

Issues & Appeals

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Via Electronic Filing

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

Re: No. 24-935, Flower Foods Inc. v. Brock

Dear Mr. Harris:

I write to request a thirty-day extension of the time to file a response to the petition for certiorari in this case. The response is currently due on May 27, 2025, and I respectfully request that the deadline be extended to, and include, June 26, 2025. Counsel for the petitioner have indicated that they do not oppose this request.

There is good cause for this request. I am currently responding to a family emergency. And my colleagues and I have several other upcoming deadlines that would make it impossible to prepare a brief absent an extension. These deadlines include: a principal and cross-response brief due in the Ninth Circuit in *California v. Meta Platforms, Inc.*, Nos. 24-7032, 24-7037, 24-7300, 24-7304, 24-7312, and 24-7265, on May 30, 2025; an opposition to a motion to compel in the U.S. District Court for the District of New Jersey in *Roberts v. Unlock*, No. 24-cv-01374, on June 2, 2025; a reply brief due in the California Court of Appeal, Second District, in *Bhatt v. BMW*, No. B333656, on June 4, 2025; and a hearing on motions to dismiss in the U.S. District Court for the District of Maryland in *Edmondson Community Organization v. Mayor of Baltimore*, No. 1:24-cv-01921-BAH, on June 23, 2025.

For these reasons, my colleagues and I will require additional time to prepare an adequate response to the petition. A thirty-day extension will allow us to balance these other responsibilities with our obligations in this case.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

<u>/s/ Jennifer D. Bennett</u> Jennifer D. Bennett

cc: Counsel of Record