

**UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS**

UNITED STATES	)	No. ACM S32821
<i>Appellee</i>	)	
	)	
v.	)	
	)	ORDER
Matthew E. FOWLER	)	
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
U.S. Air Force	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	Panel 2

On 3 July 2025, counsel for Appellant submitted a Motion for Enlargement of Time (First), requesting an additional 60 days in which to file Appellant's assignments of error. The Government opposes the motion.

The court has considered Appellant's motion, the Government's opposition, case law, and this court's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

Accordingly, it is by the court on this 7th day of July, 2025,

ORDERED:

Appellant's Motion for Enlargement of Time (First) is **GRANTED**. Appellant shall file any assignments of error not later than **11 September 2025**.

Appellant's counsel is advised that any subsequent motions for enlargement of time shall include, in addition to matters required under this court's Rules of Practice and Procedure, statements as to: (1) whether Appellant was advised of Appellant's right to a timely appeal, (2) whether Appellant was provided an update of the status of counsel's progress on Appellant's case, (3) whether Appellant was advised of the request for an enlargement of time, and (4) whether Appellant agrees with the request for an enlargement of time.



FOR THE COURT



SEAN J. SULLIVAN, Maj, USAF
Acting Clerk of Court

IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES	)	APPELLANT’S MOTION FOR
<i>Appellee,</i>	)	ENLARGEMENT OF TIME (FIRST)
	)	
v.	)	Before Panel 2
	)	
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	No. ACM S32821
MATTHEW E. FOWLER,	)	
United States Air Force,	)	3 July 2025
<i>Appellant.</i>	)	

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF THE
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.3(m)(1) and (2) of this Honorable Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, Appellant hereby moves for his first enlargement of time to file an Assignment of Error (AOE). Appellant requests an enlargement for a period of 60 days, which will end on **11 September 2025**. This case was docketed with this Court on 14 May 2025. From the date of docketing to the present date, 50 days have elapsed. On the date requested, 120 days will have elapsed.

WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully requests that this Honorable Court grant the requested first enlargement of time.

TREVOR N. WARD, Maj, USAF
Appellate Defense Counsel

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Respectfully submitted,

TREVOR N. WARD, Maj, USAF
Appellate Defense Counsel

IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES,	)	UNITED STATES' GENERAL
	)	OPPOSITION TO
<i>Appellee,</i>	)	APPELLANT'S MOTION FOR
	)	ENLARGEMENT OF TIME
v.	)	
	)	Before Panel No. 2
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
MATTHEW E. FOWLER,	)	No. ACM S32821
United States Air Force.	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	3 July 2025

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF
THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.2 of this Court's Rules of Practice and Procedure, the United States hereby enters its general opposition to Appellant's Motion for Enlargement of Time to file an Assignment of Error in this case.

WHEREFORE, the United States respectfully requests that this Court deny Appellant's enlargement motion.

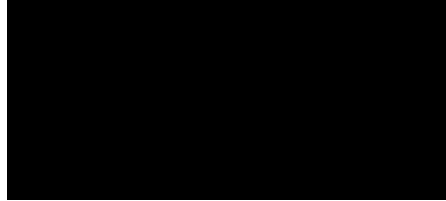
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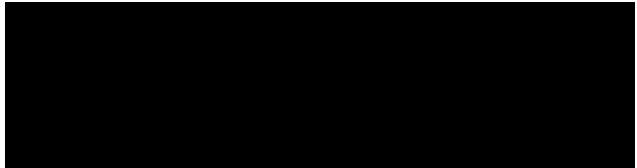
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**UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS**

UNITED STATES	)	No. ACM S32821
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	)	
v.	)	
	)	NOTICE OF PANEL CHANGE
Matthew E. FOWLER	)	
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
U.S. Air Force	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	

It is by the court on this 4th day of August, 2025,

ORDERED:

That the Record of Trial in the above-styled matter is withdrawn from Panel 2 and referred to Panel 3 for appellate review.

This panel letter supersedes all previous panel assignments.



FOR THE COURT



AGNIESZKA M. GAERTNER, Capt, USAF
Commissioner

IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES	)	APPELLANT’S MOTION FOR
<i>Appellee</i>	)	ENLARGEMENT OF TIME (SECOND)
	)	
v.	)	Before Panel 3
	)	
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	No. ACM S32821
MATTHEW E. FOWLER	)	
United States Air Force	)	28 August 2025
<i>Appellant</i>	)	

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF THE
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.3(m)(3) and (4) of this Honorable Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, Appellant hereby moves for his second enlargement of time to file an Assignment of Error (AOE) brief. Appellant requests an enlargement for a period of 30 days, which will end on **11 October 2025**. This case was docketed with this Court on 14 May 2025. From the date of docketing to the present date, 106 days have elapsed. On the date requested, 150 days will have elapsed.

On 28 February 2025, Appellant was tried by a special court-martial consisting of a military judge alone at McConnell Air Force Base, Kansas. Record (R). at 1. Consistent with his pleas, the military judge found Appellant guilty of making a false official statement in violation of Article 107, Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ), 10 U.S.C. § 907, and of fraud against the United States in violation of Article 124, UCMJ, 10 U.S.C. § 924. R. at 9, 67. On 28 February 2025, the military judge sentenced Appellant to a bad conduct discharge, reduction to pay grade E-1, and a reprimand. R. at 78. The convening authority took no action on the findings or the sentence. Record of Trial (ROT), Vol. 1, Convening Authority Decision on Action – United States v. Technical Sergeant Matthew E. Fowler.

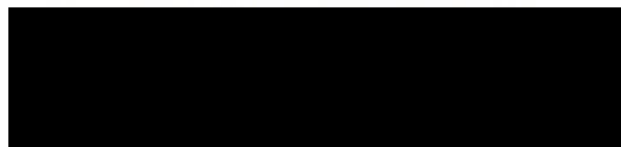
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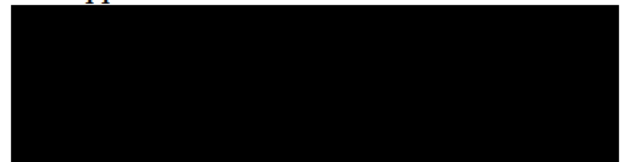
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- (2) Appellant has been advised of this request for enlargement of time.
- (3) Appellant has been apprised of the status of undersigned counsel's progress on his case.
- (4) Appellant has specifically consented to this enlargement of time.

WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully requests that this Honorable Court grant the requested enlargement of time for good cause shown.

Respectfully submitted,



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Appellate Defense Counsel



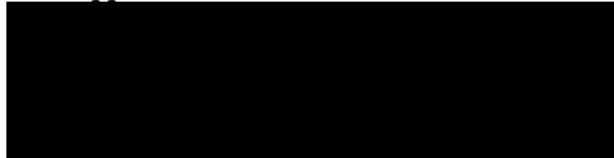
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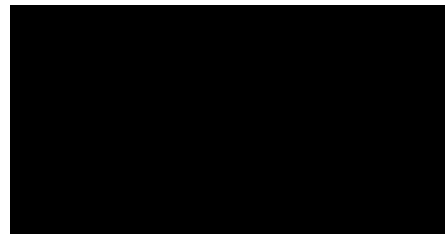
IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES,	)	UNITED STATES' GENERAL
<i>Appellee,</i>	)	OPPOSITION TO
	)	APPELLANT'S MOTION FOR
	)	ENLARGEMENT OF TIME
v.	)	
	)	Before Panel No. 3
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
MATTHEW E. FOWLER,	)	No. ACM S32821
United States Air Force.	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	2 September 2025

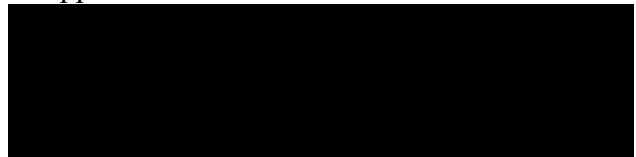
**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF
THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.2 of this Court's Rules of Practice and Procedure, the United States hereby enters its general opposition to Appellant's Motion for Enlargement of Time to file an Assignment of Error in this case.

WHEREFORE, the United States respectfully requests that this Court deny Appellant's enlargement motion.

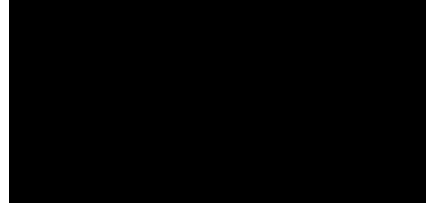


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IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES	)	APPELLANT’S MOTION FOR
<i>Appellee</i>	)	ENLARGEMENT OF TIME (THIRD)
	)	
v.	)	Before Panel 3
	)	
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	No. ACM S32821
MATTHEW E. FOWLER	)	
United States Air Force	)	23 September 2025
<i>Appellant</i>	)	

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF THE
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.3(m)(3) and (4) of this Honorable Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, Appellant hereby moves for his second enlargement of time to file an Assignment of Error (AOE) brief. Appellant requests an enlargement for a period of 30 days, which will end on **10 November 2025**. This case was docketed with this Court on 14 May 2025. From the date of docketing to the present date, 132 days have elapsed. On the date requested, 180 days will have elapsed.

