

After considering the motion and all arguments and evidence in support, and upon good cause shown, the Court hereby GRANTS the motion and ORDERS:

Pursuant to Rules 1(b) and 4 of the Rules Governing § 2254 Petitions in the United States District courts, and pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2243, Respondents shall file their answer to the Petition on or before January 8, 2018. Petitioner shall file a reply on or before January 18, 2018. The Court will schedule a hearing on the Petition shortly thereafter, on January ___, 2018.

SO ORDERED, this ___ day of December 2018.

/s/ _____

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE