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

RE: *Ralph Harrison Benning v. Tyrone Oliver, et al.* **Case No. 23-664**

Dear Mr. Harris:

Respondents respectfully request an extension of time to respond to the petition for a writ of certiorari. The current deadline for a response is Wednesday, February 21, 2024. Respondents request a 30-day extension to and including Friday, March 22, 2024. The extension is requested due to the press of other matters in both state and federal courts.

Sincerely,

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