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Scott S. Harris, Clerk
United States Courthouse
1 First Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20543

Re: Michael Tisius v. State of Missouri
No. 17-6938

Dear Mr. Harris:

I am writing this letter to request an extension of time in which to file the brief in opposition to the petition for writ of certiorari in *Michael Tisius v. State of Missouri*, No. 17-6938. The brief in opposition is by due January 2, 2018. Counsel of record for Mr. Tisius, Laurence Komp, does not oppose this request. I respectfully request an extension of thirty days, until February 1, 2018, to file the brief in opposition.

I appreciate your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

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cc: Laurence Komp, attorney for the petitioner