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Washington, D.C. 20530

November 14, 2018

Honorable Scott S. Harris Clerk Supreme Court of the United States Washington, D.C. 2054

> Re: Suzan Evans, Individually and as Wife and Next of Kin of Scott Evans, Deceased v. United States of America, <u>S.Ct, No. 18-323</u>

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in this case was filed on September 7, 2018. Although the government waived its right to file a response, the Court has requested that a response be filed. The government's response is now due on November 21, 2018.

We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the rules of this Court, an extension of time to and including December 21, 2018, within which to file the government's response.

This extension is requested to complete preparation of the government's response, which was delayed because of the heavy press of earlier assigned cases to the attorneys handling this matter.

Sincerely arcisco (CWK)

Solicitor General

cc: See Attached Service List

18-0323 EVANS, SUZAN, INDIVIDUALLY AND AS WIFE AND NEXT OF KIN OF SCOTT EVANS, DECEASED USA, ET AL.

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