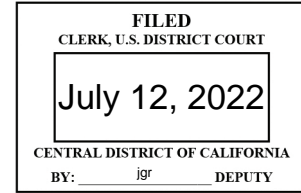


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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
11 Plaintiff,
12 v.
13 JEFFERY FORTENBERRY,
14 Defendant.

Case No. 2:21-cr -00491-SB-1
Hon. Stanley Blumenfeld, Jr.

**EX PARTE APPLICATION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
RESPONSE TO COURT'S OSC;
DECLARATION OF COUNSEL;
[PROPOSED] ORDER**

15 [IN RE: OSC RE: JOHN L. LITTRELL]
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19 Respondent, John L. Littrell, through his counsel of record Guy C. Iversen, hereby
20 applies to this Court *ex parte* for an extension of time to file a responsive declaration to
21 the Court's *Order to Show Cause* issued on July 5, 2022 at rDkt. 225. This application is
22 based upon the attached declaration of counsel.

23 Respectfully submitted,

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25 DATED: 7/22/2022

By: /s/ Guy C. Iversen

26 GUY C. IVERSEN
27 Attorney for John L. Littrell

1 **DECLARATION OF GUY C. IVERSEN**

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3 I, Guy C. Iversen, declare as follows:
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5 1. I am an attorney in good standing with the State Bar of California, and am
6 admitted to practice before this Court. I represent John L. Littrell (“Mr. Littrell”), defense
7 counsel in the underlying matter *United States v. Fortenberry*. I make this declaration
8 based upon my personal knowledge, and in support of Mr. Littrell’s *Ex Parte Application*
9 *for Extension of Time to Respond to OSC*.

10 2. On July 5, 2022, this Court issued an Order To Show Cause as to why Mr.
11 Littrell should not be sanctioned and/or referred to the Standing Committee On
12 Discipline (Dkt. 225). Mr. Littrell was ordered to file a responsive declaration by July
13 15, 2022. Given the serious consequences of either of those two events happening, Mr.
14 Littrell retained me to represent him.

15 3. I have requested and am reviewing documents pertaining to the closing
16 arguments in the underlying criminal matter of *United States v. Fortenberry*.
17 Additionally, I am conducting research into the propriety of statements made in closing
18 arguments and related legal issues. I feel it is necessary for me to conclude these areas
19 of inquiry before I can competently advise Mr. Littrell and before he were to file any
20 responsive declaration to the Court. As such, I am seeking an extension of time to July
21 25, 2022, to file a response to the Court in order to facilitate responding in an appropriate
22 manner.

23 4. It is unclear to me that the government has standing to take a position with
24 respect to this application. However, in an abundance of caution I telephoned Assistant
25 United States Attorney Mack Jenkins on Monday afternoon, July 11, 2022, to inquire. I
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1 left him a voice mail with my return call back number. As of the filing of this pleading I
2 have not heard back from him.

3 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed
4 this 11th day of July 2022, at Santa Barbara, California.

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/s/ Guy C. Iversen
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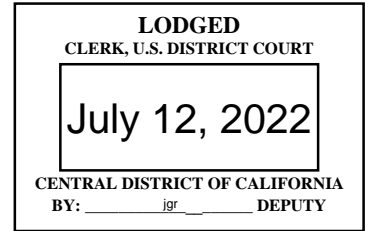
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16 [IN RE: OSC RE: JOHN L. LITTRELL]
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20 FOR GOOD CAUSE APPEARING, IT IS HEREBY ORDERD THAT John L.
 21 Littrell's *Ex Parte Application for Extesion of time to Respond to OSC* (Dkt. 227) is
 22 **GRANTED**. The time for Respondent John L. Littrell to file a response to this Court's
 23 OSC of July 5, 2022, is extended to July 25, 2022.

24 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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 26 DATED: _____

27 HON. STANLEY BLUMENFELD, JR.
 28 United States District Judge