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Washington, D.C. 20530

September 18, 2025

Honorable Scott S. Harris Clerk Supreme Court of the United States Washington, D.C. 20543

Re: Patrick Lee Adams v. United States of America

S.Ct. No. 25-5467

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on August 22, 2025, and placed on the docket on August 26, 2025. The government's response is due on September 25, 2025.

We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the rules of this Court, an extension of time to and including October 27, 2025, within which to file the government's response.

This extension is requested to complete preparation of the government's response, which was delayed because of the heavy press of earlier assigned cases to the attorneys handling this matter.

Sincerely,

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