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Washington, D.C. 20530

August 12, 2019

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

Re: Candelario Lucio-Garza v. United States, No. 18-9687

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on June 13, 2019. The government's response is now due, after first extension, on August 16, 2019. We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, a further extension of time to and including September 16, 2019, within which to file the government's 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 other matters before the Court.

Counsel for petitioner does not object to this further extension of time.

Sincerely,

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