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February 3, 2022

**VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS OVERNIGHT MAIL, WITH TRACKING**

Supreme Court of the United States  
Clerk of the Court  
1 First St., NE  
Washington, D.C. 20543

Re: Power Home Solar, LLC v. James Rickenbaugh, et al., No. 21-747  
On Petition for Writ of Certiorari from the Supreme Court of North  
Carolina  
Motion to Extend Time to File Brief

Dear Sir/Madam,

Our law firm represents James and Mary Rickenbaugh, Individually and on Behalf of Others Similarly Situated ("Respondents"), in the matter captioned above. Counsel for Respondents received the Clerk's letter, dated January 11, 2022, requesting that we file a response to the petition for certiorari filed in this matter. The Clerk's letter requests a response on or before February 10, 2022. Pursuant to Rule 30.4 of the Rules of the Supreme Court of the United States ("Rules") and the Supreme Court's February 2020 Memorandum Concerning the Deadlines for Cert Stage Pleadings and the Scheduling of Cases for Conference, this letter moves to extend the time to file a brief in opposition,

First and foremost, none of the attorneys responsible for this matter are members of the Supreme Court Bar. While the undersigned and Mr. Bo Caudill are in the process of collecting the documentation necessary to apply for admission, we do not anticipate completing that process and gaining admission before February 10, 2022. We acknowledge that the brief in opposition must be filed by a Supreme Court Bar member.

In addition, the attorneys handling this matter have recently changed law firms. Since the commencement of this matter, Matt Villmer and Mr. Caudill have acted as the primary responsible attorneys. In January 2022, Mr. Villmer and Mr. Caudill, along with the undersigned and two other attorneys, left their previous law

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firm of Weaver, Bennett & Bland, P.A. in Matthews, North Carolina, to start the law firm of Villmer Caudill, PLLC, in Charlotte. Tasks associated with transitioning firms, as well as starting an entirely new law firm, have demanded considerable time from all involved and caused a slight delay in receipt of the Clerk's letter.

Finally, as Villmer Caudill is situated in Charlotte, it will need to contract with a business in Washington, D.C. to produce and deliver the forty printed copies and proof of service requested, and such businesses require advance orders which further shortens the deadline to produce a response.

In light of these circumstances, Respondents respectfully request a 30-day extension to file their response. Pursuant to Rule 30.1 of the Rules, because that 30-day extension would fall on Saturday, March 12, 2022, Respondents respectfully request an extension to the following **Monday, March 14, 2022**.

The undersigned has this day served opposing counsel via U.S. Mail and Electronic Mail:

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