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The Honorable Scott S. Harris
Clerk of Court
Supreme Court of the United States
1 First Street, N.E.
Washington, DC 20543

Re: *John Doe v. Rollins College*, No. 23-509

Dear Clerk Harris:

On behalf of Respondent in this matter, and pursuant to Rule 30.4, I respectfully request a 45-day extension of time to file a response to the petition for certiorari, extending the December 28, 2023 deadline to Monday, February 12, 2024.

I was not involved in this matter prior to being recently retained, and the current deadline would be difficult to meet in light of my schedule and the holiday season. I have planned to take a vacation from December 22 to December 29. I also have other pressing business, including a brief due in the Supreme Court of Florida. Counsel for Petitioner does not object to this extension request.

Very respectfully,

/s/ Bryan S. Gowdy

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