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Via Electronic Filing System

Hon. Scott S. Harris, Clerk Supreme Court of the United States One First Street, NE Washington, DC 20543

RE: James Michael Fayed v. Ronald Brromfield, Warden, No. 22-6594 Request for Extension of Time to File Brief in Opposition to Petition for Certiorari

Dear Mr. Harris:

I represent the respondent Warden of San Quentin State Prison in the above-entitled case.¹ The petition for writ of certiorari was filed on January 10, 2023. This is a capital case in which petitioner is self-represented, and the brief in opposition is currently due on February 22, 2023. Pursuant to Rule 30.4, I respectfully request that the time for filing that brief be extended by thirty days, to March 24, 2023.

This is respondent's first request for an extension of time. My office was not served with the petition for writ of certiorari at the time it was filed, and I first learned of the petition on February 13, 2023. An extension of time would better enable the preparation of a response that respondent believes would be most helpful to the Court.

¹ This Court's docket indicates the named respondent is "Ronald Brromfield, Warden" but the acting Warden of San Quentin State Prison, where petitioner is currently incarcerated, is Oak Smith.

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Accordingly, I respectfully request that the due date for the brief in opposition to the petition for writ of certiorari be extended to March 24, 2023.

Sincerely,

<u>/s/ Idan Ivri</u> IDAN IVRI Supervising Deputy Attorney General

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cc: James Michael Fayed, Petitioner