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Office of the Solicitor General

Washington, D.C. 20530

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

Re: James King v. Douglas Brownback, et al., No. 19-718

Dear Mr. Harris:

The conditional cross petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on November 27, 2019, and placed on the docket on December 6, 2019. The government's response is due on January 6, 2020. We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, an extension of time to and including January 21, 2020, within which to file a response. This extension is necessary because the attorneys with principal responsibility for preparation of the government's response have been heavily engaged with the press of previously assigned matters with proximate due dates.

Counsel for petitioner consents to this extension.

Sincerely,

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