IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

PHILLIP HUDSON,

Petitioner.

ORDER

v.

08-cv-282-bbc

GREGORY GRAMS, Warden, Columbia Correctional Institution,

Respondent.

Before the court in this habeas corpus action brought pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 are respondent's motion for extension of time to file his response to the petition and petitioner's motion for extension of time to file a reply. Petitioner also requests that this court enter an order directing respondent to permit him to access the institution library at least four hours a week. I will grant the requests for extensions of the filing deadlines. However, this court does not have the authority to order respondent to provide petitioner with greater access to library materials. To allow petitioner sufficient time to prepare his filing, I will double the time within which he has to reply. Petitioner will not be granted any further extensions.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that respondent's motion for extension of time is GRANTED. Respondent shall have until July 15, 2008 within which to file his response to the petition. IT IS ALSO ORDERED that petitioner's motion for extension of time is GRANTED IN PART and

DENIED IN PART. Petitioner shall have until August 25, 2008 to file his reply. This court will not order respondent to provide petitioner with greater access to the library.

Entered this 8th day of July, 2008.

BY THE COURT:

/s/

STEPHEN L. CROCKER Magistrate Judge