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The Honorable Scott S. Harris Clerk of the Court Supreme Court of the United States One First Street, NE Washington, D.C. 20543

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Re: Donald J. Trump v. District of Columbia, et al., No. 20-331

(Request for an extension of time to file a response to a petition for a writ of certiorari)

Dear Mr. Harris:

The response of the District of Columbia and the State of Maryland to the petition for a writ of certiorari is currently due on October 14, 2020. Respondents respectfully request a 45-day extension of time to, and including, November 28, 2020, in which to file their response. An extension is necessary due to the press of appeals our offices are handling on behalf of our residents, as well as an increase in litigation and a decrease in resources due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Counsel for petitioner consents to the requested extension.

Respectfully Submitted,

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