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Washington, D.C. 20530

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

Re: Stephen M. Clark aka Sealed Defendant 1 v. United States of America, S.Ct. No. 23-1149

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on April 19, 2024, and placed on the docket on April 23, 2024. The government's response is due on May 23, 2024.

We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the rules of this Court, an extension of time to and including June 24, 2024, 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,

Elizabeth B. Prelogar Solicitor General

cc: See Attached Service List

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