IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

No. 73154

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Appellant,

V.

THE STATE OF NEVADA,

Respondent.

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MOTION FOR ENLARGEMENT OF TIME

COMES NOW, the State of Nevada, by and through counsel, and respectfully requests this Court to enter an Order extending the time in which the State may file its Answering Brief in the above-entitled matter, to and including January 8, 2018. This request is predicated on NRAP 26(b) and the attached Affidavit of Counsel.

DATED: December 7, 2017.

CHRISTOPHER J. HICKS DISTRICT ATTORNEY

By: JOSEPH R. PLATER Appellate Deputy **AFFIDAVIT OF COUNSEL**

I, JOSEPH R. PLATER, do hereby swear under penalty of perjury that

the assertions of this affidavit are true.

1. That your affiant is a duly licensed attorney in the State of Nevada

and is counsel of record for Respondent.

2. That your affiant is requesting an extension of time from

December 7, 2017, the date the State's Answering Brief is currently due, to

January 8, 2018.

3. That your affiant has completed substantial work on the brief, but

has not yet completed it.

4. That this is your affiant's first request for an extension of time in

this case.

5. That this motion is made in good faith and not for purposes of

delay.

Further your affiant sayeth not.

By: JOSEPH R. PLATER **Appellate Deputy** State Bar No. 2771

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that this document was filed electronically with the Nevada Supreme Court on December 7, 2017. Electronic Service of the foregoing document shall be made in accordance with the Master Service List as follows:

John Reese Petty Chief Deputy Public Defender

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