

## **U.S. Department of Justice**

## Office of the Solicitor General

Washington, D.C. 20530

May 8, 2019

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

Re: American Institute for International Steel, Inc. v. United States, No. 18-1317

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari before judgment in the above-captioned case was filed on April 15, 2019, and placed on the docket on April 17, 2019. The government's response is due on May 17, 2019. We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, an extension of time to and including May 28, 2019, within which to file a response.

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

Counsel for petitioner does not oppose this extension.

Sincerely,

Noel J. Francisco Solicitor General

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