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**VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY AND E-FILE**

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

Re: *Prison Legal News v. Secretary, Florida Department of Corrections*, No. 18-355

Dear Mr. Harris:

On behalf of the Respondent in this matter, and pursuant to Rule 30.4, I respectfully request a 30-day extension of time to respond to the Petition, extending the October 19, 2018 deadline to November 19, 2018. The extension is necessary because our office of just five attorneys is understaffed by two attorney positions, and the office has a number of pressing deadlines in various other matters. I have consulted with counsel for Petitioner, who does not oppose this request.

Sincerely,

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