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Mr. Scott S. Harris
Clerk of the Court
Supreme Court of the United States
One First Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20543

RE: *Viramontes v. Cook County* (No. 25-238) & *Grant v. Higgins* (No. 25-566)

Dear Mr. Harris:

I represent Petitioners in the above-captioned matters. I am writing on behalf of all parties to request extensions of time to file the merits briefs and joint appendix in this case, as follows:

Brief for the Petitioner and joint appendix:	August 28, 2026
Briefs for the Respondents:	October 21, 2026
Reply brief:	November 20, 2026

The parties have agreed to the foregoing schedule, which would enable this case to be heard during the Court's December or January sittings for the coming term and would accommodate Petitioners' counsel's trial schedule and all counsel's obligations in other matters with proximate due dates. Should you need additional information, please do not hesitate to let me know.

Sincerely,

/s/ David H. Thompson
David H. Thompson

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