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

RE: *Am. Petroleum Inst., et al. v. Env't Def. Ctr., et al.*, No. 22-703
Request for Extension of Time to File Response to Petition

Dear Mr. Harris:

This office is counsel for respondents the State of California and the California Coastal Commission in this case. The petition for a writ of certiorari was filed on January 25, 2023. Responses to the petition are currently due on February 27. Pursuant to Rule 30.4, I respectfully request that the time for filing responses be extended by thirty days to March 29, 2023. No respondent has previously requested an extension of time in this matter.

The extension is requested because an extension of time would better enable the preparation of a response that we believe would be most helpful to the Court, and because we have been notified that at least one non-party intends to file an amicus brief in support of the petition.

Accordingly, I request that the due date for responses to the petition for a writ of certiorari be extended to March 29, 2023.

Sincerely,

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