Estate of Terrance Terrell Franklin in the above captioned case. Pursuant to United States Supreme Court Rule 30, I write to request an extension of time to respond to the above Petition for Writ of Certiorari. On July 19, 2018 you wrote to my cocounsel in this case indicating that the Court had asked for a response to be filed, with a due date of August 20, 2018.

I respectfully request an extension of 30 days to September 19, 2018.

I am new counsel to the case, and we are in the process of admitting co-counsel Jay Paul Deratany to the United States Supreme Court Bar. Consequently, we require the additional time to complete this process and complete our response.

Respectfully,

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No. 17-1572 IN THE Supreme Court of the United States

LUCAS PETERSON, et al Applicant,

WALTER LOUIS FRANKLIN , II, Trustee for the Estate of Terrance Terrell Franklin, Respondent.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to Supreme Court Rules 29.3 and 29.5(b), I, Joseph N. Casciato, a member of the Bar of this Court, hereby certify that on this 16th day of August, 2018, copies of the foregoing Request for Extension of Time to Respond to the Petition for a Writ of Certiorari were served via ECF and first class U.S. mail, postage prepaid, to:

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I further certify that all parties required to be served have been served.

Joseph N. Casciato

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