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Scott S. Harris
Clerk of the Supreme Court of the United States
U.S. Supreme Court Building
One 1st Street N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20543

Re: Case No. SC24-718
Blake Warner v. School Board of Hillsborough County, Florida

Dear Mr. Harris:

I am counsel for the Respondent in this case. Petitioner filed his petition for a writ of certiorari on January 2, 2025. Respondent filed a waiver of right to file a response on January 31, 2025. On February 14, 2025, the Court requested that Respondent file a response to the petition for writ of certiorari, due February 14, 2025. Pursuant to Rule 30.4, Respondent respectfully requests that the time for filing a response be extended by 30 days, to and including April 16, 2025.

This is Respondent's first request for an extension of time to file a response. Good cause exists for the requested extension. I have pre-planned family travel for Spring Break from March 7, 2025 to March 16, 2025. Apart from this case, I represent multiple other clients in other matters with appellate briefs due in federal and state court in the months of March and April 2025. Moreover, additional time is necessary to review the eight amicus curiae briefs filed in this case in support of Petitioner's petition for writ of certiorari. An extension of time would better enable preparation of a response that would be most helpful to the Court.

Accordingly, Respondent respectfully requests that the time for filing a response to the petition for writ of certiorari be extended by 30 days, to and including April 16, 2025. Counsel for the Petitioner, Aaron Streett, has informed me by email that Petitioner does not object to this request.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kristen M. Fiore". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Kristen M. Fiore

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