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*Washington, D.C. 20530*

November 8, 2024

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

Re: Blue Mountains Biodiversity Project v. Shane Jeffries, in His Official Capacity as Ochoco National Forest Supervisor, et al., No. 24-300

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on September 13, 2024. The government's response is now due, after one extension, on November 18, 2024. We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, a further extension of time to and including December 6, 2024, within which to file a response.

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 petitioner does not oppose this further extension.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth B. Prelogar  
Solicitor General

cc: See Attached Service List

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BLUE MOUNTAINS BIODIVERSITY PROJECT  
SHANE JEFFRIES, IN HIS OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS  
OCHOCO NATIONAL FOREST SUPERVISOR, ET AL.

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