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The Honorable Scott S. Harris
Clerk of Court, Supreme Court of the United States
1 First Street, NE
Washington, D.C. 20543

Re: *Carl Labat v. Darrel Vannoy, Warden* (19-6701)

Dear Mr. Harris:

This Court has requested a response from the Respondent, Louisiana, in this matter. The brief in opposition is currently due on February 10, 2020. Recently the Louisiana Department of Justice became involved with this petition for certiorari. Considering the issues involved, the State requests an extension of thirty days in which to file its brief in opposition.

The new due date would be March 11, 2020.

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