

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

No. DA 22-0059

STATE OF MONTANA,

Plaintiff and Appellee,

v.

ROBERT AYRES DASILVA,

Defendant and Appellant.

**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
WITH AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT**

COMES NOW, Layla Turman, Contract Appellate Defender for the Appellate Defender Division (ADD), and respectfully requests an extension of time until October 26th, 2023, in which to prepare, file, and serve the Appellant's Reply brief in the above-entitled matter. This is Appellant's fourteenth request for an extension and first request for extension regarding Appellant's Reply brief. Appellant's Reply brief is currently due September 26, 2023. Appellant submits the attached affidavit in support of this motion.

Opposing counsel has been contacted and has no objection.

Respectfully submitted this 19th day of September, 2023.

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By: /s/ Layla Turman
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STATE OF MONTANA)
 : ss.
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I, Layla Turman, in compliance with M. R. App. P. 26(2), declare:

1. I am a licensed, practicing attorney in the State of Montana,
and I am currently a contract defender with the Appellate Defender
Division, (ADD).

2. I accepted this case from the ADD to assist with their
caseload.

3. Additional time will be needed for me to be able to prepare
and file Appellant's Reply brief and provide effective assistance of
counsel.

4. Opposing counsel has been contacted concerning this motion
and does not object.

/s/ Layla Turman
Layla Turman, Missoula, Montana

September 19, 2023
Date

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Layla Turman, hereby certify that I have served true and accurate copies of the foregoing Motion - Unopposed to the following on 09-19-2023:

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