



**DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
APPELLATE DIVISION**

July 7, 2026

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

Re: *Sara Boysen, et al. v. PeaceHealth, et al.*, 25-1280

Dear Mr. Harris,

I am counsel for (former) Oregon Governor Kate Brown, and Patrick Allen, the former Director of the Oregon Health Authority, the respondents and state defendants in this matter. I write to request a 45-day extension of time to file the brief in opposition. The brief is currently due July 17, 2026. Granting this request would make the brief due August 31, 2026. Additional time is needed due to competing deadlines in other matters (including but not limited to arguments scheduled for July 9 and 10), and to thoroughly research and prepare the response to the petition in this case.

I consulted with counsel for petitioner, David Shexnaydre, and he does not object to this request. I also consulted with counsel for co-respondents and was informed that they intend to seek the same extension.

Thank you for your time and assistance in this matter.

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