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Hon. Scott S. Harris, Clerk
Supreme Court of the United States
1 First Street, NE
Washington, D.C. 20543

RE: *American Society of Journalists and Authors, Inc. v. Bonta*, No. 21-1172
Request for an Extension of Time

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in this case was filed on February 22, 2022. Respondent the Attorney General of California waived his right to respond on March 10. The Court called for a response on March 23, which is currently due on April 22. Pursuant to Rule 30.4, respondent respectfully requests that the time for filing a response be extended by thirty-one days, up to and including Monday, May 23, 2022 (thirty days from April 22 is May 22, a Sunday). An extension of time would allow for adequate time for internal review and would better enable preparation of a response that respondent believes would be most helpful to the Court.

Respectfully submitted,

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