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Hon. Scott S. Harris, Clerk
Supreme Court of the United States
1 First Street, NE
Washington DC 20543

RE: *Tracy Dearl Cain v. Ron Davis, Warden*,
No. 17-9218
Request for Extension of Time to File Brief in Opposition to Petition for Writ of
Certiorari

Dear Mr. Harris:

I represent the respondent, Ron Davis, in the above-entitled case. The petition for a writ of certiorari was filed on May 25, 2018. The brief in opposition to the petition is currently due on July 5, 2018. Pursuant to Rule 30.4, I respectfully request that the time for filing that brief be extended by thirty-two days, to Monday, August 6, 2018.

I am requesting additional time because I was away from the office on previously scheduled time off from June 4-8, 2018. In addition, I am currently drafting a responsive pleading in one previously assigned matter, *Velazquez v. Montgomery* (C.D. Cal. No. 16-06937-FMO (MAA)), which is due on July 8, 2018, on a second thirty-day extension of time. Once I complete the pleading in *Velazquez*, I will turn my attention to the above-entitled case.

Accordingly, I request that the due date for the brief in opposition to the petition for a writ of certiorari be extended to August 6, 2018.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kimara A. Aarons".

KIMARA A. AARONS
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In the Supreme Court of the United States

TRACY DEARL CAIN, *Petitioner*,

v.

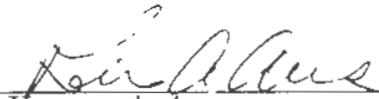
RON DAVIS, WARDEN, *Respondent*,

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE BY MAIL

I, Kim Aarons, Deputy Attorney General, a member of the Bar of this Court, hereby certify that on **June 19, 2018**, a copy of the Request for Extension of Time to File Brief in Opposition to Petition for a Writ of Certiorari in the above-entitled case was mailed, first class postage prepaid to:

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I further certify that all parties required to be served have been served.



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