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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Scott S. Harris, Clerk
Supreme Court of the United States
One First Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20543

Re: Thomas Michael Dixon v. Texas, No. 22-511

Dear Mr. Harris:

Pursuant to Rule 30.4 of the United States Supreme Court, the State of Texas respectfully requests a thirty-day extension of time to file a brief in opposition to the Petition for Writ of Certiorari. The Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above entitled case was filed on November 22, 2022. On January 30, 2023, the Court requested a response from the State, to be filed on or before March 1, 2023.

Undersigned counsel represents the State of Texas in the above referenced matter, and is currently working on several appellate matters with deadlines in the next thirty days, as well as ongoing felony trials in Lubbock County.

Accordingly, the State respectfully requests a thirty-day extension of time, until March 31, 2023, to file its brief in opposition. Thank you for your time and attention in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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