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Mr. Danny Bickell
Deputy Clerk
Supreme Court of the United States
One First Street, NE
Washington, D.C. 20543

Re: *Doug Lair v. Jeff Mangan*, No. 18-149

Dear Mr. Bickell:

With the consent of Petitioners' counsel, I am writing to request a 30-day extension, to and including November 14, 2018, in which to file a brief in opposition to the petition for certiorari in *Doug Lair v. Jeff Mangan*, No. 18-149. Rule 30(4). This extension request is due to scheduling conflicts of Respondents' counsel. Respondents' brief in opposition is currently due October 15, 2018.

Sincerely,

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