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VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL

Honorable Danny Bickell, Deputy Clerk
Supreme Court of the United States
Office of the Clerk
1 First Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20543

Re: *Carlos Trevino v. Lorie Davis, Director, Texas Department of Corrections, Criminal Institutions Division, No. 17-6883*

Dear Mr. Bickell:

This is to request a sixty-day extension of time, up to and including February 25, 2018, in which to file a brief in opposition in the above-styled cause. The undersigned's mother was recently admitted to hospice, and has been given two to four weeks. Thus, the undersigned would like additional time to file the brief in opposition in the above-styled cause. This is the first extension of time requested by the Director.

The undersigned has spoken with counsel for petitioner, Warren Wolf, and she does not oppose the requested extension. A copy of this letter will also be sent to opposing counsel. Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

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