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

Re: <u>United States Department of Homeland Security, et al.</u> v. <u>Regents of the University of California, et al.</u>, No. 18-587;
<u>Donald J. Trump, President of the United States, et al.</u> v. <u>National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, et al.</u>, No. 18-588;
<u>Kirstjen M. Nielsen, Secretary of Homeland Security, et al.</u> v. <u>Martin Jonathan Batalla Vidal, et al.</u>, No. 18-589

Dear Mr. Harris:

On November 5, 2018, the government filed a petition for a writ of certiorari before judgment in each of the above-captioned cases. On November 19, the government filed a supplemental brief in *United States Department of Homeland Security* v. *Regents of the University of California*, No. 18-587, to bring to the Court's attention the opinion of the Ninth Circuit issued in that case after the filing of the government's petition. In discussing the impact of the Ninth Circuit's decision on the pending petition in *Nielsen* v. *Batalla Vidal*, No. 18-589, the government mistakenly stated that respondents in *Batalla Vidal* had cross-appealed to the Second Circuit the district court's order granting in part and denying in part the government's motion to dismiss in that case. The government has filed today a revised supplemental brief, correcting the misstatement and revising the discussion of the pending petition in *Batalla Vidal* accordingly. The government also has made other minor revisions to bring the brief into compliance with the word limit in Rule 33.1(g)(iv). I would appreciate it if you would substitute the corrected brief for the supplemental brief filed on November 19 before you distribute the petition to the Members of the Court.

Sincerely,

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