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Washington, D.C. 20530

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

Re: Ernest Vereen, Jr. v. United States of America,
S.Ct No. 19-6405

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on October 25, 2019, and placed on the docket on October 25, 2019. The government's response is due on November 25, 2019.

We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the rules of this Court, an extension of time to and including December 26, 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,

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