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January 24, 2020
Hon. Danny Bickell, Deputy Clerk
Supreme Court of the United States
Office of the Clerk
1 First Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20543

Re: *Marcus Bartholomew Booker v. Texas*, No 19-6213

Dear Mr. Bickell:

This letter is to request a thirty-day extension of time in which to file a brief in opposition in the above-styled cause. The need for an extension of time is due to the following: (1) the undersigned attorney was assigned to the above-styled cause today due to the prior counsel of record's unexpected termination from the Dallas County District Attorney's Office this morning; and (2) the undersigned attorney's capital docket, habeas docket, and other work-related commitments.

This is the second extension of time requested by the State.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Respectfully,

/s/ Rebecca Ott Labardini

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