

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA**

IN THE MATTER IN THE ESTATE OF  
MARILYN WEEKS SWEET,

DECEASED,

CHRISTY KAY SWEET,

Appellant,

Vs.

CHRISTOPHER WILLIAM HISGEN,

Respondent,

Case No. P-20-103540-E

Docket No. 83342

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**MOTION TO EXTEND TIME**

COMES NOW, THOMAS GROVER, counsel of record for CHRISTOPHER HISGEN and files this MOTION TO EXTEND TIME.

Sadly, the Respondent, Christopher William Hisgen has passed away as a result of heart failure. Undersigned counsel does not have a client to provide authority or approval to file a Response to the pending Petition for Rehearing.

Pursuant to NRAP 31(b), the Response is due from the now-deceased Respondent today, January 27, 2023. A 14 day telephonic extension was previously granted. No previous extensions, other than the telephonic extension have been granted or denied in part. An extension is necessary because Christopher Hisgen has passed away and there currently is not a Special Administrator of Mr. Hisgen's estate nor a personal representative of Marilyn's estate. These are extraordinary circumstances within the meaning of NRAP 26(b)(1)(B). An extension of 120 days is requested to resolve appointments in both estates.

NRAP 43(a)(1) provides: “If a party dies after a notice of appeal has been filed or while a proceeding is pending in the Supreme Court or Court of Appeals, the decedent’s personal representative may be substituted as a party on motion filed by the representative or by any party with the clerk of the Supreme Court. A party’s motion shall be served on the representative in accordance with Rule 25. If the decedent has no representative, any party may suggest the death on the record, and the court may then direct appropriate proceedings.”

Undersigned counsel is working to comply with NRAP 43(a)(1) and NRCp 25 and have a Special Administrator appointed so that this appeal may be finally resolved.

Accordingly, undersigned counsel requests that all deadlines be extended 120 days. Undersigned counsel will promptly inform the Court of any appointment of a Special Administrator at which time the Court could appropriately shorten deadlines.

Dated: 27<sup>th</sup> of January 2023

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