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1	The State's responding brief was 65 pages long and raises arguments not previously asserted.
2	The State's response to Petitioner's opening brief was due on September 28,
3	2005. The State, with Petitioner's consent, moved for an extension of time of 30 days, making
4	its brief due October 28, 2005. The State's brief was mailed to Petitioner's counsel on
5	October 31, 2005 and received by counsel on November 4, 2005. Petitioner's reply brief is
6	currently due on November 30, 2005.
7	Supreme Court Rule 250(7)(d) allows for an initial extension of time up to
8	60 days upon showing of good cause. Petitioner is asking only for an extension of 45 days to
.9	and including January 16, 2006, because of out-of-town depositions, a trial and prepaid vacation
10	that have and will occupy much of the time of Petitioner's primary counsel, Robert D. Newell.
11	The State, through its attorney Steven Owens, does not oppose this motion.
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1	<u>DECLARATION</u>
2	I, Robert D. Newell, being first duly sworn, declare:
3	1. I am a partner in the law firm of Davis Wright Tremaine LLP. My firm
4	was recruited by the American Bar Association Death Penalty Representation Project to
5	represent Petitioner in this case. I am the lawyer responsible for preparation of the briefs,
6	including the reply brief in this case.
7	2. By the end of November 2005, I will have been out of town three of the
8	four weeks of the month in depositions in other cases. I have a trial scheduled in December that
9	will require substantial time to prepare and try. At the end of December, I have a long-planned
10	and prepaid vacation scheduled with my family.
11	3. An extension of time to and including January 16, 2006 will provide
12	sufficient time to complete the work necessary to prepare and file Petitioner's reply brief in this
13	case.
14	4. This is Petitioner's first request for extension of time.
15	I declare under penalty of perjury the foregoing is true and correct.
16	DATED this 23 rd day of November, 2005.
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18	ROBERT D. NEWELL
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I certify that I am an employee of POTTER LAW OFFICES, and that, on this date, I deposited for mailing at Las Vegas, Nevada, a true copy of the

PETITIONER'S MOTION FOR ENLARGEMENT OF TIME addressed to:

Steven S. Owens
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DATED this 28th day of November, 2005.

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