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

RE: John L. Visciotti v. Ron Davis, Warden

Supreme Court of the United States, Case No. 17-6937

Dear Mr. Harris:

Pursuant to Rule 30.4, I respectfully request a second thirty-day extension of time, to March 5, 2018, in which to file the Respondent's Brief in Opposition to the Petition for Writ of Certiorari in the above referenced matter. This request is made for the following reason.

I have completed a draft of the brief in opposition. An additional thirty days are necessary, however, in order to allow additional time for review by our Solicitor General's Office and adequate time for review, editing and finalizing of the brief for filing.

Petitioner's counsel of record, Elizabeth Dahlstrom, has advised me that she has no opposition to this request

Sincerely,

s/ MEAGAN J. BEALE MEAGAN J. BEALE Deputy Attorney General State Bar No. 103642

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Dated: December 18, 2017 XAVIER BECERRA

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