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**VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS & ELECTRONIC FILING**

The Honorable Scott S. Harris  
Clerk of the Court  
Supreme Court of the United States  
1 First Street NE  
Washington, DC 20543

**Re: Brookdale Senior Living Communities, Inc. v. United States ex rel. Prather,  
No. 18-699**

Dear Mr. Harris:

I represent Petitioners Brookdale Senior Living Communities, Inc. *et al.* in the above-captioned case. Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 37.2(a), Petitioners grant blanket consent to the filing of *amicus curiae* briefs in support of either party or of neither party in this case. Counsel for Respondent Marjorie Prather has authorized me to advise the Court that Respondent similarly gives blanket consent to the filing of *amicus curiae* briefs in this case.

Sincerely,

*/s/ Brian D. Roark*  
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*/s/ Pat M. Barrett, III*  
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