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## VIA U.S. MAIL

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

Re: Lambert v. Louisiana, Case No. 19-8149

Dear Mr. Harris,

Respondent filed its brief in opposition to certiorari in the above-captioned case on July 22, 2020. The first distribution date for paid petitions following the 14-day grace-period is August 6, 2020.

Pursuant to the Court's March 19, 2020 order, Petitioner respectfully requests that the Court delay distribution of this petition by 14 days, until the Court's August 20, 2020 distribution date. Petitioner requests this additional time to file a certiorari reply based on substantial disturbances caused by the COVID-19 outbreak. This request will not affect the Court's conference date; the case will remain allotted to the September 29, 2020 conference.

Respondent does not oppose this request.

Very truly yours,

Amir H. Ali

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