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U.S. DISTRICT COURT
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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA
SOUTHERN DIVISION

MARCH 14, 1997

RONALD PATRICK SWENEY,)
petitioner,)
versus)
CHARLES E. JONES, Warden, and)
THE ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THE)
STATE OF ALABAMA,)
respondents.)

CIVIL ACTION NO. 96-P-2823-S

REQUEST FOR ENLARGEMENT OF TIME

Comes now the petitioner in the above-styled cause through prisoner assistance and respectfully requests this Honorable Court that an extension of twenty (20) additional days be allowed for the filing of its response/reply to the Respondents' answer to his petition for writ of habeas corpus and as grounds therefor, states as follows:

1. that the prisoner that is currently assisting petitioner have been involved in other work in the appellate courts, the circuit courts, and the federal courts assisting other prisoners; therefore, He have not had sufficient time in which to prepare petitioner's reply upon due date.
2. that petitioner believes that the right of the respondents will not be prejudiced by this court granting this request for an enlargement of time.
3. petitiner files this motion on the ground of fundamental fairness.

Done: this the 7th day of March, 1997.

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U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE DATE

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Respectfully submitted
Ronald P. Swiney
Ronald Patrick Swiney

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