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Honorable Danny Bickell, Deputy Clerk  
Supreme Court of the United States  
Office of the Clerk  
1 First Street, N.E.  
Washington, D.C. 20543

Re: *Travis Trevino Runnels v. Lorie Davis*, No. 18-8440

Dear Mr. Bickell:

This is to request a thirty-day extension of time, up to and including May 17, 2019, in which to file a brief in opposition in the above-styled cause. The undersigned has recently filed two briefs in opposition in this Court. *Batiste v. Davis*, No. 18-7431 (filed March 15, 2019); *Soliz v. Davis*, No. 18-7326 (filed Feb. 28, 2019). The undersigned also recently filed a response to a motion for post-judgment relief in *Renteria v. Davis*, No. 3:15-CV-62 (filed March 26, 2019), and a lengthy post-hearing brief in *Green v. Davis*, No. 4:13-CV-1899 (S.D. Tex.) (filed April 1, 2019). In the upcoming weeks, the undersigned has two other briefs in opposition due to file in this Court. *Murphy v. Texas*, No. 18-1022 (due April 19, 2019); *Raby v. Davis*, No. 18-8214 (due May 3, 2019). Thus, the undersigned requests additional time to file the brief in opposition in the above-styled cause. This is the first extension of time requested by the Director.

The undersigned has conferred with counsel for petitioner, Mark Pickett, and he stated the requested extension is unopposed. Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

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