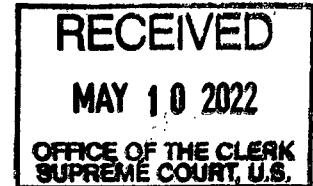


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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

JEFFREY L. CLEMENS,	)	Case No. [1 <sup>st</sup> Circuit]: 20-2127
	)	
Petitioner,	)	<b>PETITIONER'S APPLICATION</b>
	)	<b>FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME</b>
v.	)	<b>TO FILE HIS PETITION FOR A WRIT</b>
	)	<b>OF CERTIORARI</b>
Stephen C. Pfaff, et al.,	)	
	)	Rule 22
Respondent[s].	)	
	)	



The petitioner, Jeffrey L. Clemens, for good cause shown, does hereby request an extension of time to file his Petition For a Writ of Certiorari in the above-referenced case entitled Clemens v. Pfaff and originally filed in the U.S. District Court/Boston, Case No. 20-mc-91504-LTS. The First Circuit, after consideration of a Petition For Panel Rehearing, issued its mandate on February 22, 2022 thus establishing May 22, 2022 as the date upon which a Petition For a Writ of Certiorari is otherwise due.

However, having intent to give full attention and regard to the petition this month, following the completion of extensive coursework at Lake Michigan College where petitioner is a viticulture and enology major, on April 13, 2022, the petitioner was injured in a car accident in Allegan County, Michigan. He now suffers significant and at times severe and debilitating neck pains that prevent him from working at his computer to the extent necessary in order to

complete his petition in timely fashion. As well, hospital and medical clinic visits, for testing and treatment, have taken a considerable amount of time away from being able to work on his petition, one which he fully intends to complete and file with this court.

The petitioner therefore prays for an extension of thirty [30] days to complete and submit his petition. Issues on appeal involve, in part, pleading standards and the interpretation of this court's *Iqbal* case. At this point, an extension will assure that this court receives the best petition possible so that it is better able to properly consider the issues. Although sixty [60] days would be welcomed, thirty [30] days are appreciated and accepted.<sup>1</sup>

Respectfully submitted,



Jeffrey L. Clemens

Dated this 7<sup>th</sup> day of May 2022

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<sup>1</sup> It should be noted that this is not the first time that Clemens has filed a petition with this court. In 2015, he filed Petition No. 15-790 in a case entitled Clemens v. United States. Originally scheduled for consideration on February 16, 2016, such date was interrupted by the passing of Justice Scalia. The court later denied the petition. As well, Clemens filed Petition No. 00-1581 in a case entitled Clemens v. Gavin de Becker, Inc., denied as well, May 29, 2001.