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Dear Ms. Howard,

Please find attached the Respondent's 18-day extension request for which to file the Return to Petition for Writ of Certiorari. Please file this document with your Court. Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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