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Honorable Scott S. Harris Clerk Supreme Court of the United States 1First Street, NE Washington, DC 20543

Re:

Ohio v. Brinkman, No. 21-603

Respondent's First Request for Extension of Time to Respond to Ohio's Petition

for Writ of Certiorari

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for writ of certiorari in the above-referenced case was filed on October 19, 2021 and placed on the Court's docket October 26, 202. Respondent's response is currently due on November 26, 2021.

Respondent respectfully requests, under Rule 30.4 of this Court's Rules, an extension of time to and including December 23, 2019 within which to file his response. This extension is necessary because undersigned counsel, who is responsible for the preparation of the response, is engaged with other matters that require his attention and he will require the additional time to prepare his response.

Counsel for Petitioner, State of Ohio, has no objection to this request. This is the first request made by Respondent.

Respectfully,

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Counsel for Respondent

cc. See accompanying Proof of Service