



July 27, 2020

Honorable Scott S. Harris, Clerk of the Court  
Supreme Court of the United States  
One First Street, NE  
Washington, DC 20543-0001

Re: No. 19-968, *Uzuegbunam v. Preczewski*

Dear Mr. Harris:

Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 30.4, Petitioners and Respondents jointly request that the time in which to file their respective briefs on the merits in the above-referenced case be extended for 14 days. The Court granted the petition for writ of certiorari on July 9, 2020. Absent an extension of time, Petitioners' brief on the merits would be due on August 24, 2020 and Respondents' brief on the merits would be due on September 23, 2020. *See* S. Ct. R. 25.1-2.

Counsel for Petitioners and Respondents seek an extension of time in which to file their briefs on the merits due to numerous factors, including the weighty constitutional matters at issue, the press of other litigation deadlines, and the restrictions currently being experienced due to COVID-19.

Granting Petitioners' and Respondents' joint request for an extension will not prejudice the Court's ability to schedule oral argument in this case. If the Court grants a 14-day extension, Petitioners' brief on the merits would be due on September 7, 2020, Respondents' brief on the merits would be due on October 21, 2020, and Petitioners' reply would be due on November 20, 2020. Ample time would still exist for the Court to schedule oral argument in the above-referenced case during the December 2020 argument session.

For these reasons, Petitioners and Respondents jointly request that the time in which to file their briefs on the merits in this matter be extended for 14 days.

Respectfully Submitted,

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