In The

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

KRISTANALEA DYROFF,

Individually and On Behalf of The Estate of Wesley Greer,

Petitioner,

 \mathbf{v} .

THE ULTIMATE SOFTWARE GROUP,

Respondent

On Petition For A Writ of Certiorari To the United States Court of Appeals For the Ninth Circuit

MOTION TO DELAY DISTRIBUTION OF PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI

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Pursuant to this Court's order of March 19, 2020, petitioner moves for a two-week delay of the distribution of the petition for writ of certiorari in this case, due to difficulties related to COVID-19.

The brief in opposition in this case was filed on March 23, 2020. Under the Clerk's ordinary practice, the petition for writ of certiorari would be distributed on Wednesday, April 8, 2020. If the motion to delay distribution is granted, the petition would be distributed on Wednesday, April 22, 2020.

The delay is requested because counsel for petitioner needs additional time to file a reply due to difficulties related to COVID-19. On the day that the brief in opposition was filed and served on counsel for petitioner, the governor of Washington, where counsel resides and works, directed that all non-essential businesses close. The University of Washington, where counsel's office is located, was closed except for certain functions not relevant here. In addition, individuals of the age of counsel for petitioner have been strongly advised by state and federal authorities to remain at home as much as possible. Preparation of the reply brief, under these conditions, will involve significant unavoidable delay.

Counsel for respondent does not object to this motion.

Wherefore petitioner respectfully requests the Clerk to delay distribution of the petition for writ of certiorari until April 22, 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

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