

U.S. Department of Justice

Office of the Solicitor General

Washington, D.C. 20530

April 8, 2021

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

Re: <u>American Hospital Association, et al.</u> v. <u>Xavier Becerra, Secretary of</u> <u>Health and Human Services</u>, No. 20-1114

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on February 10, 2021, and placed on the docket on February 12, 2021. The government's response is now due, after one extension, on April 14, 2021.

We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, a further extension of time to and including May 13, 2021, within which to file a response for all respondents.

This extension is necessary because the attorneys with principal responsibility for final preparation of the government's response have been heavily engaged with the press of other matters before the Court.

Counsel for petitioner does not object to this further extension of time.

Sincerely,

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