

Exhibit A

Application for Extension of Time

MICHAEL JONATHON CARLSON,

Applicant/Petitioner

v.

STATE OF ARIZONA,

Respondent.



Supreme Court

STATE OF ARIZONA

ROBERT BRUTINEL
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TRACIE K. LINDEMAN
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October 17, 2023

RE: STATE OF ARIZONA v MICHAEL JONATHON CARLSON
Arizona Supreme Court No. CR-22-0157-PC
Pima County Superior Court No. CR20093544-001

GREETINGS:

The following action was taken by the Supreme Court of the State of Arizona on October 17, 2023, in regard to the above-referenced cause:

ORDERED: Unopposed Motion for Procedural Order/Motion to Stay Consideration of Petition for Review Pending Outcome of Successive Rule 32 Proceedings = DENIED.

FURTHER ORDERED: Petition for Review of Denial of Post-Conviction Relief (Capital Case) = GRANTED on Issue G(2) but denying relief. The record does not show that trial and appellate counsel violated Carlson's Sixth Amendment right to effective assistance of counsel by failing to invoke Simmons v. South Carolina, 512 U.S. 154 (1994).

FURTHER ORDERED: Petition for review is denied on all other issues presented.

Justice Lopez did not participate in the determination of this matter.

Tracie K. Lindeman, Clerk

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