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May 9, 2019

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

Re: CITGO Asphalt Ref. Co. v. Frescati Shipping Co., No. 18-565

Dear Mr. Harris:

I represent petitioners in the above-captioned case. On behalf of petitioners and both respondents (Frescati Shipping Company, Ltd., et al., and the United States), I am writing to request an extension of time for filing the briefs in this case, as follows:

- Petitioners' Opening Brief: July 9, 2019
- Respondents' Briefs: September 10, 2019
- Petitioners' Reply Brief: October 10, 2019

All parties have agreed to this proposed schedule, which would allow the Court to hold oral argument during the November 2019 sitting. Please let me know if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,

Carter G. Phillips
Counsel for Petitioners

cc: All Counsel of Record