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

Washington Alliance of Tech. Workers v. Department of Homeland Security,
No. 17-618

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on October 24, 2017, and placed on the Court's docket on October 26, 2017. The government's response is currently due, on one extension, on December 27, 2017.

We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, a further extension to and including January 26, 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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