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

> Re: Jeremy Kettler v. United States of America, S.Ct No. 18-936

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on January 14, 2019, and placed on the docket on January 18, 2019. The government's response is due on February 19, 2019.

We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the rules of this Court, an extension of time to and including March 21, 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

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