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# Court of Appeals Docket #: 12-5087 IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

# KASIPPILLAI MANOHARAN, DR., ET AL.,

Plaintiffs-Appellants

v.

# PERCY MAHENDRA RAJAPAKSA AND UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, <u>Defendants-Appellees</u>.

On Appeal From A Final Order Dismissing the Complaint for Lack of Jurisdiction Based on a Suggestion of Immunity filed by the Department of Justice on behalf of the Department of State.

# APPELLANTS' MOTION TO EXTEND TIME TO FILE REPLY

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#### **APPELLANTS' MOTION TO EXTEND TIME TO FILE REPLY**

Come now Appellants, through their undersigned attorneys, and move this Court under Rule 27 of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure to extend time to file Appellants' Reply to Appellee's Statement in Lieu of Brief for Appellee and Brief for the United States as Amicus Curiae from November 23, 2012 until December 7, 2012. Appellants' request for a two-week extension is necessitated by the forthcoming Thanksgiving holidays and counsel's need to prepare for two summary judgment motions pending in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Central District of California. The United States does not object to this motion. Appellants contacted Mitchell R. Berger, counsel for Appellee, about this motion by phone on November 13, 2012, but did not receive a response.

This motion has not been filed for the purpose of delay or other improper purpose.

Wherefore, Appellants' motion to extend time to file Appellants' Reply Brief until December 7, 2012 should be granted.

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### DATED: NOVEMBER 14, 2012

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on November 14, 2012, a true and correct copy of foregoing APPELLANTS' MOTION TO EXTEND TIME TO FILE REPLY, was served upon Defendant's counsel of record and Interested Parties via Electronic Claims File (ECF):

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