

## **U.S. Department of Justice** Office of the Solicitor General

The Solicitor General

Washington, D.C. 20530

July 28, 2022

The Honorable Scott S. Harris Clerk Supreme Court of the United States Washington, D.C. 20543

Re: <u>McCutchen. et al.</u> v. <u>United States</u>

S. Ct. No. 22-25

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on July 5, 2022. The government's response is now due, after one extension, on September 7, 2022. We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, a further extension of time to and including October 7, 2022 within which to file the government's response.

This extension is necessary because the attorneys with principal responsibility for final preparation of the government's response have been heavily engaged with the press of other matters before the Court.

Counsel for petitioners takes no position on this further extension of time.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth B. Prelogar Solicitor General

cc: See Attached Service List

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