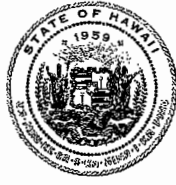


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Mr. Scott S. Harris  
Clerk of the Court  
Supreme Court of the United States  
1 First Street, NE  
Washington, D.C. 20543

**RE: *Bristol-Myers Squibb Co. et al. v. Connors,***  
**Supreme Court of the United States, No. 20-1149**

Dear Mr. Harris:

On behalf of respondent Clare E. Connors, Attorney General of the State of Hawai'i, I write to request an extension of time to prepare a brief in opposition to the petition for a writ of certiorari in this matter. The petition for a writ of certiorari in this case was filed on February 17, 2021, and placed on this Court's docket on February 22, 2021. The response is currently due on March 24, 2021.

Pursuant to Rule 30.4 of the rules of this Court, I respectfully request an extension of fifty (50) days, to and including May 13, 2021, to file the brief in opposition. This extension is warranted given the press of other matters with proximate deadlines—including litigation and advisory matters pertaining to the State's response to the COVID-19 pandemic that my office is currently engaged with—and in order to enable counsel to fully analyze and research the issues raised in the petition in order to produce a brief in opposition that will be of maximum benefit to the Court. Petitioners, through counsel, have stated that they do not oppose this request.

Respectfully Submitted,

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