

Office of the Clerk
Supreme Court of the United States
Washington D.C. 20543

Dear Clerk of the Supreme Court,

4/1/2023

I am writing to ask the Court for an extension to the 90 day filing time to file a 'Petition for Writ of Certiorari'.

The case for which I am seeking the 'Writ' is from the U.S. District Court for the Western District of New York. The

Docket number is 6:04-cr-06180-CJS. The last appeal for this case was from the 2nd Circuit, Doc. #22-1611.

The reasons I am asking for this extension are as follows;

1) I am a 68 year old indigent person acting pro-se with very limited knowledge of Court rules and procedures.

2) One week prior to receiving the Appellate Courts order denying request for a 'Certificate of Appealability' my post release supervising officer suddenly said I could no longer use the State Court's computerized law library. He had allowed me to use it for several years prior but has now changed his mind. It was not because of anything I did nor any changes in my circumstances. Because I am on a very low fixed income I can not afford Westlaw or Lexis so legal research is very slow and difficult for me.

3) When I filed the request for the 'Cert. of Appealability' I included an appeal of the District Court's denial of my request for permission to request discovery for my 28 u.s.c, 2255 filing. I did this because the District Court issued just one 'Order' denying both my 2255 and the request for permission to seek discovery (after a 2 1/2 year wait). I had asked the District Court, via a motion, to delay ruling on the 2255 petition until after it had ruled on the discovery issue but the District Court ignored that 'Motion'. The 2nd Circuit made no mention of the "discovery issue" in it's denial 'Order' and it took several weeks of trying to find out if the

Circuit would issue a separate Order on that matter or not. It took 4 weeks before the 2nd Circuit

Court Clerk finally said "the case is closed, nothing more will be done". This gave me a late start filing the present

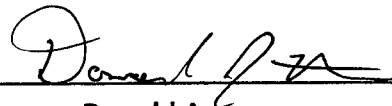
'Petition for Writ of Certiorari'.

For the above reasons, I respectfully ask this Court to grant me an extension in time to file the 'Petition for Writ of Certiorari' for as long as possible (60 days?).

The extension would in no way adversely effect the Government or pose any risk to the public.

Respectfully Yours,

Dated 4/1/23

Signed 
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