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

Re:

LOPEZ, CYNTHIA v. QUAEMPTS, ERIC, et al. – Docket 21-1544

Our clients: Eric Quaempts, David Tovey and the Confederated Tribes

of the Umatilla Indian Reservation

Dear Mr. Harris:

Petitioner's Writ of Certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on June 7, 2022 and placed on the docket on June 7, 2022. Respondent's response is due by July 11, 2022 and graciously extended by the court to August 5, 2022.

We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, that the court please grant an extension of time to and including August 26, 2022, within which to file the Respondent's response.

Good cause exists for this extension is requested to allow additional time for Mr. Phillips' application to be admitted to the Supreme Court to be processed. It took some extra time to getting the required documents the Supreme Court required for admission. We have received word Mr. Phillips should be admitted on August 22, 2022. The extension is also requested to complete the preparation of Respondent's Opposition, as the assigned attorneys for this matter have been delayed due to their other assigned cases and staffing issues. The resubmitted application was sent overnight on August 1, 2022.

Sincerely,

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