

**IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR VETERANS CLAIMS**

STEVEN L. LANKFORD,)	
)	
Appellant,)	
)	
v.)	No. 19-1079
)	
ROBERT L. WILKIE,)	
Secretary of Veterans Affairs,)	
)	
Appellee.)	

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

Pursuant to U.S. Vet. App. R. 26(b), 27, and 45(g)(4), Appellant respectfully requests a 45-day extension of time within which to file his reply brief. Appellant’s reply brief is currently due December 19, 2019.

The request for additional time is necessary to allow Appellant’s counsel adequate time to thoroughly review and respond to Appellee’s arguments. Appellant expresses regret to the Court for any inconvenience caused by this delay. However, in view of these circumstances, an extension of 45 days, until February 3, 2020, is requested.

Appellant has previously been granted 45 days of extension in this case in which to file Preliminary Brief. Appellee has previously been granted 45 days of extension in this case in which to file Appellee Brief. The Out of Time Motion on July 22, 2019 was granted on July 26, 2019 by the Court. Appellee is not opposed to this motion.

WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully moves the Court for a 45-day extension of time in which to file his reply brief, until February 3, 2020.

December 19, 2019

Respectfully submitted,

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