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## STATE OF OKLAHOMA OKLAHOMA INDIGENT DEFENSE SYSTEM

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

Re: Oklahoma v. Sims, No. 21-1102

April 22, 2022

Dear Mr. Harris:

The Oklahoma Indigent Defense System represented Ms. Sims in the appellate proceedings before the Oklahoma Court of Criminal Appeals in the matter for which the State of Oklahoma now seeks certiorari review.

Ms. Sims received appellate relief from the Oklahoma Court of Criminal Appeals in Case No. F-2017-635 on October 7, 2021, and the mandate was issued on October 29, 2021. Petitioner Oklahoma filed its petition for a writ of certiorari on February 4, 2022.

Respondents' response to the petition is due on May 2, 2022. Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 30.4, I write to request a thirty (30) day extension of time to file a response to the petition in this case.

Counsel presently oversees completion of multiple briefs in the Oklahoma Court of Criminal Appeals, including a number of briefs due on final deadline at the beginning of May 2022.

For these reasons, I respectfully request a thirty (30) day extension of time, until June 1, 2022, to file a response to the petition.

Sincerely,

Cindy Danner

Division Chief, General Appeals Division

Oklahoma Indigent Defense System