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

RE:

James Skinner v. Louisiana,

S. Ct No. 25-1

Dear Mr. Harris,

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on June 25, 2025, and placed on the docket on July 1, 2025. The State of Louisiana's response is due on Thursday July 31, 2025.

Louisiana respectfully requests, under rule 30.4 of the rules of this Court, an extension of sixty (60) days to and including September 29, 2025, within which to file the State's response.

This extension is requested to allow undersigned to become a member of the Supreme Court Bar and to further to allow time to complete the State's response in this complex matter with a voluminous record. Undersigned spoke to Petitioner's counsel of record, Ms. Jee Park, who stated they have no objection to the sixty (60) day extension.

Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,

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cc: See Attached Service List

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Brett Sommer, declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. I did, on the 24th day of July, 2025, send out from Livingston, Louisiana one service copy of letter requesting an extension above to all counsel of record in compliance with Rule 29 of the Supreme Court of the United States via First Class mail postage prepaid. A digital copy was sent via email contemporaneously to the mall address below. Said letter was plainly addressed to:

Ms. Jee Yeong Park
Innocence Project New Orleans
4051 Ulloa Street
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Executed on this 24th Day of July, 2025 in Livingston, Louisiana.

Brett Sommer