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

> Re: Tavaris Jemario Hunter v. United States of America, S.Ct No. 18-7105

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on December 6, 2018, and placed on the docket on December 19, 2018. The government's response is due on January 18, 2019.

We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the rules of this Court, an extension of time to and including February 19, 2019, 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,

Noel J. Francisco Solicitor General

cc: See Attached Service List

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