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40 Foley Square  
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Re: Due Date for Appellee's Brief  
*Oneida Indian Nation v. U.S. Dep't of Interior*, No. 18-2607

Dear Ms. Wolfe:

I am counsel for Appellee United States Department of the Interior in the above-referenced appeal. Appellee requests that its brief be due on March 13, 2019. This date is within 91 days of the filing of the last appellant's brief as provided by Local Rule 31.2(a)(1)(B), as Appellant filed its opening brief on December 13, 2018.

Regards,

/s/ Ben Schiffman

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