

The Honorable Scott Harris Clerk of the Court Supreme Court of the United States **One First Street NE** Washington, D.C. 20543

Re:

Chapman v. Doe by Rothert No. 22-312

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Dear Mr. Harris,

I write pursuant to this Court's Rule 30.4 to request a twenty-nine-day extension of time to file Respondent's brief in opposition, which is currently due on January 12, 2023, after thirty- and eight-day extensions.

This case has become moot. Respondent awaits Petitioner's suggestion of mootness and request for vacatur, which Respondent expected Petitioner to file by January 4 and which Petitioner's counsel then advised would be filed last week. On January 11, Respondent filed her own suggestion of mootness and was advised Petitioner's counsel anticipated submitting Petitioner's suggestion later that day. Petitioner's suggestion has not yet appeared; thus, Respondent wishes to preserve the opportunity to file a brief in opposition in the unlikely event that doing so in this moot case becomes necessary.

For these reasons, Respondent requests an extension through February 10, 2023.

Sincerely.

nthony E. Rothert Counsel of Record for Respondent

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