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Danny Bickell Deputy Clerk for Practice and Procedure Supreme Court of the United States One First Street NE Washington, DC 20543

Re: No. 18-1083, Garda CL Northwest, Inc. v. Lawrence Hill, et al.

Dear Mr. Bickell:

I am counsel for respondent in the above-referenced case. On February 21, 2019, a certiorari petition was docketed in this case. Unless extended by the Court, the response would be due on March 25, 2019. For the reasons that follow, and pursuant to Rule 30.4, I respectfully request an extension of 30 days, to and including April 24, 2019.

I have recently been retained to prepare the brief in opposition and require additional time to familiarize myself with the case. In addition, I have a number of briefs with deadlines that cannot be extended in the coming days, including one in the Second Circuit on March 22, 2019. An extension will allow me to meet these obligations and also to file a response that adequately addresses the points raised in the petition.

For these reasons, I ask that a 30-day extension be granted. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

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Scott L. Nelson Counsel for Respondents

cc: Fred Anthony Rowley Counsel for Petitioner