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Re: National Aeronautics and Space Administration, et al.  
v. Robert M. Nelson, et al.  
Application No. 09A198  
(Your No. 07-56424)

Dear Clerk:

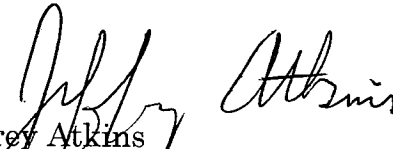
The application for an extension of time within which to file a petition for a writ of certiorari in the above-entitled case has been presented to Justice Kennedy, who on August 25, 2009 extended the time to and including October 2, 2009.

This letter has been sent to those designated on the attached notification list.

Sincerely,

**William K. Suter, Clerk**

by

  
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