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

RE: *Aubrey C. Trail v. Nebraska*, No. 25-6512; Request for extension of time to file response to petition

Dear Mr. Harris:

Pursuant to Rule 30.4, Respondent State of Nebraska respectfully requests a 30-day extension of time to file a brief in opposition to the Petition for Writ of Certiorari in *Aubrey C. Trail v. Nebraska*, No. 25-6512. Petitioner Aubrey Trail filed his petition for certiorari on January 5, 2026, and the Court docketed it that day. Respondent's response is due on February 6, 2026. Respondent requests the Court extend the deadline from February 6, 2026, to March 9, 2026.

This is Respondent's first request for an extension of time. Respondent has conferred with counsel for Petitioner, and Petitioner consents to the extension. Good cause exists for the extension because counsel for Respondent has several impending deadlines for cases in, among other courts, the federal circuit courts of appeal and the Nebraska Supreme Court and requires additional time to respond to the arguments raised in the petition.

Sincerely,

/s/ Cody S. Barnett

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