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Honorable Scott S. Harris
Clerk
Supreme Court of the United States
1 First Street, NE
Washington, DC 20543

RE: *Arizona, et al. v. Navajo Nation, et al.*, No. 21-1484, and *Department of the Interior, et al., v. Navajo Nation, et al.*, No. 22-51

Dear Mr. Harris:

I write on behalf of the Navajo Nation in the above-captioned cases to request an unopposed extension of the response-brief deadline. The Court granted the petitions for writs of certiorari and consolidated the above-captioned cases for briefing and argument on November 4, 2022. Petitioners (the federal government and the state intervenors) filed their merits briefs on December 19, 2022, making response briefs due January 18, 2023. The Navajo Nation respectfully requests, under this Court's Rule 30.4, that its response-brief deadline be extended to February 1, 2023. Under this Court's rules, Petitioners' reply briefs would be due 30 days later (or at the time specified in Rule 25.3). Petitioners consent to the proposed extension, which would allow the case to be fully briefed for the Court's March sitting. Counsel seek the proposed extension given the press of preexisting work.

Respectfully submitted,



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cc: see attached service list

Consolidated Service List for *Arizona, et al. v. Navajo Nation, et al.*, No. 21-1484,
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