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

Re: American Gas Association v. Department of Energy, No. 25-879

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on January 20, 2026. The responses briefs are now due, after one extension, on April 24, 2026. We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, a further extension of time to and including May 8, 2026, within which all respondents may file their responses.

This extension is necessary because the attorneys with principal responsibility for preparation of the government's response have been heavily engaged with the press of previously assigned matters with proximate due dates.

Counsel for petitioners and counsel for the non-federal respondents do not oppose this further extension.

Sincerely,

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