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May 30, 2019

Honorable Clarence Thomas  
Supreme Court of the United States  
1 First Street, N.E.  
Washington, D.C. 20543

**Re: Montye Benjamin v. Lynn Thomas**  
**Court Below: United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit**  
**Case #: 18-10204**

Dear Justice Thomas:

I represent Montye Benjamin, the administratrix of the Estate of her late son, Jayvis Ledell Benjamin, in the above-entitled action. On March 13, 2019, the United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit affirmed an order of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia granting summary judgment in favor of the Defendant-Appellee and dismissing this civil rights action for the wrongful death of Jayvis Ledell Benjamin.

The petition in this Court is due on or before June 11, 2019. I write to respectfully request an additional 30 days to file the petition for a writ of certiorari to July 11, 2019. I make this request because I am in the process of determining whether my client qualifies for in forma pauperis relief; if she does, I will represent her pro bono in this Court. If she does not, she will have to find other funding to pay for the filing, printing and binding, but I have still pledged to represent her pro bono.

I am making this request in good faith and not for the purpose of undue delay. I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing has been furnished to Keri P. Ware, Esq. and Stephen G. Quinn, Esq., counsel for the Defendant-Appellee.

If the Court has any additional questions I am available at the Court's convenience. Thank you.

Respectfully Submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Pursuant to Rule 29.5 of the Supreme Court of the United of America, the following parties have been served via USPS mail on May 30, 2019 to:

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