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

Re: *Asante-Chioke v. Dowdle*, No. 24-387 (U.S.)

Dear Mr. Harris:

Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 30.4, Respondents respectfully request an extension of 11 days, to and including December 17, 2024, within which to file their brief in opposition to the petition for writ of certiorari in *Asante-Chioke v. Dowdle*, No. 24-387. The Court docketed the petition on October 3, 2024. Respondents filed a response waiver on October 25, 2024. The Court requested a response on November 6, 2024. Respondents' brief in opposition is currently due on December 6, 2024.

This is Respondents' first request for an extension of time. The extension is needed in light of other deadlines and conflicts faced by the Respondents' counsel of record, J. Benjamin Aguiñaga. During the current briefing period, Mr. Aguiñaga responsible for drafting the following: an opening brief in *Roake v. Brumley*, No. 24-30706 (5th Cir.), due on December 10; a reply in support of the motion for summary judgment in *Louisiana v. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission*, No. 24-cv-629 (W.D. La.), due on December 10; and an opening brief in *Louisiana v. Callais*, No. 24-109 (U.S.), due on December 19.



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The requested 11-day extension will not prejudice any party.
Counsel for Petitioner confirmed that they do not oppose the extension.

Respectfully submitted,

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