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Mr. Scott S. Harris
Clerk of the Supreme Court of the United States
1 First Street, NE
Washington D.C. 20543

Re: *Bartelt v. Wisconsin*
No. 17-1584

Dear Mr. Harris:

Pursuant to Rule 30.4, Respondent State of Wisconsin respectfully requests an extension of 30 days in which to file its Brief in Opposition to the above-referenced Petition. The brief is currently due July 11, 2018. Granting this extension would make the brief due August 10, 2018.

The attorneys assigned to this case are assigned to several other cases with briefing or other deadlines over the next several weeks, including the Respondent-Appellee's Brief in *Milton v. Boughton*, No. 17-1910, due June 22, 2018, in the United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit; the Amicus Curiae Brief of the State of Wisconsin in *Pre-Term Cleveland v. Himes*, No. 18-3329, due June 29, 2018, in the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit; the Response Brief in *Wisconsin v. Wiskerchen*, No. 16AP1541, due July 2, 2018, in the Wisconsin Supreme Court; the Respondent-Appellant's Reply Brief in *Clean Wisconsin, Inc. v. Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources*, No. 16AP1688, due July 9, 2018, in the Wisconsin Court of Appeals; the Brief in Opposition to the Petition for Writ of Certiorari in *Smith v. Wisconsin*, No. 17-8778, due July 9, 2018, in this Court;¹ the Reply Brief of the Plaintiff-States in *Texas v. United States*, due July 9, 2018, in the United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas; and the Appellant's brief in *Campbell v. Kallas*, No. 18-2075, due on July 18, 2018 in the United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit.

¹ Wisconsin has requested a 30-day extension in *Smith*, which, if granted, would move this due date to August 8, 2018.

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Therefore, the Respondent requests an extension of time in which to file its Brief in Opposition to ensure that the attorneys assigned to the case have time to provide the Court with a thorough and responsive brief.

Counsel for the Respondent has contacted the current counsel of record for Petitioner Daniel J. H. Bartelt, who consents to the proposed extension of briefing.

I have, electronically and via FedEx overnight, served a copy of this letter on the Petitioner's counsel of record, and hereby certify that all parties required to be served have been served.

Sincerely,

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