

March 24, 2021

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

Re: The North American Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention v.
McRaney, No. 20-1158

Dear Mr. Harris:

I am Counsel of Record for Respondent, Will McRaney, in the above-captioned case. Through prior Counsel of Record, Respondent waived his right to respond to the Petition. On March 22, 2021, the Court requested a response to the petition, currently due April 21, 2021.

I write to request a 30-day extension of time, to and including May 21, 2021, for Respondent to file his brief in opposition. *See* S. Ct. R. 30.4. The requested extension is warranted because I was only recently retained by Respondent and need additional time to review the record and decisions below, and prepare the response to the petition, given existing commitments to other matters.

Counsel of Record for Petitioner consents to the requested extension.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Scott E. Gant

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