

## U.S. Department of Justice

## Office of the Solicitor General

Washington, D.C. 20530

May 1, 2018

Honorable Scott S. Harris Clerk Supreme Court of the United States Washington, D.C. 20543

Re:

Findlay v. Federal Housing Finance Agency, No. 17-1300

Nomura Secs. Int'l Inc. v. Federal Housing Finance Agency, No. 17-1302

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petitions for writs of certiorari in the above-captioned cases were filed on March 12, 2018. The responses of the United States are now due, after one extension, on May 14, 2018. We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, a further extension of time to and including May 22, 2018, within which to file responses in these cases.

This extension is necessary because the attorneys with principal responsibility for preparation of the government's responses have been heavily engaged with the press of previously assigned matters with proximate due dates.

Counsel for petitioners do not oppose this further extension.

Sincerely,

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