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Hon. Scott S. Harris, Clerk of the Court Supreme Court of the United States Office of the Clerk One First Street, N.E. Washington, DC 20543-0001

Re: Katergaris v. City of New York

No. 25-187

Dear, Mr. Harris:

This office represents defendant-respondent City of New York in the above-captioned case. On August 13, 2025, petitioner filed a petition for a writ of certiorari after obtaining a 30-day extension, and respondent initially waived its right to respond. However, on September 15, 2025, the Court requested a response due October 15, 2025. The Court granted respondent's initial request to extend its deadline to oppose the petition for a writ of certiorari by 45 days, to December 1, 2025. Respondent respectfully requests a second brief four-day extension of its deadline, to December 5, 2025. Petitioner consents to this request.

The extension of time is necessary to prepare the opposition, which must undergo multiple layers of review internally and with our client before filing, and to account for the Thanksgiving holiday and press of work.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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