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

Michael Jackson v. United States,
No. 18-6096

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on September 21, 2018, and placed on the Court's docket on September 25, 2018. The government's brief is now due after one extension on January 4, 2019. We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, a further extension of time until January 18, 2019, within which to file a response.

This extension is necessary because the attorneys with principal responsibility for final 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 further extension.

Sincerely,

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