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Re: *Tamer Mahmoud et al. v. Thomas W. Taylor et al.*, No. 24-297

Dear Mr. Harris:

I am counsel of record to respondents Thomas W. Taylor et al. in the above-captioned case. On July 24, 2024, Petitioners in this case submitted to the Chief Justice an application to extend the time to file a petition for a writ of certiorari by 30 days. The Chief Justice granted that application on July 26, 2024. The petition for a writ of certiorari was then filed on September 12, 2024, and was docketed on September 16, 2024. Respondents filed a waiver of response on October 15, 2024. On October 17, 2024, the Court requested a response to the petition by November 18, 2024.

Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 30.4, I respectfully request a 30-day extension of time within which to file a response to the petition, up to and including December 18, 2024. This extension is requested due to the press of other matters and the need to consider and thoroughly respond to the petition and the amicus briefs that have been filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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