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Clerk of the Court
Supreme Court of the United States
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Washington, DC 20543

Re: ***Michael T. Kennedy v. Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom LLP, et al.,***
No. 17-1415

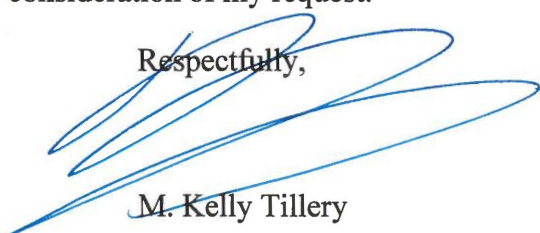
Dear Mr. Harris:

Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 30.4, I write to request an extension until June 22, 2018 for respondents Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom LLP, Skadden Arps SK Private Investment Fund 1998, Richard T. Prins and Gregory M. Galardi (collectively, the "Skadden Respondents") to respond to the Petition for a Writ of Certiorari that Michael T. Kennedy filed in the above-captioned matter on April 16, 2018. The Skadden Respondents' response is currently due on May 23, 2018.

In light of the complexities resulting from approximately 12 years of procedural history and the extensive record involved in this case, including a prior round of appeals up to this Court, this request for an extension of time, the Skadden Respondents' first, is made to ensure that the Skadden Respondents have an adequate opportunity to address and respond to the arguments made in the petition. In addition, counsel for Skadden Respondents' was not served with the Petition for a Writ of Certiorari and therefore was not immediately aware of its filing.

Thank you for your consideration of my request.

Respectfully,



M. Kelly Tillery

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, M. Kelly Tillery, hereby certify that I served the following document on the individuals listed below by first-class mail on May 8, 2018:

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