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Clerk of the Court
United States Supreme Court
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Re: APPLICATION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN WHICH TO
RESPOND TO PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE
UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEAL FOR THE FEDERAL CIRCUIT
Superior Communications, Inc. v. Voltstar Technologies, Inc.
Case No. 18-1027

Dear Clerk of the Court:

In its March 21, 2019 Order, this Court requested Respondent to file a Response to the Petition by April 22, 2019. Pursuant to Rule 30.4 of this Court, Respondent respectfully requests a **21-day extension** of time, up to and including **Tuesday, May 14, 2019** within which to respond to the petition for a writ of certiorari in this case to review the order and mandate of the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

The Federal Circuit entered its order and mandate dismissing Respondent's appeal and remanding to the Patent Trial and Appeal Board to vacate the underlying *inter partes* review on November 6, 2018. The Court of

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Appeal's decision is reported at 2018 U.S. App. LEXIS 31334 and is included in the Appendix filed by Petitioner.

Good cause exists to extend the deadline to respond to the petition for twenty one days until **Tuesday, May 14, 2019**. The specific reasons why an extension is justified include:

- a. The undersigned counsel needs additional time to review the record and to prepare the response.
- b. The undersigned counsel has been previously engaged in other matters since this Court issued its March 21, 2019 Order requesting a response by April 22, 2019 that prevented full consideration of the record and preparation of a response to the petition.
- c. The undersigned counsel needs additional time to coordinate with potential new counsel to assist Respondent in preparing its response, but new counsel have been engaged in briefing and arguing other matters before this Court.

Accordingly, Respondent respectfully requests a 21-day extension of time, up to and including **Tuesday, May 14, 2019**, within which to file its response to

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the petition for a writ of certiorari in this case to review the judgment of the
United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to Rule 29.5 of the Rules of this Court, I certify that all parties required to be served have been served. On April 18, 2019, I caused a copy of the foregoing APPLICATION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN WHICH TO RESPOND TO PETITION FOR A WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEAL FOR THE FEDERAL CIRCUIT to be served by first-class mail, postage prepaid, and by electronic mail (as designated) on the following:

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