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Via Hand Delivery

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

Re: Kelly, et al. v. Animal Legal Defense Fund, et al., No. 21-760

Dear Mr. Harris:

I represent Respondents in the above-captioned case. The petition for certiorari was docketed on November 17, 2021. The petition was distributed for conference on January 5, 2022. On January 11, 2022, this Court requested a response. That response, without extension, is due February 10, 2022. Pursuant to Rule 30.4, Respondents respectfully request that the time for filing a response to the petition be extended by 30 days, to March 14, 2022.

Respondents submit this request because of the heavy press of previously set deadlines in other matters. Neither I nor the Orrick law firm had any involvement in this case in the Court of Appeals or the District Court and we need additional time to become familiar with the record and the legal issues presented. In preparing the response, we are also coordinating the views of multiple parties. Petitioners consent to this request.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

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E. Joshua Rosenkranz

cc: Brant M. Laue, Counsel of Record for Petitioners (via email)