

No. 17-5716

IN THE
SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

TIMOTHY D. KOONS, KENNETH JAY PUTENSEN, RANDY FEAUTO, ESEQUIEL
GUTIERREZ, AND JOSE MANUEL GARDEA,

Petitioners,

v.

UNITED STATES,

Respondent.

On Writ of Certiorari
to the United States Court of Appeals
for the Eighth Circuit

**MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE ONE VOLUME OF THE
JOINT APPENDIX UNDER SEAL**

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Petitioners Timothy D. Koons, et al., respectfully moves the Court to permit the filing under seal of a confidential joint appendix consisting of one volume. That volume contains sentencing materials—including plea agreements, presentence reports, and Government reports regarding sentencing reductions—that are traditionally confidential because of the sensitive and highly personal nature of the information they contain. *See, e.g., U.S. Dep’t of Justice v. Julian*, 486 U.S. 1, 12 (1986); Fed. R. Crim. P. 32(e)(3). These documents were accordingly treated as confidential documents under seal in the district court and court of appeals in these consolidated cases.

Counsel for the United States has authorized petitioners to represent that they join in this motion.

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