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

Re: Atlantic Richfield Company v. Gregory A. Christian, No. 17-1498

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in this case was filed on April 30, 2018, and placed on the docket on May 1, 2018. The response is currently due on May 31, 2018.

Respondents respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the rules of this Court, an extension of time to and including July 2, 2018, within which to file their response to the petition.

This extension is warranted because petitioner has notified respondents that petitioner expects three amicus briefs to be filed in support of its petition. Those briefs will presumably be filed on May 31, and this extension will ensure that respondents have sufficient time to review those additional briefs before filing their response to the petition.

Sincerely,

Monte Beck

cc: Lisa S. Blatt, Counsel to Petitioners