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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: Walter N. Strand, III v. United States of America,

S.Ct. No. 20-0111

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on July 29, 2020, and placed on the docket on August 3, 2020. The government's response is due on September 9, 2020.

We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the rules of this Court, an extension of time to and including October 1, 2020, 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,

Jeffrey B. Wall Acting Solicitor General

cc: See Attached Service List

20-0111 STRAND, WALTER N., III USA

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