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VIA ELECTRONIC DELIVERY

Honorable Scott S. Harris Clerk of Court Supreme Court of the United States One First Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20543

Re: Jimmie Jerome Manning, Jr. v. Florida, Case No. 23-6049

Dear Mr. Harris:

On behalf of the Respondent in this matter, and pursuant to Rule 30.4, I respectfully request a 30-day extension to file the Brief in Opposition, extending the January 17, 2024 deadline to February 16, 2024. The extension is necessary because the Office of the Solicitor General has a number of pressing deadlines in various other matters with limited staff assistance. Counsel for Petitioner does not object to this extension of time.

Sincerely,

/s/ Henry C. Whitaker Henry C. Whitaker Counsel of Record

cc: Benedict P. Kuehne *Counsel of Record*