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

Re: *WesternGeco LLC v. ION Geophysical Corp.*, No. 16-1011

Dear Mr. Harris:

I am counsel of record for the petitioner in the above-referenced case. Petitioner consents to the filing of any amicus curiae brief in this case, in support of either party or of neither party, provided that the brief otherwise complies with the Rules of this Court.

Sincerely,



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(by e-mail and FedEx)