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

Re: *Polk v. Amtrak National Railroad Passenger Corporation, et al.*,  
No. 23-249

Dear Mr. Harris:

The Court docketed the petition in the above-referenced case on September 8, 2023. The response is currently due on October 16, 2023. In accordance with Supreme Court Rules 15.3 and 30.4, respondent Amtrak National Railroad Passenger Corporation respectfully requests an extension until December 5, 2023. Counsel for petitioner has represented that she consents to this request.

The extension of time is necessary because Jones Day was retained only recently to represent Amtrak before this Court, and I have significant pre-existing commitments, including an oral argument in this Court on October 31, 2023, in *O'Connor-Ratcliff v. Garnier*, No. 22-324.

Sincerely,

/s/ Hashim M. Mooppan  
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