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By Hand

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

Attn: Denise McNerney, Esq.

Re: *Fourth Estate Pub. Benefit Corp. v. Wall-Street.com, et al.*, No. 17-571

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was granted on June 28, 2018, meaning that, pursuant to this Court's Rule 25, petitioner's opening merits brief would be due on August 12 (because August 12 falls on a Sunday, the brief would be due for filing on Monday, August 13), and respondents' merits brief would then be due for filing on September 12.

Undersigned counsel for petitioner requests, pursuant to Rule 30.4, a 15-day extension of time within which to file its opening merits brief to and including August 27, 2018. The additional time is necessary to enable counsel effectively to assist with the preparation of the merits brief, in light of other matters for which undersigned counsel has responsibility in this Court and other courts, including a petition for a writ of certiorari in this Court in *Smartflash LLC v. Samsung Electronics America, Inc., et al.* (due August 9, 2018).

Undersigned counsel for petitioner also has conferred with respondents' counsel and consulted with Ms. McNerney, and the parties have come to agreement upon a briefing schedule that would permit respondents to have an equal number of additional days within which to file their merits brief and that would provide for the reply brief to be filed well in advance of argument. That proposed briefing schedule is as follows:

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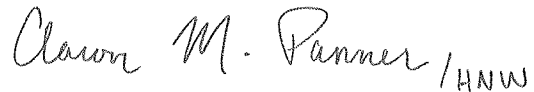
Petitioner's opening brief	August 27, 2018 (Mon.)
Respondents' brief	October 11, 2018 (Thur.)
Petitioner's reply brief	November 13, 2018 (Tue. following federal holiday)

The proposed extension will not delay the Court in its consideration of this case, and the additional time devoted to briefing on the merits will assist counsel's efforts to develop, streamline, and refine the issues before the Court.

Accordingly, petitioner respectfully requests that the time within which it may file its opening merits brief be extended for 15 days to and including August 27, 2018, and that the Court adopt the proposed briefing schedule set forth above.

If you have any questions, please call me at (202) 326-7921.

Very truly yours,

Handwritten signature of Aaron M. Panner in cursive, with the initials "ANW" written at the end of the signature.

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