On 28 February 2025, Appellant was tried by a special court-martial consisting of a military judge alone at McConnell Air Force Base, Kansas. Record (R). at 1. Consistent with his pleas, the military judge found Appellant guilty of making a false official statement in violation of Article 107, Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ), 10 U.S.C. § 907, and of fraud against the United States in violation of Article 124, UCMJ, 10 U.S.C. § 924. R. at 9, 67. On 28 February 2025, the military judge sentenced Appellant to a bad conduct discharge, reduction to pay grade E-1, and a reprimand. R. at 78. The convening authority took no action on the findings or the sentence. Record of Trial (ROT), Vol. 1, Convening Authority Decision on Action – United States v. Technical Sergeant Matthew E. Fowler.

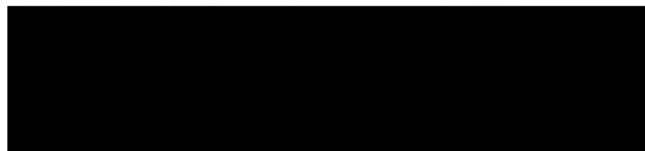
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Through no fault of Appellant, the undersigned counsel has been unable to complete her review and prepare a brief of Appellant's case. An enlargement of time is necessary to allow counsel time to fully review Appellant's case and advise Appellant regarding potential errors. Appellant has provided limited consent to disclose confidential communications, wherein:

- (1) Appellant has been advised of his right to a timely appeal.
- (2) Appellant has been advised of this request for enlargement of time.
- (3) Appellant has been apprised of the status of undersigned counsel's progress on his case.
- (4) Appellant has specifically consented to this enlargement of time.

WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully requests that this Honorable Court grant the requested enlargement of time for good cause shown.

Respectfully submitted,



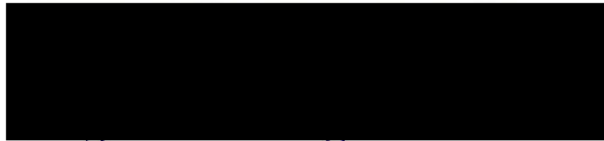
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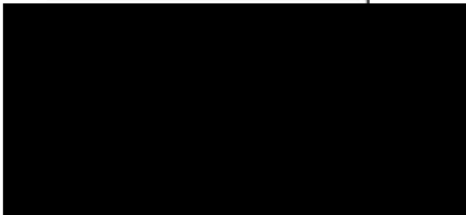
IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES,	)	UNITED STATES' GENERAL
<i>Appellee,</i>	)	OPPOSITION TO
	)	APPELLANT'S MOTION FOR
	)	ENLARGEMENT OF TIME
v.	)	
	)	Before Panel No. 3
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
MATTHEW E. FOWLER,	)	No. ACM S32821
United States Air Force.	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	25 September 2025

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF
THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.2 of this Court's Rules of Practice and Procedure, the United States hereby enters its general opposition to Appellant's Motion for Enlargement of Time to file an Assignment of Error in this case.

WHEREFORE, the United States respectfully requests that this Court deny Appellant's enlargement motion.

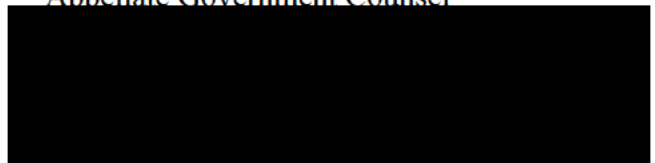

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IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES	)	APPELLANT’S MOTION FOR
<i>Appellee</i>	)	ENLARGEMENT OF TIME (FOURTH)
	)	
v.	)	Before Panel 3
	)	
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	No. ACM S32821
MATTHEW E. FOWLER	)	
United States Air Force	)	26 October 2025
<i>Appellant</i>	)	

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF THE
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.3(m)(3) and (4) of this Honorable Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, Appellant hereby moves for his fourth enlargement of time to file an Assignment of Error (AOE) brief. Appellant requests an enlargement for a period of 30 days, which will end on **10 December 2025**. This case was docketed with this Court on 14 May 2025. From the date of docketing to the present date, 165 days have elapsed. On the date requested, 210 days will have elapsed.

On 28 February 2025, Appellant was tried by a special court-martial consisting of a military judge alone at McConnell Air Force Base, Kansas. Record (R). at 1. Consistent with his pleas, the military judge found Appellant guilty of making a false official statement in violation of Article 107, Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ), 10 U.S.C. § 907, and of fraud against the United States in violation of Article 124, UCMJ, 10 U.S.C. § 924. R. at 9, 67. On 28 February 2025, the military judge sentenced Appellant to a bad conduct discharge, reduction to pay grade E-1, and a reprimand. R. at 78. The convening authority took no action on the findings or the sentence. Record of Trial (ROT), Vol. 1, Convening Authority Decision on Action – United States v. Technical Sergeant Matthew E. Fowler.

The digital record of trial is 346 pages consisting of three appellate exhibits and four prosecution exhibits. The transcript is seventy-nine pages long. Appellant is not currently confined. Counsel is currently assigned seventeen cases; seventeen of those cases are pending before this Court (seventeen cases are pending AOE's). Two cases have priority over this case:

1. *United States v. Anderson*, ACM No. 40850 – The digital record of trial is 2411 pages consisting of twenty-five appellate exhibits, twelve prosecution exhibits, seven defense exhibits, and one court exhibit. The transcript is 757 pages long. Appellant is currently confined. Undersigned counsel has completed her review of the record in this case, identified multiple errors, and is drafting the AOE brief.
2. *United States v. Broadway*, ACM No. 40834 – The digital record of trial is 1557 pages consisting of twenty-nine appellate exhibits, twenty-seven prosecution exhibits, and seven defense exhibits. The transcript is 744 pages long. Appellant is currently confined. Undersigned counsel has not completed her review of the record in this case.

Through no fault of Appellant, the undersigned counsel has been unable to complete her review and prepare a brief of Appellant's case. An enlargement of time is necessary to allow counsel time to fully review Appellant's case and advise Appellant regarding potential errors. Appellant has provided limited consent to disclose confidential communications, wherein:

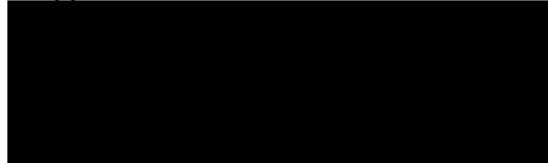
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- (4) Appellant has specifically consented to this enlargement of time.

WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully requests that this Honorable Court grant the requested enlargement of time for good cause shown.

Respectfully submitted,

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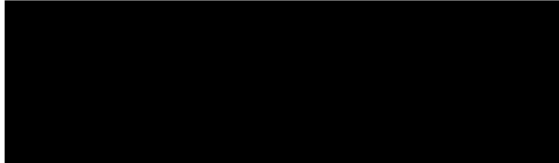
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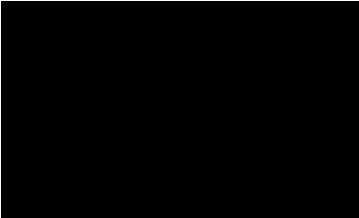
IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

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MATTHEW E. FOWLER,	)	
United States Air Force,	)	No. ACM S32821
<i>Appellant.</i>	)	
	)	28 October 2025
	)	

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF
THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.2 of this Court's Rules of Practice and Procedure, the United States hereby enters its general opposition to Appellant's Motion for Enlargement of Time to file an Assignment of Error in this case.

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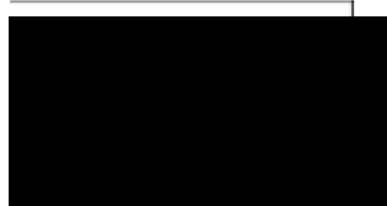


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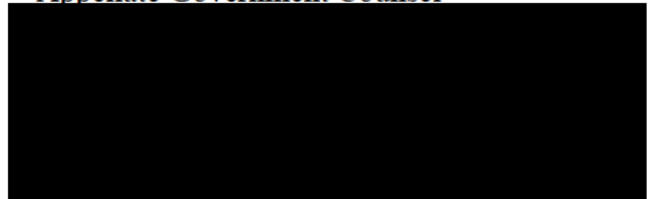


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IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES	)	APPELLANT’S MOTION FOR
<i>Appellee</i>	)	ENLARGEMENT OF TIME (FIFTH)
	)	
v.	)	Before Panel 3
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Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	No. ACM S32821
MATTHEW E. FOWLER	)	
United States Air Force	)	1 December 2025
<i>Appellant</i>	)	

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF THE
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.3(m)(3) and (4) of this Honorable Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, Appellant hereby moves for his fifth enlargement of time to file an Assignment of Error (AOE) brief. Appellant requests an enlargement for a period of 30 days, which will end on **9 January 2026**. This case was docketed with this Court on 14 May 2025. From the date of docketing to the present date, 196 days have elapsed. On the date requested, 240 days will have elapsed.

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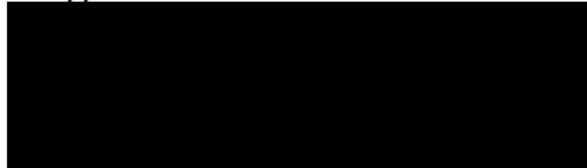
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WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully requests that this Honorable Court grant the requested enlargement of time for good cause shown.



