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

Re: *Students for Fair Admissions, Inc. v. Univ. of North Carolina*, No. 21-707

Dear Mr. Harris:

I am counsel of record to the University Respondents in the above-captioned case. The petition for a writ of certiorari before judgment was filed in this case on November 11, 2021, and was docketed on November 15, 2021. The response to the petition is currently due on December 15, 2021.

The University respectfully requests a 30-day extension of time to respond to the petition, making that response due January 14, 2022. For the reasons set out in the University's response in opposition to petitioner's motion to expedite briefing of its petition, the University reasonably needs a 30-day extension of time to study the record, consider the University's positions, and prepare the brief in opposition. There is no exigency that would warrant accelerated briefing on the petition here. And expedited briefing would also prejudice the University in light of this case's voluminous record and the significant pre-existing professional obligations of undersigned counsel.

The University has not previously sought any time extensions in this matter. Petitioner opposes the requested extension.

Respectfully submitted,

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cc: All counsel of record  
*By email and by USPS First Class Mail*