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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
Supreme Court Cause No. DA 24-0102

STATE OF MONTANA,

Plaintiff and Appellee,

v.

MICHAEL CHRISTIAN ECHEVERRIA,

Defendant and Appellant.

**UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
APPELLANT'S REPLY BRIEF**

Michael Echeverria, Appellant, through counsel, David M. Maldonado of Maldonado Law, PLLC, respectfully moves this Court for an Order extending the deadline to file his Reply Brief.

Appellant's Reply Brief is currently due on March 9, 2026. A one-week extension to March 16, 2026 is requested.

Counsel is currently completing his final research and completing his draft of the Reply Brief; however, has had extensive travel for hearings and is

unable to complete the brief by the deadline. A short extension is requested.

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

DATED this 5th day of March, 2026.

/s/ David M. Maldonado _____
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, David Michael Maldonado, hereby certify that I have served true and accurate copies of the foregoing Motion - Unopposed to the following on 03-05-2026:

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