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**BY E-FILING**

Hon. Scott S. Harris  
Clerk of the Court  
Supreme Court of the United States  
1 First Street, NE  
Washington, DC 25043-0001

Re: *Boston Parent Coalition for Academic Excellence Corp., Petitioner v. The School Committee for the City of Boston, et al.*, No. 23-1137

Dear Mr. Harris:

I am counsel of record for respondents in the above-captioned matter. Doreen M. Rachal, counsel for Respondent-Intervenors Boston Branch of the NAACP, Greater Boston Latino Network, Asian Pacific Islander Civic Action Network, Asian American Resource Workshop, Maireny Pimentel, and H.D. (a minor), joins in this letter.

The petition for a writ of certiorari was filed on April 17, 2024, and docketed on April 19, 2024. The response is currently due on May 20, 2024. Pursuant to Rule 30.4, respondents and respondent-intervenors respectfully request that the time for filing a response be extended by 30 days, to and including June 19, 2024.

In addition to helping accommodate the coordination of responses from respondents and respondent-intervenors, this extension will ensure that the responses can appropriately address any arguments presented by amici that we expect to file on May 20, 2024.

Counsel for petitioner indicated that they do not object to this requested extension.

Respectfully submitted,

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Douglas H. Hallward-Driemeier

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