

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF OHIO

STATE OF OHIO,

Appellee,

v.

MARQUIS HAIRSTON,

Appellant.

Case No. 07-0394

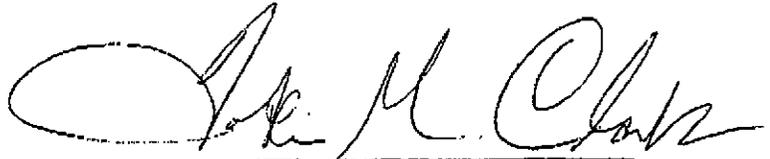
On Appeal from the Franklin
County Court of Appeals,
Tenth Appellate District

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
TO FILE REPLY BRIEF**

Now comes counsel for Marquis Hairston and moves this Court for an extension of time to file the Reply Brief currently due in this case on Wednesday, September 19, 2007. Counsel for Mr. Hairston has been in contact with Steven Taylor, counsel for Appellee state of Ohio, and the Appellee has no objection to the granting of the requested extension. Additional support for this request is stated in the attached Memorandum In Support that is attached hereto.

Sincerely,

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MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT

Counsel for Appellant Marquis Hairston respectfully requests a 20-day extension of time to file the Reply Brief in this matter. The Reply Brief is due today, Wednesday, September 19, 2007, but counsel would like the extension of time so that the Reply Brief would be due on Tuesday, October 9, 2007. Counsel has not requested or received any other extensions as it relates to the Reply Brief.

The extension is necessary because counsel for appellant was out of the state of Ohio from the dates of September 12th through September 16th in New Orleans, Louisiana attending a Continuing Legal Education event. This event occurred during the time frame when counsel would have otherwise been working on the Reply Brief. An extension of time is also needed because Counsel is working on an appellate brief in another criminal case currently due in Franklin County 10th District Court of Appeals on September 27, 2007. Counsel for Appellee has no objection to the granting of same.

Given the foregoing, Counsel for Marquis Hairston respectfully requests a 20-day extension of time, until October 9, 2007, to file Appellant's Reply Brief.

Respectfully submitted,

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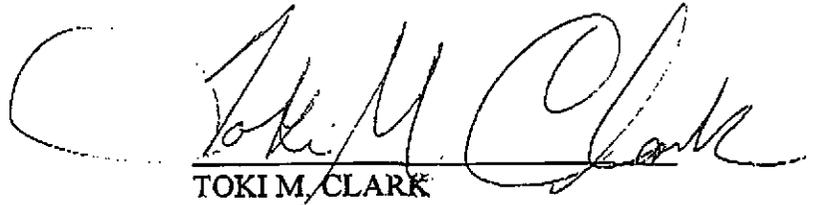


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Counsel for Appellant Marquis Hairston hereby certifies that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing Request for Extension of Time to file Reply Brief was sent by regular U.S. Mail to Steven Taylor, Esq., Office of the Prosecuting Attorney, 369 South High Street, 14th Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215, this 19th day of September, 2007.


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