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The application for stay of execution of sentence of death presented to Justice Scalia and by him referred to the Court is denied. The petition for a writ of certiorari is denied.

Justice O'Connor took no part in the consideration or decision of this application and this petition.