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Honorable Jorge E. Navarrete, Clerk
Supreme Court of California
350 McAllister Street, Room 1295
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RE: ***People v. Robert Maurice Bloom***
California Supreme Court Case No. S095223 (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 February 2, 2022, at 9:00 a.m. I intend to focus on the issues identified by appellant in his statement of focus issues, as well as any issues raised by the Court.

Sincerely,

/s/ Michael R. Johnsen
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No.: S095223

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