

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Seventh Circuit Appeal No. 18-2662

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IN THE  
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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JOSEPH A. WILLIAMS,

*Petitioner,*

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

*Respondent.*

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**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE  
PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI**

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To the Honorable Brett M. Kavanaugh, Associate Justice for the Supreme Court of the United States and Circuit Justice for the Seventh Circuit:

Pursuant to Supreme Court Rules 13.5, 22, and 20.2, Petitioner Joseph Williams, through counsel and pursuant to the attached affidavit of counsel (Exhibit A), respectfully requests that the time to file a Petition for Writ of Certiorari in this matter be extended for sixty days to and including December 20, 2019. Counsel was appointed pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act of 1964 (“CJA”). (Exhibit B - Appointment Order.)

On July 23, 2019, the Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit issued its opinion affirming Mr. William’s sentence in his federal case. (Exhibit C - Court

of Appeals Opinion.) Therefore, absent an extension of time, Mr. Mitchell's Petition would be due on October 21, 2019. Petitioner is filing this Motion at least ten days before that date. See S. Ct. R. 13.5. This Court would have jurisdiction over the judgment of the District Court for the Northern District of Indiana and Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit under 18 U.S.C. § 1254(1).

For the foregoing reasons, and pursuant to the attached affidavit of counsel, Mr. Williams respectfully requests that the Court extend the time to file a Petition for a Writ of Certiorari in this matter sixty days to and including December 20, 2019.

Date: 09/27/2019

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