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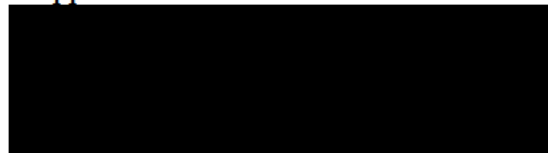
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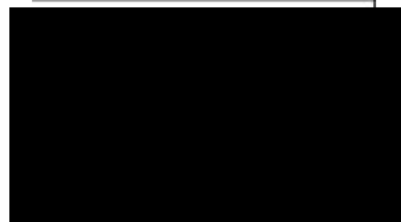
IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

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MATTHEW E. FOWLER,	)	
United States Air Force,	)	No. ACM S32821
<i>Appellant.</i>	)	
	)	2 December 2025
	)	

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF
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Pursuant to Rule 23.2 of this Court's Rules of Practice and Procedure, the United States hereby enters its general opposition to Appellant's Motion for Enlargement of Time to file an Assignment of Error in this case.

WHEREFORE, the United States respectfully requests that this Court deny Appellant's enlargement motion.

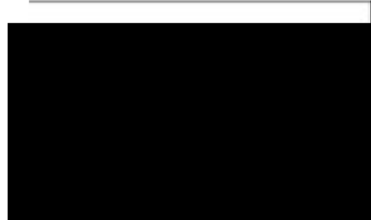


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**UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS**

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<i>Appellee</i>	)	
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	)	NOTICE OF PANEL
Matthew E. FOWLER	)	CHANGE
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
U.S. Air Force	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	

It is by the court on this 15th day of December, 2025,

ORDERED:

That the Record of Trial in the above-styled matter is withdrawn from Panel 3 and referred to Panel 2 for appellate review.

This panel letter supersedes all previous panel assignments.



FOR THE COURT



JACOB B. HOEFERKAMP, Capt, USAF
Chief Commissioner

IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES	)	APPELLANT’S MOTION FOR
<i>Appellee</i>	)	ENLARGEMENT OF TIME (SIXTH)
	)	
v.	)	Before Panel 2
	)	
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	No. ACM S32821
MATTHEW E. FOWLER	)	
United States Air Force	)	17 December 2025
<i>Appellant</i>	)	

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF THE
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.3(m)(3) and (4) of this Honorable Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, Appellant hereby moves for his sixth enlargement of time to file an Assignment of Error (AOE) brief. Appellant requests an enlargement for a period of 30 days, which will end on **8 February 2026**. This case was docketed with this Court on 14 May 2025. From the date of docketing to the present date, 217 days have elapsed. On the date requested, 270 days will have elapsed.

On 28 February 2025, Appellant was tried by a special court-martial consisting of a military judge alone at McConnell Air Force Base, Kansas. Record (R). at 1. Consistent with his pleas, the military judge found Appellant guilty of making a false official statement in violation of Article 107, Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ), 10 U.S.C. § 907, and of fraud against the United States in violation of Article 124, UCMJ, 10 U.S.C. § 924. R. at 9, 67. On 28 February 2025, the military judge sentenced Appellant to a bad conduct discharge, reduction to pay grade E-1, and a reprimand. R. at 78. The convening authority took no action on the findings or the sentence. Record of Trial (ROT), Vol. 1, Convening Authority Decision on Action – United States v. Technical Sergeant Matthew E. Fowler.

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1. *United States v. Broadway*, ACM No. 40834 – The digital record of trial is 1557 pages consisting of twenty-nine appellate exhibits, twenty-seven prosecution exhibits, and seven defense exhibits. The transcript is 744 pages long. Appellant is currently confined. Undersigned counsel has not completed her review of the record in this case.

Through no fault of Appellant, the undersigned counsel has been unable to complete her review and prepare a brief of Appellant's case. An enlargement of time is necessary to allow counsel time to fully review Appellant's case and advise Appellant regarding potential errors. Appellant has provided limited consent to disclose confidential communications, wherein:

- (1) Appellant has been advised of his right to a timely appeal.
- (2) Appellant has been advised of this request for enlargement of time.
- (3) Appellant has been apprised of the status of undersigned counsel's progress on his case.
- (4) Appellant has specifically consented to this enlargement of time.

WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully requests that this Honorable Court grant the requested enlargement of time for good cause shown.



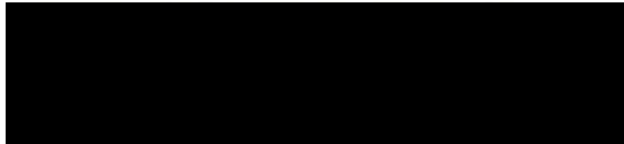
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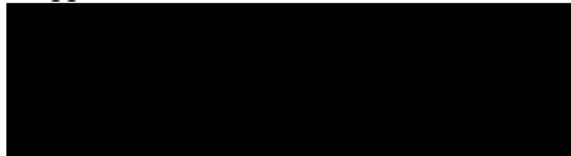
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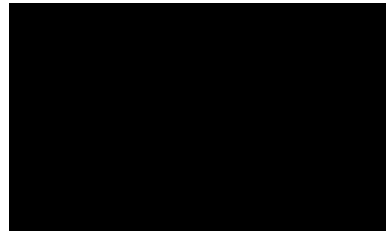
IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES,	)	UNITED STATES' GENERAL
<i>Appellee,</i>	)	OPPOSITION TO APPELLANT'S
	)	MOTION FOR ENLARGEMENT
v.	)	OF TIME
	)	
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	Before Panel No. 2
MATTHEW E. FOWLER,	)	
United States Air Force,	)	No. ACM S32821
<i>Appellant.</i>	)	
	)	19 December 2025
	)	

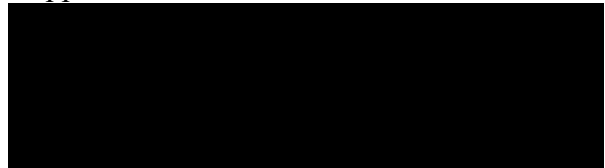
**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF
THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.2 of this Court's Rules of Practice and Procedure, the United States hereby enters its general opposition to Appellant's Motion for Enlargement of Time to file an Assignment of Error in this case.

WHEREFORE, the United States respectfully requests that this Court deny Appellant's enlargement motion.

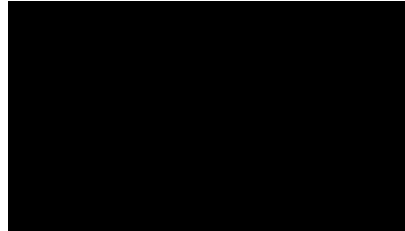


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IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES	)	APPELLANT’S MOTION FOR
<i>Appellee</i>	)	ENLARGEMENT OF TIME
	)	(SEVENTH)
v.	)	
	)	Before Panel 2
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
MATTHEW E. FOWLER	)	No. ACM S32821
United States Air Force	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	21 January 2026

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF THE
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.3(m)(3) and (4) of this Honorable Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, Appellant hereby moves for his seventh enlargement of time to file an Assignment of Error (AOE) brief. Appellant requests an enlargement for a period of 30 days, which will end on **10 March 2026**. This case was docketed with this Court on 14 May 2025. From the date of docketing to the present date, 252 days have elapsed. On the date requested, 300 days will have elapsed.

On 28 February 2025, Appellant was tried by a special court-martial consisting of a military judge alone at McConnell Air Force Base, Kansas. Record (R). at 1. Consistent with his pleas, the military judge found Appellant guilty of making a false official statement in violation of Article 107, Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ), 10 U.S.C. § 907, and of fraud against the United States in violation of Article 124, UCMJ, 10 U.S.C. § 924. R. at 9, 67. On 28 February 2025, the military judge sentenced Appellant to a bad conduct discharge, reduction to pay grade E-1, and a reprimand. R. at 78. The convening authority took no action on the findings or the sentence. Record of Trial (ROT), Vol. 1, Convening Authority Decision on Action – United States v. Technical Sergeant Matthew E. Fowler.

The digital record of trial is 346 pages consisting of three appellate exhibits and four prosecution exhibits. The transcript is seventy-nine pages long. Appellant is not currently confined. Counsel is currently assigned twenty-five cases; twenty-five of those cases are pending before this Court (twenty-two cases are pending AOE's). Undersigned counsel expects to file reply brief in one of the cases pending before this court: *United States v. Anderson*, ACM No. 40850. Of the cases pending an AOE brief, one case has priority over Appellant's case:

1. *United States v. Broadway*, ACM No. 40834 – The digital record of trial is 1557 pages consisting of twenty-nine appellate exhibits, twenty-seven prosecution exhibits, and seven defense exhibits. The transcript is 744 pages long. Appellant is currently confined. Undersigned counsel has not completed her review of the record in this case.

Through no fault of Appellant, the undersigned counsel has been unable to begin her review and prepare a brief of Appellant's case. An enlargement of time is necessary to allow counsel time to fully review Appellant's case and advise Appellant regarding potential errors. Appellant has provided limited consent to disclose confidential communications, wherein:

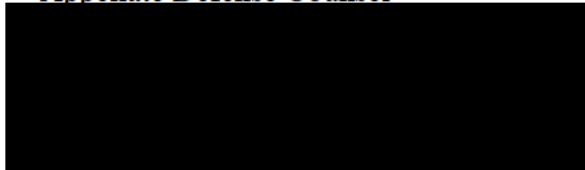
- (1) Appellant has been advised of his right to a timely appeal.
- (2) Appellant has been advised of this request for enlargement of time.
- (3) Appellant has been apprised of the status of undersigned counsel's progress on his case.
- (4) Appellant has specifically consented to this enlargement of time.

WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully requests that this Honorable Court grant the requested enlargement of time for good cause shown.

Respectfully submitted,

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Appellate Defense Counsel

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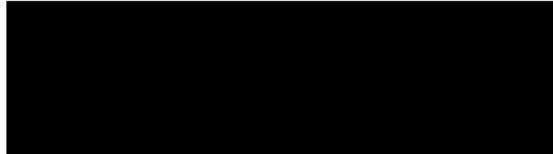
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IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES,	)	UNITED STATES’
<i>Appellee,</i>	)	OPPOSITION TO APPELLANT’S
	)	MOTION FOR ENLARGEMENT
v.	)	OF TIME
	)	
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	Before Panel No. 2
MATTHEW E. FOWLER,	)	
United States Air Force,	)	No. ACM S32821
<i>Appellant.</i>	)	
	)	23 January 2026
	)	

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF
THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.2 of this Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, the United States hereby enters its opposition to Appellant’s Motion for Enlargement of Time to file an Assignment of Error in this case.

The United States respectfully maintains that short of a death penalty case or other extraordinary circumstances, it should not take any appellant nearly a year to submit an assignment of error to this Court. If Appellant’s new delay request is granted, the defense delay in this case will be 300 days in length. Appellant’s nearly year-long delay practically ensures this Court will not be able to issue a decision that complies with our superior Court’s appellate processing standards. Appellant has already consumed almost two thirds of the 18 month standard for this Court to issue a decision, which only leaves about 8 months combined for the United States and this Court to perform their separate statutory responsibilities. It appears that Appellant’s counsel has not started review of the record of trial at this late stage of the appellate process.

WHEREFORE, the United States respectfully requests that this Court deny Appellant's enlargement motion.



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**UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS**

UNITED STATES	)	No. ACM S32821
<i>Appellee</i>	)	
	)	
v.	)	
	)	ORDER
Matthew E. FOWLER	)	
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
U.S. Air Force	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	Panel 2

On 5 February 2026, Appellant’s Counsel submitted a Motion for Enlargement of Time (Eighth) requesting an additional 30 days to submit Appellant’s assignments of error. Appellant’s counsel indicated she “has been unable to begin her review and prepare a brief of Appellant’s case.” The Government opposes the motion, maintaining that “short of a death penalty case or other extraordinary circumstances, it should not take any appellant nearly a year to submit an assignment of error to this Court.”

The court has considered Appellant’s motion, the Government’s opposition, case law, and this court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure.

Accordingly, it is by the court on this 11th day of February, 2026,

ORDERED:

Appellant’s Motion for Enlargement of Time (Eighth) is **GRANTED**. Appellant shall file any assignments of error not later than **9 April 2026**.

Appellant’s counsel is advised that given the number of enlargements granted thus far, any further requests for an enlargement of time may necessitate a status conference to determine the progress being made on Appellant’s case per this court’s Rule 23.3(m)(6). A.F. CT. CRIM. APP. R. 23.3(m)(6).



FOR THE COURT

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JACOB B. HOEFERKAMP, Capt, USAF
Chief Commissioner

IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES	)	APPELLANT’S MOTION FOR
<i>Appellee</i>	)	ENLARGEMENT OF TIME
	)	(EIGHTH)
v.	)	
	)	Before Panel 2
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
MATTHEW E. FOWLER	)	No. ACM S32821
United States Air Force	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	5 February 2026

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF THE
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.3(m)(3) and (4) of this Honorable Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, Appellant hereby moves for his eighth enlargement of time to file an Assignment of Error (AOE) brief. Appellant requests an enlargement for a period of 30 days, which will end on **9 April 2026**. This case was docketed with this Court on 14 May 2025. From the date of docketing to the present date, 267 days have elapsed. On the date requested, 330 days will have elapsed.

On 28 February 2025, Appellant was tried by a special court-martial consisting of a military judge alone at McConnell Air Force Base, Kansas. Record (R). at 1. Consistent with his pleas, the military judge found Appellant guilty of making a false official statement in violation of Article 107, Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ), 10 U.S.C. § 907, and of fraud against the United States in violation of Article 124, UCMJ, 10 U.S.C. § 924. R. at 9, 67. On 28 February 2025, the military judge sentenced Appellant to a bad conduct discharge, reduction to pay grade E-1, and a reprimand. R. at 78. The convening authority took no action on the findings or the sentence. Record of Trial (ROT), Vol. 1, Convening Authority Decision on Action – United States v. Technical Sergeant Matthew E. Fowler.

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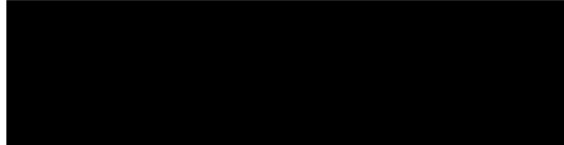
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Through no fault of Appellant, the undersigned counsel has been unable to begin her review and prepare a brief of Appellant's case. An enlargement of time is necessary to allow counsel time to fully review Appellant's case and advise Appellant regarding potential errors. Appellant has provided limited consent to disclose confidential communications, wherein:

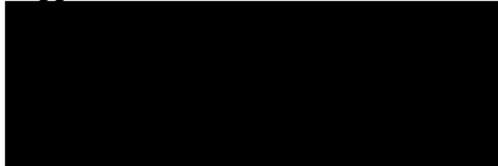
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- (2) Appellant has been advised of this request for enlargement of time.
- (3) Appellant has been apprised of the status of undersigned counsel's progress on his case.
- (4) Appellant has specifically consented to this enlargement of time.

WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully requests that this Honorable Court grant the requested enlargement of time for good cause shown.

Respectfully submitted,



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Appellate Defense Counsel



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IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES,	)	UNITED STATES’
<i>Appellee,</i>	)	OPPOSITION TO APPELLANT’S
	)	MOTION FOR ENLARGEMENT
v.	)	OF TIME
	)	
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	Before Panel No. 2
MATTHEW E. FOWLER,	)	
United States Air Force,	)	No. ACM S32821
<i>Appellant.</i>	)	
	)	9 February 2026
	)	

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF
THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.2 of this Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, the United States hereby enters its opposition to Appellant’s Motion for Enlargement of Time to file an Assignment of Error in this case.

The United States respectfully maintains that short of a death penalty case or other extraordinary circumstances, it should not take any appellant nearly a year to submit an assignment of error to this Court. If Appellant’s new delay request is granted, the defense delay in this case will be 330 days in length. Appellant’s nearly year-long delay practically ensures this Court will not be able to issue a decision that complies with our superior Court’s appellate processing standards. Appellant has already consumed almost thirds of the 18 month standard for this Court to issue a decision, which only leaves about 7 months combined for the United States and this Court to perform their separate statutory responsibilities. It appears that Appellant’s counsel has not started review of the record of trial at this late stage of the appellate process.

WHEREFORE, the United States respectfully requests that this Court deny Appellant's enlargement motion.



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IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES	)	APPELLANT’S MOTION FOR
<i>Appellee</i>	)	ENLARGEMENT OF TIME
	)	(NINETH) OUT OF TIME*
v.	)	
	)	Before Panel 2
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
MATTHEW E. FOWLER	)	No. ACM S32821
United States Air Force	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	6 April 2026

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF THE
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.3(m)(3) and (4) of this Honorable Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, Appellant hereby moves for his ninth enlargement of time out of time to file an Assignment of Error (AOE) brief. Appellant requests an enlargement for a period of 30 days, which will end on **9 May 2026**. This case was docketed with this Court on 14 May 2025. From the date of docketing to the present date, 327 days have elapsed. On the date requested, 360 days will have elapsed.

On 28 February 2025, Appellant was tried by a special court-martial consisting of a military judge alone at McConnell Air Force Base, Kansas. Record (R). at 1. Consistent with his pleas, the military judge found Appellant guilty of making a false official statement in violation of Article 107, Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ), 10 U.S.C. § 907, and of fraud against the United States in violation of Article 124, UCMJ, 10 U.S.C. § 924. R. at 9, 67. On 28 February 2025, the military judge sentenced Appellant to a bad conduct discharge, reduction to the pay grade of E-1, and a reprimand. R. at 78. The convening authority took no action on the findings

* Undersigned counsel mistakenly believed that the due date for this motion, 3 April 2026, fell on a Saturday, which would have made a Monday filing timely. As 3 April 2026 is a Friday, the motion was due on that day. This oversight was not the result of bad faith and Appellant bears no responsibility for this delay.

or the sentence. Record of Trial (ROT), Vol. 1, Convening Authority Decision on Action – United States v. Technical Sergeant Matthew E. Fowler.

The digital record of trial is 346 pages consisting of three appellate exhibits and four prosecution exhibits. The transcript is seventy-nine pages long. Appellant is not confined. Counsel is currently assigned twenty-four cases; twenty-three of those cases are pending before this Court (twenty-three are pending AOE). Undersigned counsel expects to file reply brief in one of the cases pending before this court: *United States v. Anderson*, ACM No. 40850. Of the cases pending an AOE brief, two cases have priority over Appellant's case:

1. *United States v. Broadway*, ACM No. 40834 – The digital record of trial is 1557 pages consisting of twenty-nine appellate exhibits, twenty-seven prosecution exhibits, and seven defense exhibits. The transcript is 744 pages long. Appellant is currently confined. Undersigned counsel completed her review of the record in this case and began drafting AOE brief.
2. *United States v. Johnson*, ACM No. 25090 – The digital record of trial is 1506 pages, consisting of 27 appellate exhibits, 15 prosecution exhibits, and 17 defense exhibits. The transcript is 989 pages. Appellant is not confined. Undersigned counsel has not completed her review of the record in this case.

