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January 29, 2009

Mr. Edwin S. Kneedler **Acting Solicitor General** United States Department of Justice 950 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC 20530-0001

Re: Carl Eric Olsen

v. Michael B. Mukasey, Attorney General, et al.

No. 08-777

Dear Mr. Kneedler:

Although your office has waived the right to file a response to the petition for a writ of certiorari in the above case, the Court nevertheless has directed this office to request that a response be filed.

Forty printed copies of your response, together with proof of service thereof, should be filed on or before March 2, 2009.

Sincerely,

William K. Suter

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Clerk

cc: James Raymond Cook