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

Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians v. Haaland, No. 24-622

Dear Mr. Harris:

The petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-captioned case was filed on November 25, 2024, and placed on the Court's docket on December 6, 2024. The government's response is currently due, as extended, on February 5, 2025.

We respectfully request, under Rule 30.4 of the Rules of this Court, a further extension to and including March 19, 2025, within which to file the government's response. This extension is necessary because the attorneys with principal responsibility for final preparation of the government's response have been heavily engaged with the press of other matters before the Court and to accommodate the schedule of petitioner's counsel.

Counsel for petitioner does not object to this further extension of time.

Sincerely,

Sarah M. Harris Acting Solicitor General

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