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

Re: *Braun v. Burke*, No. 21-10

Dear Mr. Harris:

I write on behalf of Respondent Bill Bryant to request a 15-day extension of the deadline for filing a brief in opposition to the petition for a writ of certiorari in this matter. The response is currently due on August 6, 2021. With this requested extension, the response would be due on August 23, 2021. Petitioner Lori Braun and separate Respondent Brian Ray Burke do not oppose this request.

A 15-day extension is reasonable and necessary because of other professional obligations and deadlines. Additionally, the Solicitor General Unit of the Arkansas Attorney General's Office only recently assumed responsibility for this matter and will require additional time to become sufficiently familiar with it to prepare a response to the petition for certiorari.

Sincerely,

/s/ Nicholas J. Bronni

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