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

Re: *Trump v. Carroll*, No. 25-573 (*Carroll II*)

Dear Mr. Harris:

I write to advise the Court that President Donald J. Trump intends to file a petition for a writ of certiorari in *Carroll v. Trump*, No. 24-644 (2d Cir.) (*Carroll I*), within the next month. Because *Carroll I* involves the same parties and overlaps with the President's pending petition for a writ of certiorari in *Carroll II*, the Court may wish to consider the petitions together. Like the pending petition in *Carroll II*, *Carroll I* arises from decisions by the Second Circuit, which recently denied rehearing *en banc* in *Carroll I* over the dissent of three judges. See *Carroll v. Trump*, 175 F.4th 100, 100-128 (2d Cir. 2026) (Menashi, J., joined by Livingston, C.J. and Park, J.).

Respectfully,

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