

AMENDMENTS OF RULES OF THIS COURT

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that the Rules of the Supreme Court of the United States be, and the same are hereby, amended by revising paragraph 1 of Rule 16 to read as follows:

“Within thirty days after receipt of the jurisdictional statement, unless the time is enlarged by the court or a justice thereof, or by the clerk under the provisions of paragraph 5 of Rule 34, the appellee may file a printed motion to dismiss, or motion to affirm. In cases where the United States or any agency, officer or employee thereof is the appellee, the appellee shall have an additional twenty days to file said motions. Where appropriate, a motion to affirm may be united in the alternative with a motion to dismiss.”

It is further ordered that paragraph 1 of Rule 24 be revised by adding the following sentence to the said paragraph:

“In cases where the United States or any agency, officer or employee thereof is the respondent, the respondent shall have an additional twenty days to file the said opposing brief.”

NOVEMBER 22, 1971.