

No. 25A542

IN THE  
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

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DEOMAN REEVES,

Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Respondent.

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**MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE  
PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI OUT OF TIME**

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Petitioner Deoman Reeves respectfully requests leave to file his Petition for Writ of Certiorari out of time and states to this Honorable Court as follows:

1. Upon an application for extension of time to file Petition for Writ of Certiorari being filed and granted by Associate Justice Brett M. Kavanaugh, Petitioner's Petition for Writ of Certiorari was ordered due December 14, 2025.

2. December 14, 2025 was a Sunday, therefore, in accordance with Supreme Court Rule 30.1, Petitioner's Petition for Writ of Certiorari was due Monday, December 15, 2025.

3. Petitioner's undersigned counsel is a quadriplegic and was hospitalized on August 25, 2025 and diagnosed with sepsis.

4. I have been in health facilities since then, now in a rehabilitation

facility healing a large decubitus ulcer.

5. On November 11, 2025, I had a skin graft surgery.

6. Because of this surgery, I filed a second application for further extension of 29 days to file Petitioner's Petition for Writ of Certiorari by yesterday, January 13, 2026.

7. Yesterday, January 13, 2026, the Internet service at the rehabilitation center where I am located went down and as I am bedridden, I was physically unable to file Petitioner's Petition for Writ of Certiorari.

8. The Internet service has been restored and Petitioner respectfully requests leave to file his Petition for Writ of Certiorari out of time, today, January 14, 2026.

WHEREFORE, for the foregoing reasons, Petitioner respectfully requests this Honorable Court to grant Petitioner's Motion for Leave to File Petition for Writ of Certiorari Out of Time and for such other and further relief that this Court deems just and proper under the circumstances.

January 14, 2026

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