

October 20, 2025

Clerk of Court
U.S.S.C.
1 First St., N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20543

Re: Howard v. Meli, 7th Circuit Case No. 24-3162

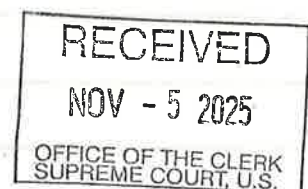
Dear Clerk:

My Petition for a Writ of Certiorari is due this week but I am unable to pay for the copies to have it printed off of my thumb drive. Accordingly, I am requesting a (30) day extension of the due date. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Joshua Howard

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IN THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT

JOSHUA HOWARD,

Petitioner,

v.

7th Cir. Case No. 24-3162

ANTHONY MELI, et al.,

Respondents.

DECLARATION OF JOSHUA HOWARD

I, JOSHUA HOWARD, verify under penalty of perjury that the following is true and correct.

1. On October 20, 2025, I drafted the attached extension request and placed it in a postage-prepaid envelope addressed to the U.S. Supreme Court.
2. On October 20, 2025, I placed the sealed envelope with the extension request into the Unit 5 mailbox so that prison staff could deposit it in the mail.

PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. §1746, I VERIFY UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT THE FOREGOING IS TRUE AND CORRECT.

Executed this 29th day of November, 2025.


JOSHUA HOWARD