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UNITED STATES TAX COURT
WASHINGTON, DC 20217

ESTATE OF JAMES P. KEETER, DECEASED, GARRY L. HOLTON, JR., AND THOMAS W. SCHAEFER, CO-EXECUTORS AND JULIE L. KEETER,	)	
Petitioners,	)	
v.	)	Docket No. 6771-16.
COMMISSIONER OF INTERNAL REVENUE,	)	
Respondent.	)	

ORDER

On May 3, 2017, petitioners filed a Motion for Leave To File a Short Brief which the Court will recharacterize as petitioner's letter. In that letter petitioner state they wish to be given leave to file a short brief as to why their pending motion to restrain the tax assessment made against them, filed on June 17, 2016, should be sustained even if the Court finds that it lacks jurisdiction in this matter.

Upon due consideration, it is

ORDERED that petitioners' Motion for Leave To File a Short Brief, filed May 3, 2017, is recharacterized as petitioners' Letter.

(Signed) L. Paige Marvel
Chief Judge

Dated: Washington, D.C.
May 5, 2017

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