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

Re: *Lamizana v. Louisiana*, No. 24-7252

Dear Mr. Harris:

Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 30.4, the State of Louisiana respectfully requests an additional extension of 14 days, to and including August 13, 2025, within which to file its brief in opposition to the petition for writ of certiorari in *Lamizana v. Louisiana*, No. 24-7252. The Court docketed the petition on April 30, 2025. The State filed a response waiver on May 21, 2025. The Court requested a response on May 29, 2025. Because the Court granted the State's first request for a 30-day extension, the State's brief in opposition is currently due on July 30, 2025.

This is the State's second and last request for an extension of time. The extension is needed in light of other deadlines and conflicts faced by undersigned counsel of record for the State and the assistant solicitor general responsible for this matter, including a response to a motion for rehearing in *In re D.D.*, No. 2024-CK-00254 (La.), due on July 21; oral argument on the State's exceptions in *Hampton v. Landry*, No. C-759757 (La. 19th Jud. Dist. Ct.), on July 22; a reply/cross-appellee brief in *Deep South Today v. Murrill*, No. 25-30128 (5th Cir.), due on July 28; and oral argument in *Voice of the Experienced v. LeBlanc*, No. 25-30322 (5th Cir.), on August 4.



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The requested 14-day extension will not prejudice any party because the petition will not be conferenced until September.

Respectfully submitted,

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