April 20, 2023

Justice Alito
Justice of The United States Supreme Court
One First Street N. E.
Washington, D.C 20543

Dear Justice Alito:

The Petitioners, Patrice P. Johnson and Beverly J. Moss are submitting this letter of application to make a request for an extension of time to file a writ of certiorari. Our case was dismissed by the Texas 12th circuit court of appeals and the Texas supreme court for want of prosecution (WOP). The 12th circuit court dismissed the Appellant's case for WOP based upon a technicality that was created by unforeseen and unintended health crises of both PPJ and BJM, two elderly ladies, also by the unexpected withdrawal of their former legal counsel who gave them no prior notice of his intent to withdraw. Please see attached, affidavit for additional incidents of health crises and U. S. Postal Service delays that severely hindered Appellants timely and effective responses to deadlines and communications. Please note we are not attaching medical records according to instructions from Emily in the U. S. Supreme Court's Clerk's Office. Also, the trial court did not dismiss our case but did a bench trial instead of a trial by jury that was timely requested and all fees paid by us, the defendants, as required by the 369th District Court in Palestine, Texas. The trial court judge ruled in favor of the plaintiffs without them providing any legal, verifiable deeds of ownership.

The Petitioners seek justice to avoid the loss of their inherited property based on technicality rather than merits of the case. Our prayer is that the United State Supreme Court will have mercy on us, the petitioners, and grant us our request for a sixty (60) day extension of time to complete a writ of certiorari.

Sincerely,

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