Through no fault of Appellant, the undersigned counsel has been unable to begin her review and prepare a brief of Appellant's case. An enlargement of time is necessary to allow counsel time to fully review Appellant's case and advise Appellant regarding potential errors. Appellant has provided limited consent to disclose confidential communications, wherein:

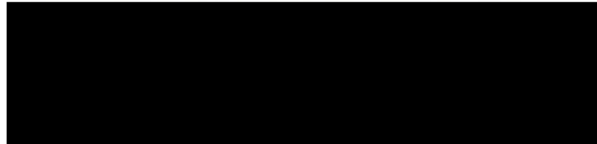
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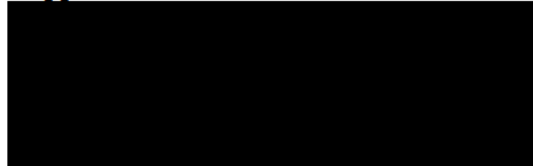
(4) Appellant has specifically consented to this enlargement of time.

WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully requests that this Honorable Court grant the requested enlargement of time for good cause shown.

Respectfully submitted,



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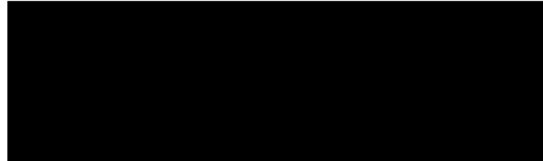
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IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES,	)	UNITED STATES’
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v.	)	OF TIME
	)	
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	Before Panel No. 2
MATTHEW E. FOWLER,	)	
United States Air Force,	)	No. ACM S32821
<i>Appellant.</i>	)	
	)	7 April 2026
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**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF
THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

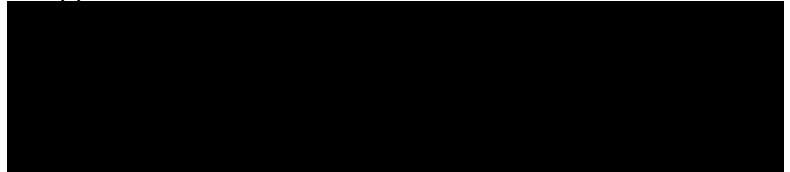
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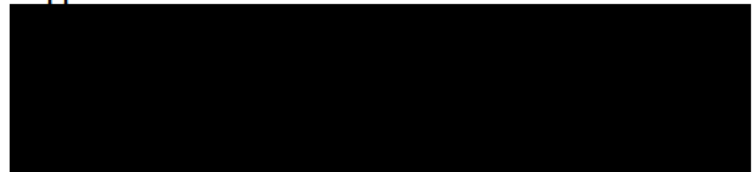


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UNITED STATES	)	APPELLANT’S MOTION FOR
<i>Appellee</i>	)	ENLARGEMENT OF TIME
	)	(TENTH)
v.	)	
	)	Before Panel 2
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
MATTHEW E. FOWLER	)	No. ACM S32821
United States Air Force	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	4 May 2026

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF THE
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.3(m)(3) and (4) of this Honorable Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, Appellant hereby moves for his tenth enlargement of time to file an Assignment of Error (AOE) brief. Appellant requests an enlargement for a period of 30 days, which will end on **8 June 2026**. This case was docketed with this Court on 14 May 2025. From the date of docketing to the present date, 355 days have elapsed. On the date requested, 390 days will have elapsed.

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Counsel is currently assigned twenty-seven cases; twenty-six of those cases are pending before this Court (twenty-five are pending AOE's). Undersigned counsel is filing a reply brief in one of the cases pending before this court: *United States v. Anderson*, ACM No. 40850 (4 May 2026 filing deadline). Additionally, within the next week, the undersigned counsel expects to file a petition and supplement with the Court of Appeals for the Armed Forces in *United States v. Bogert*, ACM No. 40855 (11 May 2026 filing deadline). Of the cases pending an AOE brief, two cases have priority over Appellant's case:

1. *United States v. Broadway*, ACM No. 40834 – The digital record of trial is 1557 pages consisting of twenty-nine appellate exhibits, twenty-seven prosecution exhibits, and seven defense exhibits. The transcript is 744 pages long. Appellant is currently confined. Undersigned counsel completed her review of the record in this case and is in the process of making the final edits to the brief before the 5 May 2026 filing deadline.
2. *United States v. Johnson*, ACM No. 25090 – The digital record of trial is 1506 pages, consisting of 27 appellate exhibits, 15 prosecution exhibits, and 17 defense exhibits. The transcript is 989 pages. Appellant is not confined. Undersigned counsel began but has not completed her review of the record in this case.

Through no fault of Appellant, the undersigned counsel has been unable to begin her review and prepare a brief of Appellant's case. An enlargement of time is necessary to allow counsel time to fully review Appellant's case and advise Appellant regarding potential errors. Appellant has provided limited consent to disclose confidential communications, wherein:

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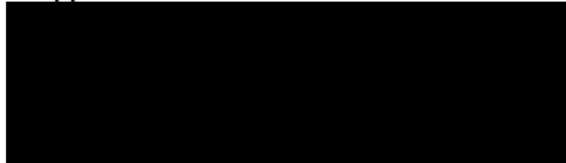
(4) Appellant has specifically consented to this enlargement of time.

WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully requests that this Honorable Court grant the requested enlargement of time for good cause shown.

Respectfully submitted,



OLGA STANFORD, Capt, USAF
Appellate Defense Counsel



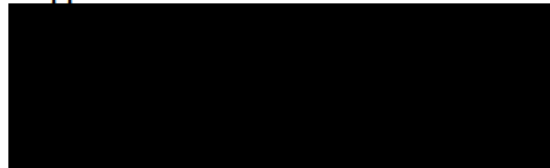
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IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES,	)	UNITED STATES’
<i>Appellee,</i>	)	OPPOSITION TO APPELLANT’S
	)	MOTION FOR ENLARGEMENT
v.	)	OF TIME
	)	
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	Before Panel No. 2
MATTHEW E. FOWLER,	)	
United States Air Force,	)	No. ACM S32821
<i>Appellant.</i>	)	
	)	19 May 2026
	)	

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF
THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

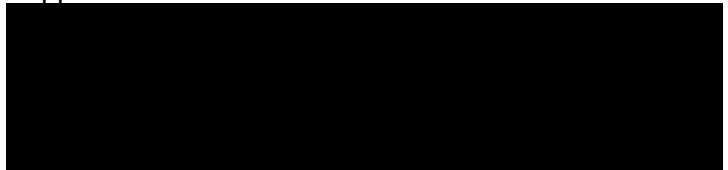
Pursuant to Rule 23.2 of this Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, the United States hereby enters its opposition to Appellant’s Motion for Enlargement of Time to file an Assignment of Error in this case.

The United States respectfully maintains that short of a death penalty case or other extraordinary circumstances, it should not take any appellant over a year to submit an assignment of error to this Court. If Appellant’s new delay request is granted, the defense delay in this case will be 390 days in length. Appellant’s year-long delay practically ensures this Court will not be able to issue a decision that complies with our superior Court’s appellate processing standards. Appellant has consumed over two-thirds of the 18 month standard for this Court to issue a decision, which only leaves about 5 months combined for the United States and this Court to perform their separate statutory responsibilities. It appears that Appellant’s counsel has not started review of the record of trial at this late stage of the appellate process.

WHEREFORE, the United States respectfully requests that this Court deny Appellant's enlargement motion.



Appellate Government Counsel



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Appellate Government Counsel



**UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS**

UNITED STATES	)	No. ACM S32821
<i>Appellee</i>	)	
	)	
v.	)	
	)	ORDER
Matthew E. FOWLER	)	
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
U.S. Air Force	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	Panel 2

On 28 May 2026, counsel for Appellant submitted a Motion for Enlargement of Time (Eleventh), requesting an additional 30 days to submit Appellant’s assignments of error. The Government opposes the motion as if granted, “the defense delay in this case will be 420 days in length.” They further assert “Appellant’s more than a year-long delay practically ensures this Court will not be able to issue a decision that complies with our superior Court’s appellate processing standards.”

On 3 June 2026, the court held a status conference to discuss the progress of this case. Appellant was represented by Captain Olga Stanford; Mr. Dwight H. Sullivan from the Appellate Defense Division was also present. Major Heather R. Bezold represented the Government. In response to questions from the court, Captain Stanford gave a status update on the case that she has prioritized over Appellant’s case. Captain Stanford indicated that while the case she prioritized over Appellant’s case was docketed much later than Appellant’s case, circumstances of the case required it to be worked first and she had briefed her leadership on her prioritization. Captain Sanford indicated she would be complete with the case prioritized above Appellant’s case within the month. Major Bezold did not dispute any representation made by the Defense.

The court has considered Appellant’s motion, the Government’s opposition, case law, and this court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure.

Accordingly, it is by the court on this 4th day of June, 2026,

ORDERED:

Appellant’s Motion for Enlargement of Time (Eleventh) is **GRANTED**. Appellant shall file any assignments of error not later than **8 July 2026**.

