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Hon. Scott S. Harris, Clerk Supreme Court of the United States 1 First Street, NE Washington DC 20543

RE: *R.J. Reynolds, et al. v. Bonta, et al.*, No. 23-207 Request for Extension of Time

Dear Mr. Harris:

I represent respondent, the Attorney General of the State of California, in the abovecaptioned case. On September 1, 2023, the Court docketed the petition for a writ of certiorari filed in this case and respondent filed a waiver of the right to respond. On September 28, 2023, the Court requested a response to the petition by October 30, 2023.

Pursuant to Rule 30.4, respondent respectfully requests that the time for filing a response to the petition be extended by thirty days, up to and including November 29, 2023. An extension of time would better enable preparation of a response that respondent believes would be most helpful to the Court.

Respectfully submitted,

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