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*Washington, D.C. 20530*

November 30, 2018

Honorable Scott S. Harris  
Clerk  
Supreme Court of the United States  
Washington, D.C. 20543

Corey D. Yates v. United States  
S. Ct. No. 18-410

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on October 1, 2018, and placed on the Court's docket on October 2, 2018. The government's response to the petition is now due, after one extension, on December 3, 2018. We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, a further extension of time until January 2, 2019, within which to file a response.

This extension is necessary because the attorneys with principal responsibility for final preparation of the government's response have been heavily engaged with the press of previously assigned matters with proximate due dates.

Counsel for petitioner does not oppose this further extension.

Sincerely,

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