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Office of the Solicitor General

Washington, D.C. 20530
April 26, 2022
Honorable Scott S. Harris
Clerk
Supreme Court of the United States
Washington, D.C. 20543
Re: Bittner v. United States, No. 21-1195
Dear Mr. Harris:
The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on February 28, 2022, and placed on the Court's docket on March 2, 2022. The response of the United States is now due, after one extension, on May 2, 2022. We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, a further extension of time to and including May 17, 2022, within which to file a response.

This extension is necessary because the attorneys with principal responsibility for preparation of the government's response have been heavily engaged with the press of previously assigned matters with proximate due dates.

Counsel for petitioner does not oppose this further extension.

> Sincerely,

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