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

Re: *Amy Hadley, Petitioner v. City of South Bend, et al., Respondents*, No. 25-1158

Dear Mr. Harris:

Petitioner in the above-referenced matter, Amy Hadley, filed her Petition for a Writ of Certiorari on April 6, 2026. The response to the Petition is due on May 8, 2026.

Respondents respectfully request, pursuant to Supreme Court 30.4, an additional thirty (30) days to respond to the Petition. Under Supreme Court Rule 30.1, the new deadline to respond to the Petition would be Monday, June 8, 2026.

Good cause exists for the requested extension. Given the numerous obligations of the undersigned counsel in other cases, including impending deadlines for filing dispositive motions, an extension will allow the undersigned counsel to prepare a more thoroughly reasoned response, which will better assist the Court in considering the Petition. Additionally, Respondents anticipate filing a joint brief in opposition. Coordinating preparation of the joint brief in opposition will necessarily require additional time.

Respondents therefore respectfully request the Clerk extend the deadline to respond to the Petition, to and including June 8, 2026.

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