

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA

STATE OF FLORIDA,

Petitioner,

v.

CASE NO. SC19-1947

JOSE MAISONET-MALDONADO,

Respondent.

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MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE ANSWER BRIEF

Comes now the Respondent, Jose Maisonet-Maldonado, through undersigned counsel, and files this motion to extend the time for him to file his answer brief. As grounds for this motion he alleges:

1. This court took jurisdiction of this matter December 9, 2019, and the Petitioner's brief on the merits was filed on February 19, 2020.
2. The undersigned has diligently sought to meet the March 20, 2020, due date for the answer brief, but has been delayed due to the current state of emergency surrounding the spread of COVID-19.
3. The undersigned has spoken with Deputy Solicitor General Jeffrey DeSousa, counsel for the State in this matter; he states that the Petitioner has no objection to this motion.

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WHEREFORE the Respondent requests this court to enter an order
extending the time for him to file his answer brief in this case until April 20, 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a true copy of this motion has been e-mailed to Deputy Solicitor General Jeffrey Paul Desousa, at jeffrey.desousa@myfloridalegal.com, and mailed to the Appellant this 20th day of March, 2020.

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