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VIA ECF

The Honorable Alison J. Nathan United States District Court Southern District of New York United States Courthouse 40 Foley Square New York, New York 10007

Re: United States v. Ghislaine Maxwell, 20 Cr. 330 (AJN)

Dear Judge Nathan:

The Government respectfully submits this letter to request the opportunity to respond to defense counsel's letter motion seeking the entry of a protective order, which was filed this morning. The Government and defense counsel were in discussions – as recently as 6 p.m. last night – in the hopes of jointly proposing a protective order. Until seeing the filing on ECF this morning, the Government had understood those discussions to be ongoing. In light of the defense's letter, however, the Government respectfully requests until 5 p.m. tomorrow to submit a response.

Respectfully submitted,

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