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**Via ECF**

Hon. Andrew L. Carter, Jr.  
United States District Court  
Southern District of New York  
40 Foley Square, Room 435  
New York, NY 10007

**MEMO ENDORSED**

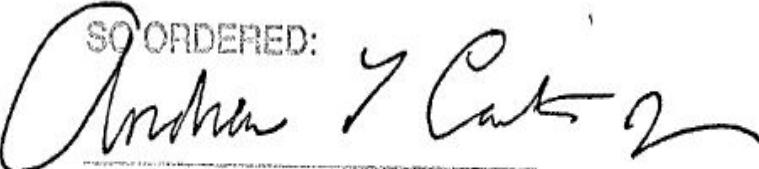
Re: *Jason Holloway v. Dermot F. Shea*  
Civil Action No.: 21-CV-00496-ALC  
Law Dept. No.: 2021-003288

Dear Judge Carter:

I am the Assistant Corporation Counsel in the Office of James E. Johnson, Corporation Counsel of the City of New York, assigned to represent Defendant, Dermot F. Shea, sued in his official capacity as the Commissioner of the New York City Police Department, in the above-referenced matter. In accord with Rule 1.D of Your Honor's Individual Practices, I write to respectfully request that the time for Defendant to respond to the Complaint be extended from February 17, 2021, to April 5, 2021. This is Defendant's first request for an extension of time. The extension of time is requested so this Office may adequately investigate the allegations made in the Complaint and prepare a proper response. Plaintiff consents to the requested 45-day extension. The requested extension will not affect any other scheduled dates in this litigation.

For the reasons set forth above, Defendant respectfully requests that the time to respond to the Complaint be extended until April 5, 2021. I apologize for the delay in making this request. I was out of the office until today owing to furlough leave and the federal holiday yesterday. I thank the Court for its consideration of this request.

SO ORDERED:

  
HON. ANDREW L. CARTER, JR.  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

February 17, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

/s/  
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cc: All attorneys of record (via ECF)