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Washington, D.C. 20530

May 9, 2018

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

Re: Randy Johnson v. United States, No. 17-1349

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on March 23, 2018, and placed on the docket on March 26, 2018. The government's response is now due, after one extension, on May 25, 2018. We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, a further extension of time to and including June 25, 2018, within which to file the government's response.

This extension is necessary because the attorneys with principal responsibility for final preparation of the government's response have been heavily engaged with the press of other matters before the Court.

Counsel for petitioner does not object to this further extension of time.

Sincerely,

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