



**JOHN CREUZOT**  
CRIMINAL DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS

October 2, 2023

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: *James Garfield Broadnax v. Texas*, No. 23-248

Dear Mr. Bickell:

This letter is to request a 20-day extension of time to November 3, 2023, in which to file the Brief in Opposition in the above-styled case. The Court docketed Petitioner James Garfield Broadnax's petition for writ of certiorari on September 14, 2023. Respondent's deadline to file a response is currently October 16, 2023 (the Monday following Saturday, October 14, the 30th day).

Respondent is seeking this extension due to undersigned counsel's capital and non-capital dockets, supervisory duties, and other work-related obligations. Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/ Michele "Shelly" O'Brien Yeatts

Michele "Shelly" O'Brien Yeatts  
Assistant District Attorney, Appellate Division  
Dallas County District Attorney's Office  
(214) 653-3630  
shelly.yeatts@dallascounty.org

cc: Steven Herzog, Counsel of Record for James Broadnax  
sherzog@paulweiss.com