



December 18, 2025

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

Re: *Howard v. Macomb County*, No. 25-451

Dear Mr. Harris:

On behalf of Petitioner Faytima Howard in the above-referenced matter, I am writing to waive the 14-day waiting period under Rule 15.5, to allow for the distribution of all briefs filed in this matter on December 23, 2025. Petitioner will file a reply brief no later than December 22, 2025, and waives the 14-day waiting period to enable the Court to consider her Petition at its January 9, 2026, conference.

Sincerely,

CHRISTINA M. MARTIN  
*Counsel of Record for Petitioner*

cc: Francis Joseph Krycia, *Counsel of Record for Respondent*