

Washington, D.C. 20530

March 5, 2025

Honorable Scott S. Harris Clerk Supreme Court of the United States Washington, D.C. 20543

> Re Johnnie Markel Carter v. United States of America, S.Ct. No. 24-860

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on February 11, 2025, and placed on the docket on February 11, 2025. The government's response is due on March 13, 2025.

We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the rules of this Court, an extension of time to and including April 14, 2025, within which to file the government's response.

This extension is requested to complete preparation of the government's response, which was delayed because of the heavy press of earlier assigned cases to the attorneys handling this matter.

Sincerely,

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