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Hon. Scott S. Harris
Clerk of the Court
Supreme Court of the United States
1 First Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20543

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Re: *EPA v. Kentucky*, No. 24-961

Dear Mr. Harris:

I am Counsel of Record for Respondent the Commonwealth of Kentucky in the above-referenced matter. The petition for a writ of certiorari in this case was filed on March 6, 2025, and was placed on the docket that same day. A response is currently due on April 7, 2025.

Under Rule 30.4, Kentucky requests a 21-day extension, until April 28, 2025, to file its response. The press of other litigation matters makes timely submission of a response difficult absent an extension. In the near term, undersigned counsel is currently responsible for, among other things: filing an amicus brief in *Boone Cnty. Republican Party Exec. Comm. v. Wallace*, No. 24-5783 (6th Cir.); filing a motion for discretionary review from the decision in *Commonwealth ex rel. Coleman v. Ky. Educ. Ass'n*, --- S.W.3d ---, 2025 WL 728078 (Ky. App. Mar. 7, 2025); and preparing a merits brief in *Shell v. Beshear*, No. 2024-SC-0254 (Ky.).

All parties consent to this request.

Sincerely,
s/ Matthew F. Kuhn
Solicitor General of Kentucky

cc: Counsel of record