IN THE

Supreme Court of the United States

DONALD J. TRUMP; THE TRUMP ORGANIZATION, INC.; TRUMP ORGANIZATION LLC; THE TRUMP CORPORATION; DJT HOLDINGS LLC; THE DONALD J. TRUMP REVOCABLE TRUST; AND TRUMP OLD POST OFFICE LLC,

Petitioners,

v.

MAZARS USA, LLP; COMMITTEE ON OVERSIGHT AND REFORM OF THE U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Respondents.

DONALD J. TRUMP; DONALD J. TRUMP, JR.; ERIC TRUMP; IVANKA TRUMP; DONALD J. TRUMP REVOCABLE TRUST; TRUMP ORGANIZATION, INC.; TRUMP ORGANIZATION LLC; DJT HOLDINGS LLC; DJT MANAGING MEMBER LLC; TRUMP ACQUISITION LLC; TRUMP ACQUISITION, CORP.,

Petitioners,

v.

DEUTSCHE BANK AG; CAPITAL ONE FINANCIAL CORPORATION; COMMITTEE ON FINANCIAL SERVICES OF THE UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES; PERMANENT SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE OF THE UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Respondents.

RESPONDENT COMMITTEES' UNOPPOSED APPLICATION FOR LEAVE TO EXCEED WORD LIMIT IN THEIR BRIEF ON THE MERITS

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To the Honorable John G. Roberts, Jr., Chief Justice of the United States and Circuit Justice for the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit:

For the reasons stated below, Respondents Committee on Oversight and Reform, Committee on Financial Services, and Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence of the U.S. House of Representatives respectfully request leave to file a brief on the merits in excess of the word limit set forth in Supreme Court Rule 33.1(g)(vi), not to exceed 17,000 words.

- 1. On December 13, 2019, this Court granted the petition for a writ of certiorari in *Donald J. Trump, et al.*, v. *Mazars USA, LLP, et al.* (No. 19-715). The Court treated the application for stay in *Donald J. Trump, et al.* v. *Deutsche Bank AG, et al.* (No. 19-760) as a certiorari petition, granted certiorari, and consolidated the two cases.
- 2. On January 7, 2020, Petitioners applied to file a consolidated brief on the merits in excess of the word limits set forth in Rules 33.1(g)(v) and (vii). Petitioners sought 19,000 words for their principal brief and 9,000 words for their reply brief. The Committees agreed that consolidated briefing was appropriate but took the position that Petitioners' briefs should not exceed 15,000 and 7,000 words, respectively. Respondents Mazars USA, LLP, Deutsche Bank AG, and Capital One Financial Corporation took no position on the application.

- 3. On January 13, 2020, Petitioners' application was granted in part.

 Petitioners were permitted to file a principal brief no longer than 17,000 words and a reply brief no longer than 8,000 words.
 - 4. The Committees intend to file a single brief on the merits.
- 5. The consolidated cases involve separate investigations by three committees of the United States House of Representatives, each furthering distinct legislative and oversight purposes. So that they may adequately present their cases (and in light of the length of Petitioners' briefs), the Committees respectfully request leave to file a brief on the merits in excess of the 13,000-word limit imposed by Rule 33.1(g)(vi), not to exceed 17,000 words, the same limit now applicable to Petitioners' opening brief.
- 6. Counsel for the Committees has conferred with counsel for Petitioners, who stated that Petitioners consent to this request. Respondent Deutsche Bank AG has stated that it takes no position on this application. Respondents Mazars USA, LLP and Capital One Financial Corporation have stated that they do not object.

Respectfully submitted,

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