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Scott S. Harris
Clerk of the Supreme Court
Supreme Court of the United States
One First Street, NE
Washington, DC 20543

Re: Kennedy v. Bremerton School District
Case No. 18-12

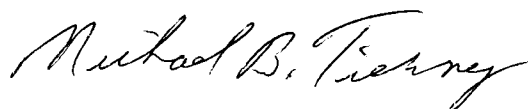
Dear Mr. Harris:

Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 30(5), Respondent Bremerton School District hereby requests an extension of time of 30 days, to and including August 31, 2018, for the filing of Respondent's brief in opposition to the petition for a writ of certiorari. Unless an extension is granted, the deadline for filing the brief in opposition will be August 1, 2018.

In support of this request, Respondent states as follows:

1. Respondent has received notice from seven attorneys that they intend to file *amicus curiae* briefs in support of the petition for certiorari. To date, Respondent has received only two of those briefs.
2. Respondent requests a modest extension for counsel to prepare a brief in opposition that fully addresses the petition for certiorari and the *amicus curiae* briefs in a manner that will be most helpful to the Court.
3. For the foregoing reasons, Applicant requests that an extension of time to and including August 31, 2018 be granted within which Respondent may file a brief in opposition to the petition for a writ of certiorari.

Very truly yours,



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