

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

LUIS ALEJANDRO MENENDEZ-CORDERO,  
Appellant,

vs.

THE STATE OF NEVADA,  
Respondent.

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MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE THE OPENING BRIEF  
AND JOINT APPENDIX

Appellant, by his counsel, hereby moves for an extension of time of 30 days to and including August 20, 2018, within which to file Appellant's Opening Brief and Joint Appendix. The reasons for this request are set forth in the attached declaration.

DATED this 20th day of July 2018.

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## DECLARATION OF COUNSEL

I declare under penalty of perjury that the following is true and correct:


1. I am a Chief Deputy in the Washoe County Public Defender's Office and I am Appellant's counsel in this direct appeal.

2. Appellant's Opening Brief and Joint Appendix are currently due on July 20, 2018. I have previously received two 30-day extensions of time to file the opening brief and appendices. I am requesting an additional 30-day extension of time from July 20, 2018 to August 20, 2018. I expect this to be my last request.

3. I have been working on this appeal together with other appellate assignments. Although I have been granted additional time I have not been able to complete the opening brief owing to the volume of the record, a scheduled two-week medical leave, a scheduled one-week vacation leave, and, as mentioned, work toward the completion of other appellate (and office-related) assignments. (I am the only appellate attorney in the Public Defender's Office.)

4. Respondent does not oppose this motion for an extension of time.

5. This motion for an extension of time is made in good faith and not solely for the purpose of delay. I expect that this will be my last request and that the opening brief will be filed on or very shortly before August 20, 2018.

  
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JOHN REESE PETTY

### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that this document was filed electronically with the Nevada Supreme Court on the 20th day of July 2018. Electronic Service of the foregoing document shall be made in accordance with the Master Service List as follows:

Jennifer P. Noble, Chief Appellate Deputy  
Washoe County District Attorney's Office

I further certify that I served a copy of this document by mailing a true and correct copy thereof to:

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