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VIA E-FILE AND FEDERAL EXPRESS

Scott S. Harris, Clerk  
Supreme Court of the United States  
One First Street, N.E.  
Washington, D.C. 20543  
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Re: *Saldano v. Davis*, No. 19-5171  
Motion to Extend Time to File Response to Petition for Writ of  
Certiorari

Dear Mr. Harris:

Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 30.4, Respondent respectfully moves for an extension of the time for filing a response to the petition for writ of certiorari in *Saldano v. Davis*, No. 19-5171.

The response is currently due on September 16, 2019. A 30-day extension, until October 16, 2019, is needed because of the press of business from numerous complex matters with deadlines near the current deadline, which require significant time and attention from the undersigned counsel and other counsel assisting with this matter. Those matters include the appellants' brief in *Amawi v. Paxton*, No. 19-50384, filed in the Fifth Circuit on August 30, 2019; the conditional motion for review of the river master's 2019 final determination in *Texas v. New Mexico*, No. 22O65, filed in this Court on September 3, 2019; the States' amicus brief in *Remington Arms Co. v. Soto*, No. 19-168, filed in this Court on September 4, 2019; the petition for rehearing en banc in *Lucio v. Davis*, No. 16-70027, to be filed in the Fifth Circuit on September 11, 2019; and oral argument in *Sheppard v. Davis*, No. 18-70011, scheduled for September 19, 2019, in the Fifth Circuit.

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No prejudice would arise from the requested extension, and the Petitioner does not oppose this extension.

For the foregoing reasons, Respondent respectfully requests an extension of the deadline for filing a response to the petition for writ of certiorari, creating a new deadline of October 16, 2019.

Sincerely,

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