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In the Supreme Court of the United States

JONATHAN BRYANT,

*Petitioner,*

v.

STATE OF FLORIDA,

*Respondent.*

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APPLICATION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE RESPONSE  
IN OPPOSITION TO A PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO  
THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT

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DIRECTED TO THE HONORABLE CLARENCE THOMAS,  
ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES  
AND CIRCUIT JUSTICE FOR THE ELEVENTH CIRCUIT

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To the Honorable Clarence Thomas, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, as Circuit Justice for the United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit:

Respondent, the State of Florida, respectfully requests an extension of 30 days for the State to file its response in opposition in this criminal case. The response in opposition is currently due on Friday, September 10, 2018. *See* S. Ct. R. 13.1, 13.3. By operation of Supreme Court Rule 30.1, a 30-day extension would make a response in opposition to the petition for a writ of certiorari due on Wednesday, October 10, 2018.

On August 29, 2018, Counsel contacted Glen Gifford, Esquire attorney for petitioner who has no objection to this requested motion for extension of 30 days.

As such, Respondent is requesting a thirty-day extension from the date of filing of the Response in Opposition to the Petition for Writ of Certiorari file in the United State Supreme Court.

## CONCLUSION

The State of Florida respectfully requests that the Court extend the time within which to file its Response in Opposition until October 10, 2018.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished by U.S Mail and e-file portal to; Glen Gifford, Esquire at Glen.Gofford@flpd2.com, on this 29th day of August 2018.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Trisha Meggs Pate", with a stylized flourish at the end.

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