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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING SYSTEM

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

**Re: *Dontae Terrell Moore v. State of Texas*, No. 25-884;
Request for Extension of Time to File Brief in Opposition**

Dear Hon. Harris:

The District Attorney of Harris County, Texas recently authorized the Office of the Attorney General of Texas to represent the State of Texas in the above-referenced appeal. Through the Electronic Filing System on February 9, 2026, the Court asked the State of Texas to file a brief in opposition to Petitioner's petition for writ of certiorari. The brief in opposition to Petitioner's petition for writ of certiorari is due to be filed on or before March 11, 2026. Pursuant to Rule 30.4, this is a request for a **30-day** extension of time, up to and including **Friday, April 10, 2026**, in which to file that brief. Opposing counsel, Randolph L. Schaffer, has stated they are unopposed to this motion for extension of time.

Again, the Harris County District Attorney's, the proper Respondent in this matter, requested assistance from the Texas Attorney General's Office. The undersigned did not handle this matter in the state court below and only recently received access to the state court's record. As a result of the reassignment of this case to the undersigned, more time is needed to review the record and complete the brief in opposition. The undersigned therefore respectfully requests additional time for the State to file a response.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

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