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Scott S. Harris, Esq. Clerk of the Court Supreme Court of the United States One First Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20543-0001

> Re: Project Veritas Action Fund v. Rachael S. Rollins, in Her Official Capacity as District Attorney for Suffolk County, Mass., No. 20-1598 – Second Request for Extension of Time

Dear Mr. Harris:

The Court has requested that the respondent, District Attorney Rachael S. Rollins, file a brief in response to the petition for a writ of certiorari in the referenced case. Ms. Rollins previously sought, and was granted, a 60-day extension of her deadline to file that brief, through October 4, 2021. Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 30.4, she now respectfully requests a further, 11-day, extension of that same deadline, through October 15, 2021. She does not expect to request any further extensions of her time to file her brief in response to the petition.

This request is based on the need for additional time to prepare a helpful response to the petition. While the respondent has prioritized this matter, it has become clear that a modest amount of additional time will be necessary due to the considerable internal review that will precede this filing. Counsel for the petitioner has assented to the requested 11-day extension.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Eric A. Haskell

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cc: Benjamin Barr, Esq.