



**DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
APPELLATE DIVISION**

March 16, 2021

Scott S. Harris, Clerk of the Court
United States Supreme Court
Office of the Clerk
1 First Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20543-0001

**Re: *Fivea Sharipoff v. Rob Persson, Superintendent, Coffee Creek
Correctional Institution, No. 20-7353***

Dear Mr. Harris:

Respondent requests a 45-day extension of time to file the brief in opposition to the petition for a writ of certiorari. With this extension, the brief in opposition would be due on May 24, 2021. This request is necessary because of the press of other work assigned to the attorney who will be handling the brief in opposition, including the briefing and argument in the Oregon Supreme Court in *Jackson v. Franke*, No. S067884.

Counsel for petitioner does not object to this request.

Sincerely,

/s/ Benjamin Gutman

Benjamin Gutman
Solicitor General

Certificate of Service

I, Benjamin Gutman, a member of the Bar of the Court, hereby certify that on March 16, 2021, I directed the request for an extension of time in the foregoing case to be served by mailing a copy, with postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to:

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