IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA CASE NO. SC16-56 Lower Tribunal No. 221983CF000012CFAXMX

CARY MICHAEL LAMBRIX,

Petitioner,

v.

JULIE L. JONES, SECRETARY, FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS,

Respondent.

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AMICUS CURIAE BRIEF IN EXCESS OF PAGE LIMITS

The Capital Habeas Unit (CHU) of the Office of the Federal Public

Defender for the Northern District of Florida, as amicus curiae, respectfully moves
for leave to file the accompanying brief in excess of the 20-page limitation set
forth in Florida Rule of Appellate Procedure 9.370. The amicus brief is 22 pages
in length.

Counsel for amicus respectfully requests a short 2-page extension in light of the significant and complicated issues addressed in the brief, which arise from the Supreme Court's recent decision in *Hurst v. Florida*, No. 14-7505, 2016 WL 112683 (U.S. Jan. 12, 2016).

Counsel for Petitioner has agreed to the filing of the accompanying brief.

Counsel for Respondent, representing the State, objects to the filing of the brief.

Respectfully submitted, /s/ Billy H. Nolas

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy of the foregoing was furnished by email to the Office of the Attorney General at *Scott.Browne*@myfloridalegal.com, *capapp@myfloridalegal.com*, and *warrant@flcourts.org*, on January 15, 2016.

/s/ Billy H. Nolas