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

**Re: *Mike Brown, Acting Warden, Petitioner v. Ervine Davenport, No. 20-826***

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned matter was docketed on December 18, 2020, and any response is currently due on January 19, 2021. Pursuant to Rule 30.4, Respondent Ervine Davenport respectfully requests a 30-day extension of time up to and including Thursday, February 18, 2021 within which to file a response to the petition.

We are requesting an extension due to the press of other client business, the holiday season, and disruptions caused by the COVID-19 pandemic. This is Respondent's first request for an extension of time.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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