



SPECIAL PROSECUTION UNIT

P.O. Box 1744
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October 19, 2023

Mr. Scott S. Harris, Clerk
Supreme Court of the United States
Via electronic filing

Re: Cause No. 23-5682, Dillion Gage Compton v. Texas

Dear Sir:

I was informed today that the waiver, previously filed, is not acceptable in this case, because it involves a capital murder conviction. The State's response is due November 1, 2023.

Counsel is busily working on another capital murder case, with a scheduled execution date of October 26, 2023. That does not leave time to prepare an adequate response in the Compton case by the due date.

Please extend the State's deadline by 30 days. A response will be filed in that time.

Sincerely,
Melinda Fletcher,
General Counsel