



DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
APPELLATE DIVISION

September 3, 2019

Scott S. Harris, Clerk of the Court  
United States Supreme Court  
Office of the Clerk  
1 First Street, N.E.  
Washington, D.C. 20543-0001

**Re: *David Ray Taylor v. Oregon***  
**No. 19-5493**

Dear Mr. Harris:

Respondent requests a 30-day extension of time to file its response to the petition for a writ of certiorari. With this extension, the response would be due on October 7, 2019. This request is necessary because I have been preparing for an *en banc* oral argument in the Ninth Circuit on September 23rd. Counsel for petitioner has informed me that he does not object to this request.

Sincerely,

/s/ Benjamin Gutman

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Benjamin Gutman  
Solicitor General

cc: Daniel Charles Bennett, counsel for petitioner

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