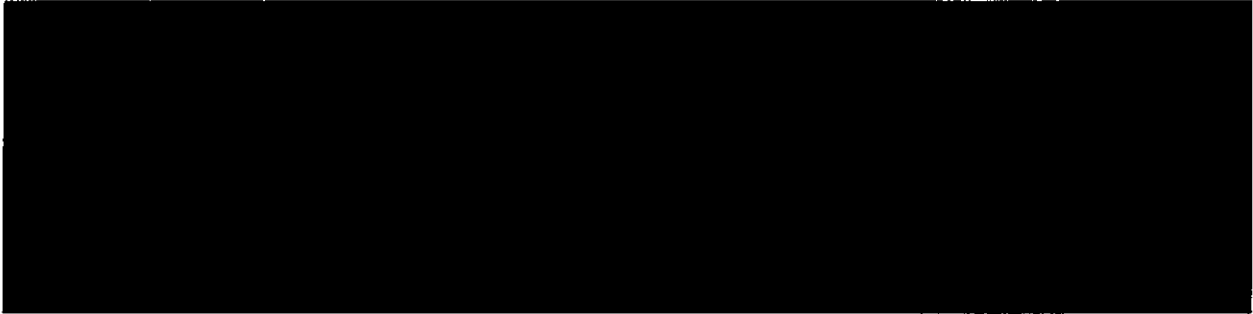


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**MOTION TO EXTEND TIME**

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, through the undersigned Department of Justice attorney, respectfully requests the Court to extend the time, to and including November 22, 2011, in which to file a memorandum in response to the Court's Briefing Order of October 13, 2011 (hereinafter, "Briefing Order"). The Briefing Order directed the Government to submit a memorandum by November 10, 2011, addressing several issues related to subsection 1809(a) of the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act of 1978, as amended (FISA), 50 U.S.C. § 1809(a), as it applies to certain collections by the National Security Agency approved by this Court. ~~(S//OC/NF)~~

The Government continues to work diligently to respond to the issues raised by the Court. However, due to the complex factual and legal questions raised in the Briefing Order, as well as the ongoing matter concerning the above-captioned

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certifications, the Government believes that a brief extension of time would be of great benefit in preparing a complete and accurate response to the Court's Briefing Order.

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Accordingly, the Government requests leave to provide the Court with a complete response to the Briefing Order by November 22, 2011. (U)

Respectfully submitted,

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