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June 27, 2018

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

Re: Rogers Lacaze v. Louisiana,  
No. 17-1566

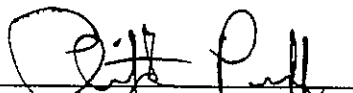
Dear Mr. Harris:

In a letter dated June 11, 2018, you advised that the State of Louisiana has been asked to file a response in the above-referenced matter on or before July 11, 2018. We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of the Court, an extension of time to and including August 10, 2018, within which to file State's response.

This extension is requested because undersigned counsel, who is responsible for preparation of the State's response, has been and continues to be occupied by numerous preexisting deadlines in other matters.

Counsel for petitioner does not oppose this extension.

Respectfully yours,

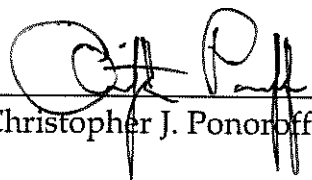
  
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cc: see attached Certificate of Service

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 30.4, I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing letter has been served pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 29.3 upon counsel for petitioner, as listed below, by depositing same with the United States Postal Service in an envelope properly addressed and with first-class postage prepaid this 27<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2018:

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