

August 6, 2021

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

Re: *Levi Frasier v. Christopher Evans, et al.*, No. 21- 57
Motion to Extend Time to File Response to Petition for Writ of
Certiorari

Dear Mr. Harris:

I am counsel of record for Respondents in the above-referenced matter. Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 30.4, Respondents respectfully request an extension of time to file their response to the Petition for a Writ of Certiorari docketed on July 15, 2021. Respondents have not previously sought an extension, and their response is currently due on August 16, 2021. Respondents seek an extension of time of 45 days, up to and including September 30, 2021.

Good cause exists for this requested extension. In the past few weeks, our office has been notified of several requests to file amicus curiae briefs in support of Petitioners and has been consulting with practitioners who regularly appear before the United States Supreme Court to select co-counsel for assistance in preparing the response. Additionally, the undersigned is the Director of Civil Litigation for the Denver City Attorney's Office and in that role is responsible for supervising a heavy docket of ongoing matters, including supporting a new public health order issued by Denver's local public health authority related to the COVID-19 variant which imposes a vaccination requirement for all City employees and private-sector workers in high-risk settings, and assuming the lead counsel role in an upcoming 10-day civil rights trial scheduled to occur in September 2021 before the U.S. District Court for the District of Colorado. For these reasons, an extension of 45 days will allow counsel for Respondent to prepare a comprehensive response that fully addresses the issues raised by Petitioner and their amici and will aid the Court's efficient resolution of this matter.

Accordingly, Respondents respectfully request that they be granted an additional 45-days, up to and including September 30, 2021, in which to file their brief in opposition to the Petition for Writ of Certiorari.

Respectfully submitted,

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