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February 5, 2020

Hon. Scott S. Harris
Clerk of the Court
Supreme Court of the United States
One First Street, NE
Washington, DC 20543-0001

Re: *Florida v. Georgia*, No. 220142

Dear Mr. Harris:

On behalf of the Plaintiff State of Florida in the above-captioned case, I hereby request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, an extension of time to and including April 13, 2020, within which to file exceptions to the Report of the Special Master, with supporting brief. The Defendant State of Georgia has indicated that it consents to this request.

On January 27, 2020, the Court received and ordered filed the Second Report of the Special Master in this case, and provided that exceptions to the Report, with supporting briefs, may be filed within 45 days. Under this order, exceptions are currently due on March 12, 2020. With a 30-day extension (and accounting for the fact that April 11, 2020, is a Saturday), exceptions, with supporting briefs, would be due on April 13, 2020.

Defendant has advised Plaintiff that it consents to a 30-day extension of time for exceptions, so long as a reciprocal extension is granted for Defendant's reply and supporting brief. Plaintiff consents to such a reciprocal extension of time. With these reciprocal, 30-day extensions of time, the briefing schedule would be as follows:

Exceptions to the Report of the Special Master and supporting briefs — April 13, 2020

Replies and supporting briefs — June 12, 2020

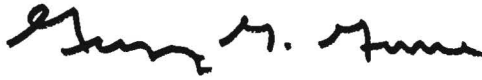
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This extension is requested because of the extraordinary complexity of the factual and legal issues raised by the Special Master's Report, and due to the fact that the completion of Plaintiff's exceptions and supporting brief by the current deadline would be difficult in light of the heavy press of counsel's other pending matters and professional duties.

Granting this extension would not affect the calendaring of this case for oral argument next Term should the Court determine to set this case for oral argument.

Thank you in advance for your kind attention to this matter, and please do not hesitate to contact me should you need additional information.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gregory G. Garre".

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