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**Via E-filing System**

Mr. Scott S. Harris  
Supreme Court of the United States  
Office of the Clerk  
Washington, DC 20543-0001

Re: Michael Billioni v. Bruce Bryant, Sheriff, York County, S.C., et al.  
No. 21-792

Dear Mr. Harris:

Pursuant to Rule 30.4 I am requesting a 30-day extension of time to file a brief opposing certiorari in the above matter. Our current deadline is December 30, 2021. We were notified of the docketing of the petition through the District Court's ECF system on December 2, 2021. My teenage son died unexpected early the morning of Saturday, December 4, 2021, and between that and the holidays, I do not expect to be able to complete the brief. Accordingly, I am respectfully requesting a 30-day extension, which would move the due date to January 29, 2022. Since that day is a Saturday, the brief would be due Monday, January 31, 2022. Counsel for petitioner have authorized me to convey to you their consent to the motion. Pursuant to the Court's order of July 19, 2021, this letter is being filed by electronic means only. I appreciate your consideration.

With high regards,

Sincerely,

Christopher W. Johnson

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