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1 First Street, NE  
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Subject: Request for Extension of Filing a Petition for a Writ of Certiorari

To Whom It May Concern:

First, I want to thank Office of the Clerk for sending me hardcopy of Rules of the Supreme Court of the United States and Guide for Prospective Indigent Petitioners for Writs of Certiorari from Supreme Court.

After spending a month and half preparing the petition, I realize that I will not be able to finish and submit the petition in 90 days and want to request 60 days of extension. Reasons for extension request are as follows:

1. Although I appealed to the Third Appellate Court of Illinois and Illinois Supreme Court, I found that requirements and process for appealing to the US Supreme Court are completely different. For the petition to be considered and accepted for consideration by the US Supreme Court, I absolutely need a lot more time.
2. Appealing to the US Supreme Court is my last chance. I am a pro se, to do a good job of preparing for the petition, I need 150 days.

A copy of Illinois Supreme Court decision is enclosed. Please grant my request for extension of 60 days. Your consideration is greatly appreciated.

Thank You and Best Regards;

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Enclosure