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Honorable Jorge E. Navarrete, Clerk  
Supreme Court of California  
350 McAllister Street, Room 1295  
San Francisco, CA 94102-4797

RE: ***People v. Michael Raymond Johnson***  
**California Supreme Court Case No. S070250 (Capital Case)**

Dear Mr. Navarrete:

The Court has requested that counsel advise the Court and opposing counsel of the issues on which counsel expects to focus during oral argument, calendared for October 5, 2021, at 1:30 p.m. As counsel for respondent, I intend to focus on the issues raised by appellant in his statement of focus issues, as well as any issues addressed by the Court at oral argument.

Sincerely,

*s/Wyatt E. Bloomfield*  
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