It is further ordered:

At the time of filing any further motions for enlargement of time, Appellant's counsel will, in addition to matters required by the court's rules and by prior orders of the court, specifically identify the assignments of error Appellant reasonably expects to raise to the court, recognizing such identification will not bind or constrain Appellant with respect to which assignments he ultimately raises.



FOR THE COURT

JACOB B. HOEFERKAMP, Capt, USAF
Chief Commissioner

IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES	)	APPELLANT’S MOTION FOR
<i>Appellee</i>	)	ENLARGEMENT OF TIME
	)	(ELEVENTH)
v.	)	
	)	Before Panel 2
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
MATTHEW E. FOWLER	)	No. ACM S32821
United States Air Force	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	28 May 2026

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF THE
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.3(m)(3) and (4) of this Honorable Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, Appellant hereby moves for his eleventh enlargement of time to file an Assignment of Error (AOE) brief. Appellant requests an enlargement for a period of 30 days, which will end on **8 July 2026**. This case was docketed with this Court on 14 May 2025. From the date of docketing to the present date, 379 days have elapsed. On the date requested, 420 days will have elapsed.

On 28 February 2025, Appellant was tried by a special court-martial consisting of a military judge alone at McConnell Air Force Base, Kansas. Record (R). at 1. Consistent with his pleas, the military judge found Appellant guilty of making a false official statement in violation of Article 107, Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ), 10 U.S.C. § 907, and of fraud against the United States in violation of Article 124, UCMJ, 10 U.S.C. § 924. R. at 9, 67. On 28 February 2025, the military judge sentenced Appellant to a bad conduct discharge, reduction to the pay grade of E-1, and a reprimand. R. at 78. The convening authority took no action on the findings or the sentence. Record of Trial (ROT), Vol. 1, Convening Authority Decision on Action – United States v. Technical Sergeant Matthew E. Fowler.

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Counsel is currently assigned thirty-one cases; thirty of those cases are pending before this Court (twenty-eight are pending AOE). Within the next three weeks, undersigned counsel expects to file reply brief in one of the cases pending before this court: *United States v. Broadway*, ACM No. 40834. Within the next week, the undersigned counsel expects to file a supplement with the Court of Appeals for the Armed Forces in *United States v. Bogert*, ACM No. 40855. Of the cases pending an AOE brief, one case has priority over Appellant's case:

1. *United States v. Johnson*, ACM No. 25090 – The digital record of trial is 1506 pages, consisting of 27 appellate exhibits, 15 prosecution exhibits, and 17 defense exhibits.

The transcript is 989 pages. Appellant is not confined. Undersigned counsel began but has not completed her review of the record in this case.

Through no fault of Appellant, the undersigned counsel has been unable to begin her review and prepare a brief of Appellant's case. An enlargement of time is necessary to allow counsel time to fully review Appellant's case and advise Appellant regarding potential errors. Appellant has provided limited consent to disclose confidential communications, wherein:

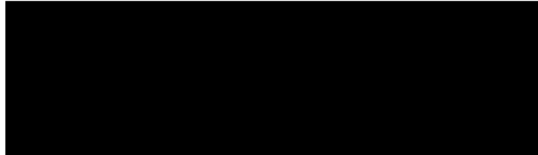
- (1) Appellant has been advised of his right to a timely appeal.
- (2) Appellant has been advised of this request for enlargement of time.
- (3) Appellant has been apprised of the status of undersigned counsel's progress on his case.
- (4) Appellant has specifically consented to this enlargement of time.

WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully requests that this Honorable Court grant the requested enlargement of time for good cause shown.

Respectfully submitted,

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OLGA STANFORD, Capt, USAF
Appellate Defense Counsel

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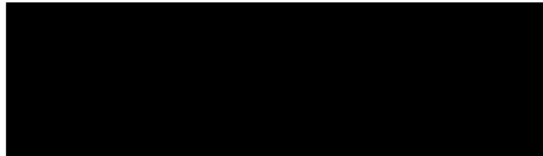
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IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

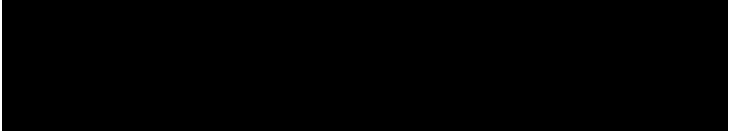
UNITED STATES,	)	UNITED STATES' OPPOSITION
<i>Appellee,</i>	)	TO APPELLANT'S MOTION
	)	FOR ENLARGEMENT OF TIME
v.	)	
	)	
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	Before Panel No. 2
MATTHEW E. FOWLER,	)	
United States Air Force,	)	No. ACM S32821
<i>Appellant.</i>	)	
	)	1 June 2026

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF
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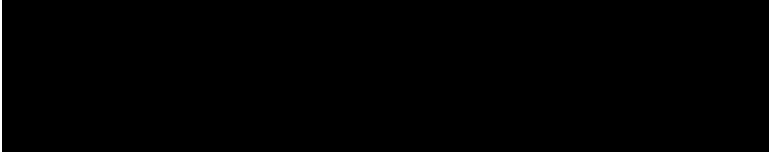
Pursuant to Rule 23.2 of this Court's Rules of Practice and Procedure, the United States hereby enters its opposition to Appellant's Motion for Enlargement of Time to file an Assignment of Error in this case.

The United States respectfully maintains that short of a death penalty case or other extraordinary circumstances, it should not take any appellant over a year to submit an assignment of error to this Court. Appellant's counsel has not started review of the record of trial at this late stage of the appellate process. If Appellant's new delay request is granted, the defense delay in this case will be 420 days in length. Appellant's more than a year-long delay practically ensures this Court will not be able to issue a decision that complies with our superior Court's appellate processing standards. Appellant has consumed over two-thirds of the 18-month standard for this Court to issue a decision, which only leaves about 4 months combined for the United States and this Court to perform their separate statutory responsibilities.

WHEREFORE, the United States respectfully requests that this Court deny Appellant's enlargement motion.

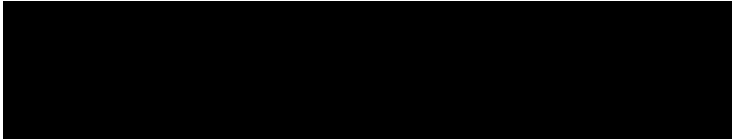


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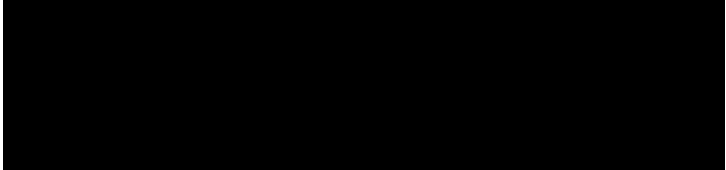


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**UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS**

UNITED STATES	)	No. ACM S32821
<i>Appellee</i>	)	
	)	
v.	)	
	)	ORDER
Matthew E. FOWLER	)	
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
U.S. Air Force	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	Panel 2

On 29 June 2026, counsel for Appellant submitted a Motion for Enlargement of Time (Twelfth) requesting an additional 30 days to submit Appellant's assignments of error. The Government opposes the motion.

The court has considered Appellant's motion, the Government's opposition, case law, and this court's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

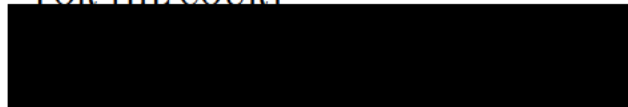
Accordingly, it is by the court on this 30th day of June, 2026,

ORDERED:

Appellant's Motion for Enlargement of Time (Twelfth) is **GRANTED**. Appellant's brief will be filed not later than **7 August 2026**. Appellant's counsel is advised that given the nature of this case and the number of enlargements granted thus far, absent exceptional circumstances, no further enlargement of time will be granted.



FOR THE COURT



JACOB B. HOEFERKAMP, Capt, USAF
Chief Commissioner

IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES	)	APPELLANT’S MOTION FOR
<i>Appellee</i>	)	ENLARGEMENT OF TIME
	)	(TWELFTH)
v.	)	
	)	Before Panel 2
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
MATTHEW E. FOWLER	)	No. ACM S32821
United States Air Force	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	29 June 2026

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF THE
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rule 23.3(m)(3) and (4) of this Honorable Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, Appellant hereby moves for his twelfth enlargement of time to file an Assignment of Error (AOE) brief. Appellant requests an enlargement for a period of 30 days, which will end on **7 August 2026**. This case was docketed with this Court on 14 May 2025. From the date of docketing to the present date, 411 days have elapsed. On the date requested, 450 days will have elapsed.

On 28 February 2025, Appellant was tried by a special court-martial consisting of a military judge alone at McConnell Air Force Base, Kansas. Record (R). at 1. Consistent with his pleas, the military judge found Appellant guilty of making a false official statement in violation of Article 107, Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ), 10 U.S.C. § 907, and of fraud against the United States in violation of Article 124, UCMJ, 10 U.S.C. § 924. R. at 9, 67. On 28 February 2025, the military judge sentenced Appellant to a bad conduct discharge, reduction to the pay grade of E-1, and a reprimand. R. at 78. The convening authority took no action on the findings or the sentence. Record of Trial (ROT), Vol. 1, Convening Authority Decision on Action – United States v. Technical Sergeant Matthew E. Fowler.

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The transcript is 989 pages. Appellant is not confined. Undersigned counsel began but has not completed her review of the record in this case.

