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**VIA ECF**

Lyle W. Cace, Clerk  
United States Court of Appeals  
Fifth Circuit  
F. Edward Hebert Building  
600 S. Maestri Place  
New Orleans, LA 70130-3408

**Re: *Chisom v. State of Louisiana*, No. 22-30320**

Dear Mr. Cayce:

Under Federal Rule of Appellate Procedure 26(b) and Fifth Circuit Rules 31.4.2 and 31.4.3.1, Appellant State of Louisiana, through the office of the Attorney General, respectfully asks the Court to extend the deadline to file an opening brief by 30 days— from July 25 to August 24, 2022. Appellant makes this level-one extension request because undersigned has another brief due in the Fifth Circuit on July 20, 2022, in *Newell-Davis v. Phillips*, 22-30166. This request is unopposed.

Please contact me at 225-938-0779 with any questions or concerns.

Very respectfully,

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cc: Counsel for Plaintiffs-Appellees (via ECF)