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September 20, 2019

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

Re: **Chesley Eugene Saunders v. Secretary, Florida Department of Corrections**
Court Below: **United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit**
Case #: **19-11305**

Dear Justice Thomas:

I represent Chesley Eugene Saunders in the above-entitled action. On July 8, 2019, the United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit denied my client a Certificate of Appealability, effectively affirming a judgment of the United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida. That judgment denied my client a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254.

The petition in this Court is due on or before October 7, 2019. I write to respectfully request an additional 30 days to file the petition for a writ of certiorari to November 8, 2019. I make this request because I have several other cases with pressing deadlines and because I need to confer with my client about a specific issue and he is presently incarcerated, making communication with him difficult.

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 Douglas T. Squire, Esq., Assistant Attorney General, who is counsel for the Respondent.

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

Respectfully Submitted,

Patrick Michael Megaro, Esq.



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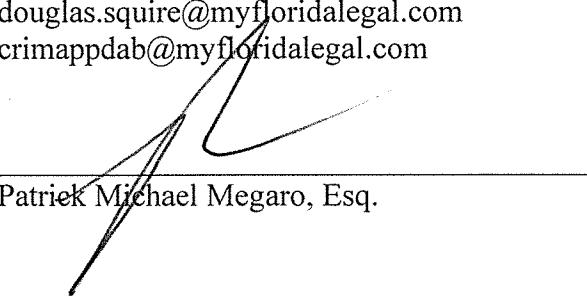
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to Rule 29.5 of the Supreme Court of the United of America, the following parties have been served via USPS mail on September 20, 2019 to:

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