

No. 21-7646
CAPITAL CASE

IN THE
Supreme Court of the United States

JASON DELACERDA,
Petitioner

v.
STATE OF TEXAS,
Respondent

On Petition for a Writ of Certiorari
to the Court of Criminal Appeals of Texas

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
WITHIN WHICH TO FILE BRIEF IN OPPOSITION**

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RE: No. 21-7646; CAPITAL CASE
Jason Delacerda, Petitioner v. State of Texas, Respondent

To the Clerk of the Court,

On April 19, 2022, Petitioner filed a Petition for a Writ of Certiorari. Respondent's Brief in Opposition is due May 19, 2022. No prior requests for extension of time have been submitted.

Counsel for Respondent is presently employed as a full-time Assistant District Attorney for the State of Texas, handling a voluminous pre-indictment and post-conviction caseload. Therefore, pursuant to Rule 30, undersigned counsel respectfully requests thirty (30) additional days within which to prepare and file Respondent's Brief in Opposition.

Respectfully submitted,

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