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Washington, D.C. 20530

September 28, 2021

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

Re: Johnson v. Arteaga-Martinez, No. 19-896

Dear Mr. Harris:

The Court granted the petition for a writ of certiorari in this case on August 23, 2021. Petitioners' opening brief on the merits is currently due on October 7, 2021.

In order to accommodate scheduling difficulties and the press of other cases, petitioners respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, an extension to and including October 14, 2021, within which to file the opening brief and joint appendix. Counsel for respondent consents to that request and, for similar reasons, seeks an extension of time for the filing of respondent's brief to and including November 22, 2021. Petitioners consent to that request.

Sincerely,

Brian H. Fletcher Acting Solicitor General

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