Through no fault of Appellant, the undersigned counsel has begun but has not completed her review of Appellant's case. Based on her preliminary review of the record, the undersigned counsel expects to raise the following assignment of error: sentence severity.

An enlargement of time is necessary to allow counsel time to fully review Appellant's case and advise Appellant regarding potential errors. Appellant has provided limited consent to disclose confidential communications, wherein:

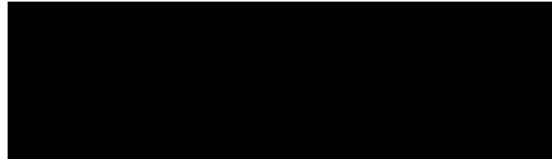
- (1) Appellant has been advised of his right to a timely appeal.
- (2) Appellant has been advised of this request for enlargement of time.
- (3) Appellant has been apprised of the status of undersigned counsel's progress on his case.
- (4) Appellant has specifically consented to this enlargement of time.

WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully requests that this Honorable Court grant the requested enlargement of time for good cause shown.

Respectfully submitted,

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IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES,	)	UNITED STATES' OPPOSITION
<i>Appellee,</i>	)	TO APPELLANT'S MOTION
	)	FOR ENLARGEMENT OF TIME
v.	)	
	)	Before Panel No. 2
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
MATTHEW E. FOWLER,	)	No. ACM S32821
United States Air Force,	)	
<i>Appellant.</i>	)	29 June 2026

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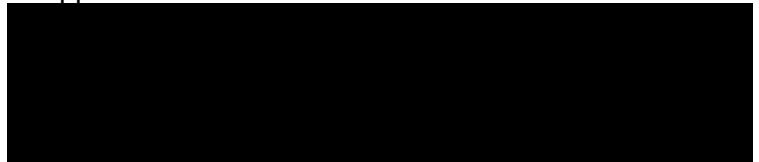
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WHEREFORE, the United States respectfully requests that this Court deny Appellant's enlargement motion.

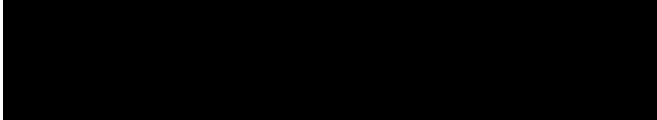


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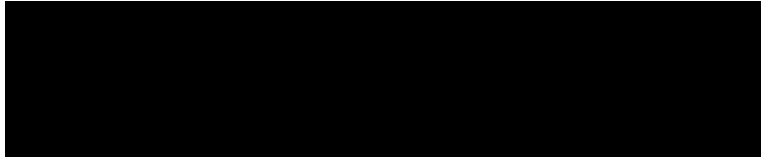


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**UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS**

UNITED STATES	)	No. ACM S32821
<i>Appellee</i>	)	
	)	
v.	)	
	)	ORDER
Matthew E. FOWLER	)	
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
U.S. Air Force	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	Panel 2

On 29 July 2026, counsel for Appellant submitted a Motion for Enlargement of Time (Thirteenth), requesting an additional 30 days to submit Appellant's assignments of error. On the date requested, 480 days will have lapsed from the date this case was docketed. The Government opposes the motion.

On 6 August 2026, the court held a status conference. Major Olga Stanford represented Appellant; Major Spencer Nelson from the Appellate Defense Division was also present. Major Catherine Mumford represented the Government. Major Stanford confirmed she has completed her substantive review of the case and identified sentence severity as the assignment of error. She stated it should take her about one day to write the brief in this case. We also discussed that she has recently been assigned to file an answer to an Article 62, UCMJ, appeal, in addition to her other caseload. Major Mumford stood on the written response to the motion.

The court has considered Appellant's motion, the Government's opposition, case law, and this court's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

Accordingly, it is by the court on this 6th day of August, 2026,

ORDERED:

Appellant's Motion for Enlargement of Time (Thirteenth) is **GRANTED IN PART**. Appellant shall file any assignments of error not later than **24 August 2026**.



FOR THE COURT



AGNIESZKA M. GAERTNER, Capt, USAF
Commissioner

IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES	)	APPELLANT’S MOTION FOR
<i>Appellee</i>	)	ENLARGEMENT OF TIME
	)	(THIRTEENTH)
v.	)	
	)	Before Panel 2
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
MATTHEW E. FOWLER	)	No. ACM S32821
United States Air Force	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	29 July 2026

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF THE
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rules 23.3(m), 24.3(a)(1), and 24.3(b) of this Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, Appellant hereby moves for his thirteenth enlargement of time to file an Assignment of Error (AOE) brief. Appellant requests an enlargement for a period of 30 days, which will end on **6 September 2026**. This case was docketed with this Court on **14 May 2025**. From the date of docketing to the present date, 441 days have elapsed. On the date requested, 480 days will have elapsed.

On 28 February 2025, Appellant was tried by a special court-martial consisting of a military judge alone at McConnell Air Force Base, Kansas. Record (R). at 1. Consistent with his pleas, the military judge found Appellant guilty of making a false official statement in violation of Article 107, Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ), 10 U.S.C. § 907, and of fraud against the United States in violation of Article 124, UCMJ, 10 U.S.C. § 924. R. at 9, 67. On 28 February 2025, the military judge sentenced Appellant to a bad conduct discharge, reduction to the pay grade of E-1, and a reprimand. R. at 78. The convening authority took no action on the findings or the sentence. Record of Trial (ROT), Vol. 1, Convening Authority Decision on Action – *United States v. Technical Sergeant Matthew E. Fowler*.

The digital record of trial is 346 pages consisting of three appellate exhibits and four prosecution exhibits. The transcript is seventy-nine pages long.

Appellant is not confined.

Counsel is currently assigned thirty-nine cases; thirty-seven of those cases are pending before this Court (thirty-two are pending AOE). Within the next three weeks, undersigned counsel expects to file an answer brief in *United States v. Cunningham*, Misc. Dkt. No. 2026-06, an Article 62, UCMJ, 10 U.S.C. § 862, appeal.* Within the next two months, undersigned counsel expects to file writs or certiorari before the Supreme Court of the United States for two cases. Of the cases pending AOE, undersigned counsel has the following cases prioritized over the present case:

1. *United States v. Johnson*, ACM No. 25090 – The digital record of trial is 1506 pages, consisting of 27 appellate exhibits, 15 prosecution exhibits, and 17 defense exhibits. The transcript is 989 pages. Appellant is not confined. Based on her review of the record thus far, the undersigned counsel has identified one possible issue but has not yet identified all potential issues due to the ongoing substantive review of the record. Undersigned counsel has not begun drafting the AOE brief in this case. Based on the above-listed priorities, the undersigned counsel had to shift the expected completion date for this AOE brief from the end of August 2026 to the end of September 2026.

Undersigned counsel's other duties include: timely communication with all clients via email and phone, planning and implementation of the upcoming training for onboarding Appellate Defense Division members, providing training and support to the Air Force Trial Defense Division

* In accordance with JT. R. APP. PROC. 20(d), undersigned counsel is required to give "priority over all other proceedings where practicable" to appeals filed pursuant to Article 62, UCMJ.

(particularly in light of the Chief, Defense Counsel Assistance Program (DCAP), position remaining unfilled), and completing mandatory Air Force trainings and administrative measures.

Regarding undersigned counsel's progress with the subject case, undersigned counsel has completed her substantive review of the record of trial. Undersigned counsel has identified one possible assignment of error. Undersigned counsel has not begun drafting the AOE brief. Based on the above-listed priorities, the undersigned counsel had to shift the expected completion date for this AOE brief from the end of August 2026 to the beginning of October 2026.

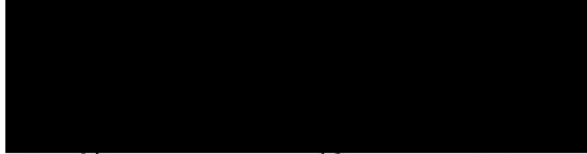
Appellant has provided limited consent to disclose confidential communications, wherein:

- (1) Appellant was informed of his right to speedy appellate review.
- (2) Appellant has been advised of this request for enlargement of time.
- (3) Appellant has been apprised of the status of undersigned counsel's progress on his case.
- (4) He asserts his right to speedy appellate review but, recognizing that undersigned counsel is working on other cases that hold a higher priority over Appellant's case, he agrees with this request for an enlargement of time.

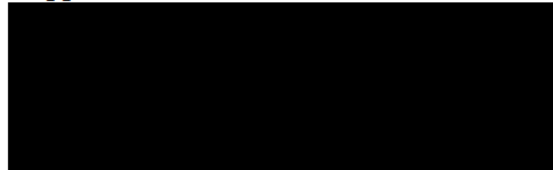
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WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully requests that this Honorable Court grant the requested enlargement of time for good cause shown.

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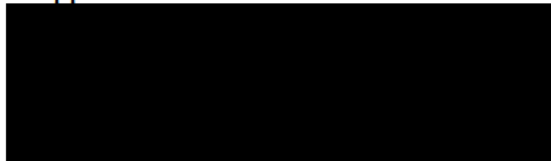
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IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES	)	APPELLANT’S MOTION FOR
<i>Appellee</i>	)	ENLARGEMENT OF TIME
	)	(THIRTEENTH)
v.	)	
	)	Before Panel 2
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
MATTHEW E. FOWLER	)	No. ACM S32821
United States Air Force	)	
<i>Appellant</i>	)	29 July 2026

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF THE
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**

Pursuant to Rules 23.3(m), 24.3(a)(1), and 24.3(b) of this Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, Appellant hereby moves for his thirteenth enlargement of time to file an Assignment of Error (AOE) brief. Appellant requests an enlargement for a period of 30 days, which will end on **6 September 2026**. This case was docketed with this Court on **14 May 2025**. From the date of docketing to the present date, 441 days have elapsed. On the date requested, 480 days will have elapsed.

