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September 27, 2022

The Honorable Scott S. Harris Clerk of Court Supreme Court of the United State 1 First Street, NE Washington, DC 20543

Re: <u>Mikal D. Mahdi v. Bryan Stirling and Lydell Chestnut</u>

Case No. 22-5536

Dear Mr. Harris:

This letter is to respectfully request, pursuant to Rule 30.4 of the rules of this Court, a thirty (30) day extension in which to file the Brief in Opposition to the Petition for Writ of Certiorari in this case, which is currently due to the filed on October 11, 2022.

To allow Respondents sufficient time to prepare the brief in opposition in this capital case, counsel request an extension of thirty (30) days, until November 10, 2022.

We have consulted with opposing counsel and counsel for Petitioner advised they have no objection to this request.

Sincerely,

s/ Melody J. Brown

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s/ J. Anthony Mabry

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