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Washington, D.C. 20530

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

Re: Al-Alwi v. Trump, No. 18-740

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on December 5, 2018, and placed on the docket on December 11, 2018. The government's response is now due, after the first extension, on February 11, 2019. We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, a further extension of time to and including March 13, 2019, within which to file the government's 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 other matters before the Court.

Counsel for petitioner does not object to this further extension of time.

Sincerely,

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