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Washington, D.C. 20530

December 8, 2020

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

Re: Level The Playing Field, et al. v. Federal Election Commission,

S.Ct. No. 20-649

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on November 9, 2020, and placed on the docket on November 13, 2020. The government's response is due on December 14, 2020.

We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the rules of this Court, an extension of time to and including January 13, 2021, 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,

Jeffrey B. Wall Acting Solicitor General

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