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Hon. Scott S. Harris, Clerk of Court  
Supreme Court of the United States  
1 First Street, N.E.  
Washington, DC 20543

Dear Mr. Harris:

I represent Respondent Michigan State University Board of Trustees (MSU) in the above-referenced case. The Petition for Writ of Certiorari was docketed on July 10, 2020, and MSU's Brief in Opposition is due on August 10, 2020. I respectfully request a 30-day extension of time in which to file a Brief in Opposition to the Petition.

An extension is necessary because the attorneys who represent MSU in this matter, including myself, have substantial professional commitments over the next several weeks, complicating our ability to prepare a thorough Brief in Opposition to the Petition. These commitments include briefing deadlines in matters pending in the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, and in several United States district courts.

Accordingly, I respectfully request a 30-day extension of time to file a Brief in Opposition to the Petition.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael E. Baughman".

Michael E. Baughman

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