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April 13, 2018

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

Re: Poarch Band of Creek Indians, et al. v Casey Marie Wilkes; Alexander Russell
No.: 17-1175

Dear Mr. Harris:

Pursuant to your letter dated April 5, 2018, the Court has requested the Respondents file a response on or before May 7, 2018.

Pursuant to Rule 30.4, respondents Casey Marie Wilkes and Alexander Russell respectfully request an extension of thirty days, up to and including June 8, 2018, within which to file its brief in opposition. Respondent has not previously requested an extension. Counsel of record for petitioner has stated that petitioner has no objection to the requested extension.

The requested extension is necessary because the undersigned did represent respondents in the proceedings below but has associated outside counsel to handle this appeal and the extra time is needed so counsel may familiarize himself with the record. The requested extension will not materially delay consideration of the petition, as the Court could still consider the petition at a conference during the current Term.

My best regards,

BEASLEY, ALLEN, CROW,
METHVIN, PORTIS & MILES, P.C.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michael J. Crow".

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cc: Adam Charnes, counsel for petitioner