

NO. 21A559

IN THE
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

DAVID LEN MOULTON — PETITIONER

VS.

BOBBY LUMPKIN — RESPONDENT

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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TO THE HONORABLE JUDGES OF THIS COURT:

COMES NOW, DAVID LEN MOULTON ("Moulton"), TDCJ#1645647, Petitioner Pro se and brings this Motion for Extension of Time to file a Writ of Certiorari ("WOC").

By the Rules and Order of this Court, Moulton is required to file said WOC within 90 days of the date of the denial of a Certificate of Appealability (5th Cir. No. 20-40364; USDC No. 2:18-CV-30). Moulton's COA was denied on December 2, 2021 making the due date March 2, 2022.

Moulton received the denial notification on December 9, 2021 and is experiencing extraordinary circumstances slowing needed research time almost to a halt. Moulton is limited to case law "loaning" or "shepardizing" a combined total of three cases per day severely slowing much needed legal research. Moulton has also been on a COVID quarantine for most of 2022 and for several months in 2021 limiting law library access to 3 cases 3 times a week pending no holidays fall on those days. This doesn't include the twice annual institutional shakedown/lockdowns that typically last a minimum of twenty-one days.

This request is not designed to harass the Respondent, this Court nor unnecessarily delay these proceedings, but to ensure Moulton is fully able to address all issues properly. Moulton is a layman and untrained in all aspects of legal research and writing.

CONCLUSION

Moulton respectfully requests an extension of time of sixty days up to and including May 31, 2022 to file said WOC.

Respectfully submitted,


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