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*Washington, D.C. 20530*

January 4, 2023

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

Re: USP Holdings, Inc., et al. v. United States of America, et al.  
S.Ct. No. 22-565

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on December 13, 2022, and placed on the docket on December 20, 2022. The government's response is due on January 19, 2023.

We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the rules of this Court, an extension of time to and including February 20, 2023, within which to file the government's response.

This extension is requested to complete preparation of the government's response, which was delayed because of the heavy press of earlier assigned cases to the attorneys handling this matter.

Sincerely,

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Solicitor General

cc: See Attached Service List

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UNITED STATES, ET AL.

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