

IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

UNITED STATES

Appellee

**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME TO FILE JOINT
APPENDIX (1)**

v.

Docket No. ARMY 20210638

Private (E-1)

LUKE A. WATKINS

United States Army

Appellant

Tried at Fort Hood, Texas, on 12 August, 27 September, 30 November, and 1–3 December 2021, before a general court-martial appointed by Commander, III Corps and Fort Hood, Lieutenant Colonel Tiffany D. Pond, military judge, presiding.

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGES OF THE
UNITED STATES ARMY COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

COMES NOW the undersigned appellate defense counsel, pursuant to Rules 23, 24.1 and 25.2 of this Court’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, and move for the first extension of time until **6 August 2023** to file the joint appendix. The current due date is 27 July 2023.

On 17 July 2023, undersigned appellate defense counsel received the court’s notice of hearing, scheduling oral argument for 28 July 2023. (Notice of Hearing). This court granted argument on one issue. (Notice of Hearing).

On 18 July 2023, detailed appellate defense counsel had to transfer this case to the undersigned defense counsel due to scheduling conflicts. For that reason,

additional time is necessary for the undersigned defense counsel to thoroughly review all the material that must be included in the joint appendix.

Counsel for the defense and the government are currently coordinating to complete the joint appendix within the time required.

WHEREFORE, appellate defense counsel respectfully request this court grant the instant motion.

PANEL NO. 3

MOTION FOR EXTENSION
TO FILE JOINT APPENDIX

GRANTED: _____

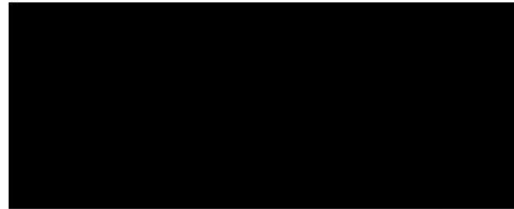
DENIED: _____

DATE: 21 July 2023 _____

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CERTIFICATE OF FILING AND SERVICE

I certify that a copy of the foregoing was electronically submitted to Army
Court and Government Appellate Division on July 20, 2023.



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