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## VIA ECF

Hon. Analisa Torres United States District Judge Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Strett New York, NY 10007

Re: <u>United States v. Kolfage, et al., No. 20 Cr. 412 (AT)</u>

Dear Judge Torres:

We represent Defendant Stephen Bannon in the above-captioned matter and write respectfully to request an adjournment of the status conference currently scheduled for Monday, October 26 at 1:00 p.m. Mr. Bannon's counsel of record begin a trial before the Honorable Jed S. Rakoff on October 26, 2020 and will not be available for the status conference. As a result, Mr. Bannon respectfully requests that the status conference in this matter be adjourned to a date during the week of November 9, 2020, when his counsel will be able to participate.

We have conferred with counsel for the government and for Defendants Brian Kolfage, Andrew Badolato, and Timothy Shea, all of whom consent to an adjournment. This is the first request Mr. Bannon has made for an adjournment of this status conference.

Respectfully submitted,

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