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Via electronic filing and first-class mail

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

**Re: No. 23-183, Eastern Pacific Shipping PTE, Limited, d/b/a EPS,
v. Kholkar Vishveshwar Ganpat**

Dear Mr. Harris:

I am Counsel of Record for the Respondent, Mr. Kholkar V. Ganpat. Pursuant to Rule 30.4, I respectfully move this Honorable Court for an Order granting an extension of time up to Monday afternoon, November 6, 2023, in which to file Mr. Ganpat's opposition brief. No further extensions of time will be sought. This extension is necessary because an out-of-state vessel inspection will cost me several office workdays and I also have a November 3, 2023, expert report exchange deadline in another federal district court lawsuit. Thus, I request a short additional extension of three days' time until Monday, November 6, 2023.

I have personally contacted Jonathan C. Bond, Esquire, who is Counsel of Record for Eastern Pacific Shipping, and he consented to the granting of the requested three-day extension of time. On behalf of Mr. Ganpat, I thank Mr. Bond for his professional courtesies.

Thanking you for your kind attention to this matter, I remain

Respectfully yours,

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