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

Re: *U.S. DOGE Service v. U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia*,
No. 25-1103

Dear Mr. Harris,

I was recently retained to represent Respondent Citizens for Responsibility and Ethics in Washington (CREW) in this matter. I write to respectfully request a 30-day extension of the time to file CREW's response to the petition for a writ of certiorari, which is currently due on May 20, 2026. With the requested extension, the response will be due on June 22, 2026. Petitioners do not oppose this request.

An extension is necessary because the undersigned was only recently retained and requires additional time to become familiar with this matter and to prepare a response. The extension is also necessary due to the press of other business, including the following recent and upcoming deadlines: oral argument in *Beatty v. Trump*, No. 25-cv-4880 (D.D.C.), on April 28, 2026, and upcoming supplemental briefing in that case due on May 11, 2026; a reply in support of certiorari in *Harris v. Bessent*, No. 25-1110 (U.S.), filed on May 5, 2026; an opposition to a motion to dismiss in *Nemer v. Blanche*, No. 25-cv-4170 (D.D.C.), due on May 11, 2026; and an opening brief in *Jackler v. DOJ*, No. 26-1575 (Fed. Cir.), due on June 1, 2026.

This is CREW's second request for a 30-day extension. Barring unforeseen circumstances, CREW does not anticipate seeking any further extensions.

Respectfully submitted,

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cc: Hon. D. John Sauer