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COMES NOW, Israel Manuel Rios, Petitioner in the above -styled and -numbered cause, and files his Application for an Extension of Time to file his Writ of Certiorari and further shows this Honorable Court JUST CAUSE to GRANT Petitioner's request below:

- 1• The Petitioner is currently incarcerated in the TDCJ-CID Coffield Unit in Anderson County, Texas.
- 2• The Petitioner is indigent and is therefore, without Counsel for his help and is proceeding in the pro se status.
- 3• The Coffield Unit law library only allows inmates TEN (10)

hours per week to conduct their research, prepare and draft out legal documents, and file their documents in the proper Court.

4• Additionally, during each law library session (two hours in duration) inmates are only allowed to request for three (3) specified authority (i.e. either shepards, case law, or relevant statutory law) from Lexis Nexis that must be returned at the end of each session.

5• The TDCJ further limits all requests for Supreme Court case law to the previous thirty (30) years, therefore, there is a lot of research I have to request from family to get from outside law libraries and then mailed to me at the Coffield Unit.

6• The Coffield law library cannot provide West Law citations or search by docket number, the Court of Appeals has cited to case law that is unpublished and without any Lexis number, therefore, Petitioner must obtain this case law from outside sources and mailed to him at the unit.

7• The Court of Appeals for the Fifth District, at Dallas, affirmed Petitioner's conviction on October 29, 2021 (see Rios v. State No. 05-20-00420-CR (Tex. App.--Dallas, Unpub.).

8• The Court of Criminal Appeals Refused Petitioner's Petition for Discretionary Review on February 16, 2022.

9• The Petitioner's current deadline to file his Writ of Certiorari is on May 17th, 2022.

10• Petitioner is requesting for a SIXTY (60) day extension of time to file his Writ of Certiorari in this Honorable Court, or a reasonable amount of time this Honorable Court sees fit.

11. The proposed deadline for Petitioner to file his Writ of Certiorari will be July 16th, 2022, or a reasonable amount of time this Honorable Court sees fit.
12. This MOTION is prepared in GOOD FAITH so that justice may prevail and not to delay or harasss the proceeding, parties, or this Honorable Court.
13. Therefore, Petitioner seeks for a SIXTY (60) day extension of time, or a reasonable amount of time this Honorable Court sees fit, in order to properly prepare a Writ, research on the legal issues and present the issues to this Honorable Court.

**PRAYER FOR RELIEF:**

Petitioner prays that this Honorable Court will GRANT his request for a extension of time to and including July 16, 2022, or a reasonable amount of time this Honorable Court sees fit.

Respectfully Submitted,



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INMATE DECLARATION:

I, Israel Manuel Rios, TDCJ# 02311120, Petitioner in the above -styled and -numbered cause, being incarcerated in the TDCJ-CID Coffield Unit in Anderson County, Texas, declares that the foregoing above is true and correct under the penalty of perjury. Executed on this 28 day of February 2022.



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