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The Honorable Scott S. Harris Clerk of the Court Supreme Court of the United States One First Street, N.E. Washington, DC 20543

Re: Glen Hegar, Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, in his official capacity v. Texas Entertainment Association, Inc., No. 21-1258.

Dear Mr. Harris:

I write on behalf of Respondent Texas Entertainment Association, Inc., to request an extension of time to oppose the Petition for Writ of Certiorari in this matter. The Petition was filed this Monday, March 14, 2021, following the Honorable Justice Samuel Alito granting a thirty-day extension which Petitioner requested pursuant to Rule 30.3 of the Rules of this Court.

The Petition was docketed on March 16, 2022. The current deadline to file a response to the petition for a writ of certiorari is April 15, 2022, and pursuant to Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, Respondent respectfully seeks an extension of thirty days, up to and including May 16, 2022, to file their opposition. This is the first extension sought by Respondents in this matter. The extension is warranted because of the press of other matters and the need to analyze the issues raised in the petition.

Petitioner's counsel has authorized me to state that petitioner consents to this request.

Thank you very much for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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