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### SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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Petitioner-Applicant,	Š	,
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Bobby Lumkin, Director, Texas	Ş	
Department of Criminal Justice,	Ş -	
Correctional Institutions	Ş	
Division,	Ş	
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Respondent.	§	

# APPLICATION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE A PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI

According to Supreme Court Rule 30.2. Whenever a Justice or Clerk is empowered by law or these Rules to extend the time to file any document, an application or motion seeking an extension shall be filed within the period sought to be extended. An application to extend the time to file a petition for a writ of certiorari or to file a jurisdictional statement must be filed at least 10 days before the specified final filing date as computed under these Rules;...

On September 12, 2022, the U.S. 5th Circuit court of appeals denied Petitioner-Applicant's Certificate of Appealability in case No. 22-10067 as time barred (See Appendix-A). On September 25, 2022, Petitioner-Applicant filed his Motion for Extension of Time to File Motion for Reconsideration (See Appendices B and C).

On October 06, 2022, Petitioner-Applicant filed his Motion for Reconsideration. On October 27, 2022, the 5th Circuit court

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of appeals granted Petitioner-Applicant's Motion for Extension of Time to File Motion for Reconsideration (See Appendix-D).

November 04, 2022, in case No. 22-10067, the 5th Circuit On court of appeals denied without [ANY] signature Petitioner-Applicant's Motion for Reconsideration (See Appendix-E). Therefore, Petitioner-Applicant's ninety day deadline to file his Petition for a Writ of Certiorari is due on February 01, 2023. On January 😘 09, 2023, Petitioner-Applicant filed an Application for an Extension of Time to File a Petition for a writ of Certiorari in the above-entitled case No. 22-10067 was postmarked on January 11, 2023, and received by the Court on January 19, 2023. The Application was returned by the Court for the following reasons: Rules 13.5 and 29.5 (See Appendix-F). [T]his Petitioner-Applicant is respectfully requesting the Court to extend the time for filing upto April 03, 2023, which would be an extension of 60 days to give Petitioner-Applicant an sufficient amount of time to put the best construction possible for the Court's consideration his Petition for a Writ of Certiorari. Petitioner-Applicant of states that he has over the years been diagnosed with chronic health issues (i.e. high blood pressure, arthritis, prostate, hepatitis-C, etc., etc.) and that it is very difficult for this Petitioner-Applicant to concentrate due to being under a lot of stress and having some anxiety because of being threatened with death in an underhanded way by the Respondent. This extension is not for delay, harassment, or a cause to prejudice any party involved in this case, but, only that justice is served in this

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case. Petitioner-Applicant want to make sure that the statement and the arguments are in agreement with the questions presented for review, and that the appendices shed light on the petition[]. Respectfully submitted,

Dennis Hood, Pro se Petitioner-Applicant 5th Circuit No. 22-10067 Sup.Ct. No. \_\_\_\_A\_\_\_\_

#### PRAYER

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, [t]his Petitioner-Applicant prays that the Court Grants his Application for an Extension of Time to File a Petition for a Writ of Certiorari, upto and including April 03, 2023.

EXECUTED ON: January 25, 2023.

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