

February 4, 2025

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

Re: No. 24-758, *The GEO Group, Inc v. Menocal*

Dear Mr. Harris:

I write to enter my appearance as counsel of record for the respondents and to request a thirty-day extension of the time to file a response to the petition for certiorari in this case. The response is currently due on February 18, 2025, and I respectfully request that the deadline be extended to, and include, March 20, 2025.

There is good cause for this request. I am heavily engaged with other matters that would make it impossible to prepare a brief absent an extension. These deadlines include an oral argument in the Second District of the California Court of Appeals in *Wilmot v. First American Title Insurance Company*, No. B322298, on February 4, 2025; and a reply brief in the ninth circuit in *King v. Navy Federal Credit Union*, No. 24-1838, on February 26, 2025.

For these reasons, I will require additional time to prepare an adequate response to the petition. A thirty-day extension will allow me to balance these other responsibilities with my obligations in this case.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jennifer D. Bennett
Jennifer D. Bennett

cc: Counsel of Record