On 28 February 2025, Appellant was tried by a special court-martial consisting of a military judge alone at McConnell Air Force Base, Kansas. Record (R). at 1. Consistent with his pleas, the military judge found Appellant guilty of making a false official statement in violation of Article 107, Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ), 10 U.S.C. § 907, and of fraud against the United States in violation of Article 124, UCMJ, 10 U.S.C. § 924. R. at 9, 67. On 28 February 2025, the military judge sentenced Appellant to a bad conduct discharge, reduction to the pay grade of E-1, and a reprimand. R. at 78. The convening authority took no action on the findings or the sentence. Record of Trial (ROT), Vol. 1, Convening Authority Decision on Action – *United States v. Technical Sergeant Matthew E. Fowler*.

The digital record of trial is 346 pages consisting of three appellate exhibits and four prosecution exhibits. The transcript is seventy-nine pages long.

Appellant is not confined.

Counsel is currently assigned thirty-nine cases; thirty-seven of those cases are pending before this Court (thirty-two are pending AOE). Within the next three weeks, undersigned counsel expects to file an answer brief in *United States v. Cunningham*, Misc. Dkt. No. 2026-06, an Article 62, UCMJ, 10 U.S.C. § 862, appeal.* Within the next two months, undersigned counsel expects to file writs or certiorari before the Supreme Court of the United States for two cases. Of the cases pending AOE, undersigned counsel has the following cases prioritized over the present case:

1. *United States v. Johnson*, ACM No. 25090 – The digital record of trial is 1506 pages, consisting of 27 appellate exhibits, 15 prosecution exhibits, and 17 defense exhibits. The transcript is 989 pages. Appellant is not confined. Based on her review of the record thus far, the undersigned counsel has identified one possible issue but has not yet identified all potential issues due to the ongoing substantive review of the record. Undersigned counsel has not begun drafting the AOE brief in this case. Based on the above-listed priorities, the undersigned counsel had to shift the expected completion date for this AOE brief from the end of August 2026 to the end of September 2026.

Undersigned counsel's other duties include: timely communication with all clients via email and phone, planning and implementation of the upcoming training for onboarding Appellate Defense Division members, providing training and support to the Air Force Trial Defense Division

* In accordance with JT. R. APP. PROC. 20(d), undersigned counsel is required to give "priority over all other proceedings where practicable" to appeals filed pursuant to Article 62, UCMJ.

(particularly in light of the Chief, Defense Counsel Assistance Program (DCAP), position remaining unfilled), and completing mandatory Air Force trainings and administrative measures.

Regarding undersigned counsel's progress with the subject case, undersigned counsel has completed her substantive review of the record of trial. Undersigned counsel has identified one possible assignment of error. Undersigned counsel has not begun drafting the AOE brief. Based on the above-listed priorities, the undersigned counsel had to shift the expected completion date for this AOE brief from the end of August 2026 to the beginning of October 2026.

Appellant has provided limited consent to disclose confidential communications, wherein:

- (1) Appellant was informed of his right to speedy appellate review.
- (2) Appellant has been advised of this request for enlargement of time.
- (3) Appellant has been apprised of the status of undersigned counsel's progress on his case.
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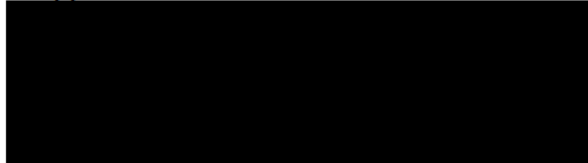
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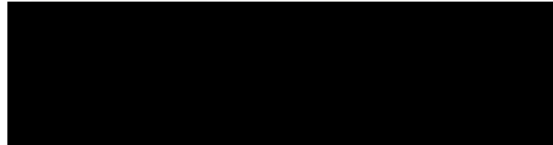
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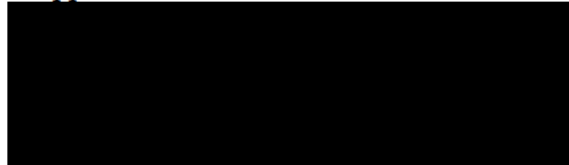
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IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES,	)	UNITED STATES' OPPOSITION
<i>Appellee,</i>	)	TO APPELLANT'S MOTION
	)	FOR ENLARGEMENT OF TIME
v.	)	
	)	Before Panel No. 2
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
MATTHEW E. FOWLER,	)	No. ACM S32821
United States Air Force,	)	
<i>Appellant.</i>	)	
	)	3 August 2026

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF
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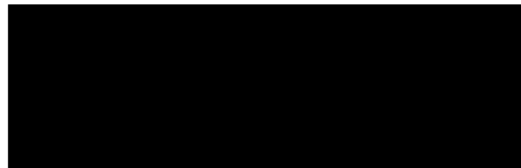
Pursuant to Rule 23.2 of this Court's Rules of Practice and Procedure, the United States hereby enters its opposition to Appellant's Motion for Enlargement of Time to file an Assignment of Error in this case.

The United States respectfully maintains that short of a death penalty case or other extraordinary circumstances, it should not take any appellate over a year to submit an assignment of error to this Court. If Appellant's new delay request is granted, the defense delay in this case will be 480 days in length. Appellant's over a year-long delay practically ensures this Court will not be able to issue a decision that complies with our superior Court's appellate processing standards. Appellant has consumed nearly 16 months of the 18-month standard for this Court to issue a decision, which leaves about 2 months for the United States and this Court to perform their separate statutory responsibilities. It appears that Appellant's counsel has completed her substantive review of the record of trial but has not begun to draft an assignment of error brief.

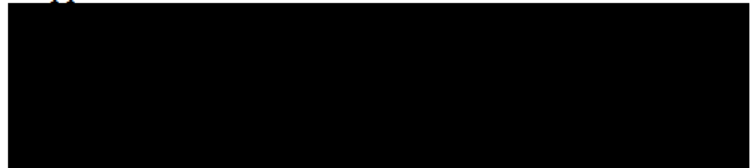
The United States further disagrees with the prioritization of United States v. Johnson, ACM No. 25090, over the above-captioned case. Johnson was docketed with this court on 19 August 2025, and the record of trial was received on 16 December 2025. The appellant in Johnson

is not confined. Johnson should not be prioritized over the above-captioned case, which was docketed with this Court on 17 July 2025 and for which 382 days have elapsed as of the date of this filing.

WHEREFORE, the United States respectfully requests that this Court deny Appellant's enlargement motion.

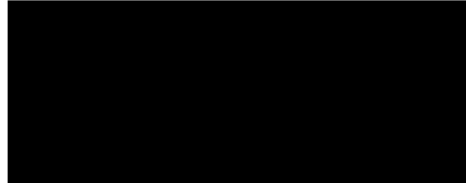
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IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES	)	MOTION TO WITHDRAW
	)	FROM APPELLATE REVIEW
	)	AND ATTACH
v.	)	
	)	Before Panel 2
Technical Sergeant (E-6)	)	
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<i>Appellant.</i>	)	10 August 2026

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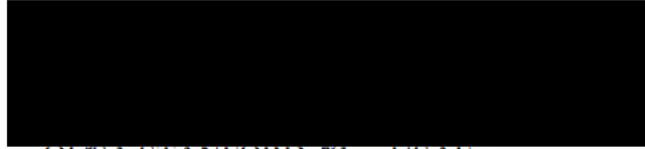
Pursuant to Rule 16 of this Honorable Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure and Rule for Courts-Martial (R.C.M.) 1115, Appellant, Technical Sergeant Matthew E. Fowler, moves to withdraw his case from appellate review.

Appellant has fully consulted with Major Olga Stanford, his appellate defense counsel, regarding this motion to withdraw. No person has compelled, coerced, or induced Appellant to withdraw his case from appellate review by force, promises of clemency, or otherwise.

Further, pursuant to Rules 23(b) and 23.3(b) of this Honorable Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, undersigned counsel asks this Court to attach the two-page document appended to this pleading to the record of this proceeding. The appended document, Appellant’s completed DD Form 2330, *Waiver/Withdrawal of Appellate Rights in General and Special Courts-Martial Subject to Review by a Court of Criminal Appeals*, is necessary to comply with R.C.M. 1115(d) and Rule 16.1 of this Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure.

WHEREFORE, Appellant respectfully requests that this Honorable Court grant this motion to withdraw from appellate review and attach matters to the record.

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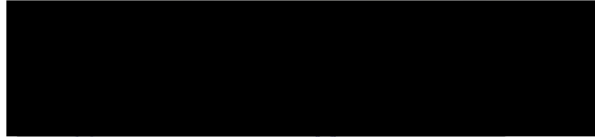
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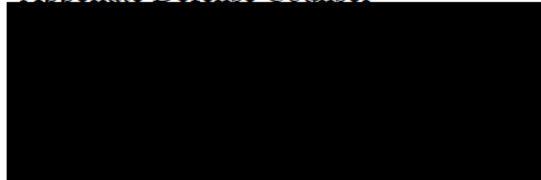
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