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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Honorable Scott S. Harris Clerk of Court Supreme Court of the United States One First Street, NE Washington, DC 20543

Re: Ambac Assurance Corp. v. U.S. Bank Nat'l Assoc., No. 18-1067 (U.S.)

Dear Mr. Harris:

The Court docketed the petition in the above-referenced case on February 11, 2019, and on March 21, 2019, the Court requested a response. The response is currently due April 22, 2019. Pursuant to Supreme Court Rules 15.3 and 30.4, Respondent U.S. Bank National Association ("U.S. Bank") respectfully requests a 45-day extension until June 6, 2019, to file its brief in opposition.

The extension of time is necessary because Jones Day was retained only days ago to represent U.S. Bank before this Court. In addition, I am counsel of record and have significant pre-existing commitments relating to an expedited arbitration with discovery deadlines set throughout April and early May, pre-hearing briefs due on May 22, and hearings scheduled from May 28-31 through June 4.

Sincerely,

/s/ Traci L. Lovitt Traci L. Lovitt

cc: Harry Sandick