

VIA E-FILING

March 5, 2026

Honorable Scott S. Harris
Clerk of the Court
Supreme Court of the United States
1 First Street, NE
Washington, DC 20543

Re: *CareDx, Inc. v. Natera, Inc.*, No. 25-959 (U.S.)

Dear Mr. Harris:

I write on behalf of respondent, Natera, Inc., to request a 30-day extension of time in which to file its brief in opposition to CareDx, Inc.'s petition for a writ of certiorari. The brief is currently due Wednesday, March 25, 2026. If extended, Natera's brief would be due Friday, April 24, 2026.

The purpose of the requested extension is to allow Natera's counsel sufficient time to prepare its brief in opposition. Counsel are juggling a press of other matters, including upcoming hearings in separate matters on motions for preliminary injunctive relief, a joint hearing in three cases on dispositive motions, and a jury trial.

The extension should not result in prejudice to either party. Even with the extension, the petition should be distributed in time for the Court to consider it before recessing for the summer.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Robert T. Smith

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CC: Counsel of Record