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Scott S. Harris  
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One First Street, NE  
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*Re: Vassil Marinov (Petitioner) v. FCA US LLC, et al.*  
Case No. 23-5100

To Clerk of the Court:

I represent Respondent International Union, United Automobile, Aerospace and Agricultural Implement Workers of America, UAW (the “UAW”) in the captioned matter.

Petitioner Vassil Marinov filed his Petition for Writ of Certiorari on July 10, 2023 and this matter was placed on the docket on July 13, 2023.

Pursuant to Rule 15.3 and Rule 30.1 of the Rules of the United States Supreme Court, the UAW’s opposition to the Petition for Writ of Certiorari is currently due on Monday, August 14, 2023.

Pursuant to Rule 30.4 of the Rules of the United States Supreme Court, I am requesting on behalf of the UAW a thirty (30) day extension of time to file a brief in opposition to the Petition for Writ of Certiorari. This is the UAW’s first extension request. If granted, the thirty (30) day extension of time will extend the deadline for the UAW to submit its opposition to the Petition for Writ of Certiorari to Wednesday, September 13, 2023.

I am not currently a member of the Bar of the Supreme Court. I acknowledge that the UAW’s opposition to the Petition for Writ of Certiorari must be filed by a member of the Bar of the Supreme Court. The thirty (30) day extension is being requested, in part, so that I can apply for membership in the Bar of the Supreme Court and file the UAW’s opposition to the Petition for Writ of Certiorari.

The requested extension is also being requested because the undersigned was also recently retained to assist with seven (7) separate arbitrations that are scheduled to take place in October and November 2023. I am scheduled to meet with the discharged grievants in this case during the week of September 5 to 8, 2023.

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Additionally, I further state that I have been retained by one of my clients to help prepare for and assist it with a strike that may take place in August 2023.

For these reasons, I am respectfully requesting under Rule 30.1 a thirty (30) day extension of time until Wednesday, September 13, 2023 to file a brief in opposition to the Petition for Writ of Certiorari.

Thank you for your attention. Please feel free to contact me at any time if you have questions.

Thank you,

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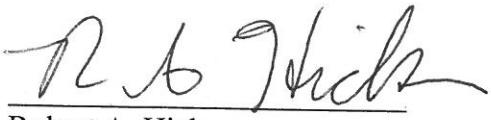
I, Robert A. Hicks, of lawful age, being duly sworn, upon my oath state that I did, on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July 2023, send out from Indianapolis, Indiana, one package containing one letter to the Clerk of the Court pursuant to Rule 30.4 in the above-entitled case.

Additionally, all parties required to be served have been served by Priority Mail. Packages were plainly addressed to the following:

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