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

> Re: Jack Daniel's Properties, Inc. v. VIP Products LLC, No. 22-148: Request for Extension of Time for Opposition to Petition for Certiorari

## Dear Sir:

Respondent VIP Products LLC, by its undersigned counsel, requests a thirty-day extension of time to October 17, 2022, to file its response to the Petition for a Writ of Certiorari filed by petitioner Jack Daniel's Properties, Inc. The petition was filed on August 5, 2022, and docketed on August 17, 2022, and VIP Products' response is currently due on September 16, 2022. VIP Products has not previously requested an extension.

VIP Products' undersigned counsel has received notice of the intent of amici curiae to file six amicus briefs in support of the petition, and VIP Products has consented to the filing. As of this date, none of the amicus briefs has been filed, and VIP Products wishes to have an opportunity to address all of them in its response to the petition. In addition, counsel has had an intervening family summer vacation, and has had and continues to have conflicting briefing and argument schedules in several other matters, including appeals pending before the Arizona Supreme Court, the Arizona Court of Appeals, the New Mexico Supreme Court, and the New Mexico Court of Appeals. VIP Products' counsel is exercising diligence in the preparation of the response, and this extension is not sought for purposes of delay.

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Respectfully submitted,

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