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Hon. Scott S. Harris, Clerk  
Supreme Court of the United States  
1 First Street, N.E.  
Washington, DC 20543

Re: Wali Ross v. United States, No. 20-5589

Dear Mr. Harris:

Pursuant to this Court's order dated March 19, 2020, petitioner in the above-captioned case respectfully requests that the Court delay distribution of the petition for a writ of certiorari for 7 days. The petition would currently be scheduled for distribution on January 21, 2021. If this Court were to grant the requested 7-day delay, distribution of the petition would be scheduled instead for January 28, 2021. The conference date, February 19, 2021, would remain unchanged.

Petitioner requires the additional time to file its reply due to the logistical difficulties and dislocations caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, including the need to coordinate among multiple law offices each operating remotely. Respondent does not object to the delay in distribution.

Very truly yours,

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