

Office of Attorney General State of Oklahoma

October 26, 2021

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

Re: Parish v. Oklahoma, No. 21-467

Dear Mr. Harris,

Pursuant to Supreme Court Rules 15.3 and 30.4, undersigned counsel hereby requests a 24-day extension of time in which to respond to the petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case. The response is currently due on October 29, 2021. Respondents request the extension through and including Monday, November 22, 2021.

Counsel for Respondents are engaged in emergency appellate proceedings in an unrelated matter regarding a scheduled execution this week. Moreover, amicus curiae have notified Respondents of an intent to file a brief in support of Petitioner in this matter, so counsel requires additional time to review any such filing. Finally, this case presents issues related to the issues in Oklahoma v. Castro-Huerta, No. 21-429, where the brief in opposition is due November 22, 2021. Accordingly, undersigned counsel believes that the Court would benefit from considering the petitions in this case and in Castro-Huerta at the same time, and additional time to address the issues raised in this case is necessary to materially assist counsel in preparing a brief in opposition that will best aid the Court in ruling on the petition.

For these reasons, Respondents respectfully request an additional twenty-four days, until November 22, 2021, in which to file its response to the petition.

Respectfully,

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cc: Petitioner