

No. 17-1442

In the Supreme Court of the United States

Dimond Rigging Company, LLC,

v.

Ordos City Hawtai Autobody Company, Ltd.

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

Re: No. 17-1442;
Dimond Rigging Co., LLC v. Ordos City Hawtai Autobody Co., Ltd.

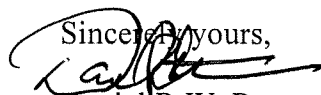
Dear Honorable Clerk:

Under Rule 30.4, Respondents request that the deadline to respond to the petition for writ of certiorari be extended until June 18, 2018.

Respondents reasonably did not anticipate that a petition would be docketed. Petitioner filed a defective petition on September 6, 2017, with instructions to file a corrected petition within 60 days. Respondents received no further communication from Petitioner or the Court until after the corrected petition was docketed 224 days later on April 18, 2018.

The brief in opposition is currently due on May 18, 2018. Respondent's principal appellate counsel has unavoidable commitments in other matters which will cause difficulty in completing and filing a response within the original 30 day response period. Extending the deadline for a response until June 18, 2018, will afford Respondents a full 30 days to oppose the petition.

Petitioner's counsel, Duncan H. Brown, Esq., consents to this request.

Sincerely yours,


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