

October 8, 2020

Via *Electronic Filing and Regular Mail*

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

Re: No. 20-330, *Donald J. Trump, President of the United States v. Citizens for Responsibility and Ethics in Washington, et al.*

Dear Mr. Harris:

I hereby seek an extension of time to file a response to the petition for certiorari in the above titled case. The response is currently due on October 14, 2020. For the following reasons, I request a 60-day extension to and including December 14, 2020. Petitioner consents to this request.

I will have principal responsibility for preparing the brief in opposition to the petition. Because preparation for my oral argument before this Court yesterday took up considerable time in the last month, my colleagues and I will require additional time to prepare an adequate response to the petition. Furthermore, we have several upcoming deadlines and obligations that will prevent us from devoting adequate time to the response absent an extension. These include a reply brief due in the Second Circuit on October 9 (in *Pena v. British Airways*); an opening brief and appendix due in the Second Circuit on October 13 (in *Hromowyk v. FCA US LLC*); a Rule 23(f) petition due in the Sixth Circuit on October 14 (in *Kondash v. Kia*); an amicus brief due in this Court on October 20 (in *Shein II*); an oral argument in the Fourth Circuit on October 27 (in *Alig v. Quicken Loans*); an oral argument in the Eleventh Circuit on October 28 (in *Lucoff v. Navient*); an answering brief due in the Ninth Circuit on November 2 (in *Peck v. Swift Transportation* and *Mares v. Swift Transportation*); a reply brief due in the Ninth Circuit on November 4 (in *Beaty v. Ford Motor Co.*); an oral argument in the Ninth Circuit on November 16 (in *Ly v. FMCSA*); an oral argument in the Ninth Circuit on November 19 (in *Magadia v. Walmart*); a reply brief due in the Ninth Circuit on November 25 (in *Sponer v. Wells Fargo*); an opening brief due in the Federal Circuit on December 4 (in *In re: Elster*); and a response brief due in the Ninth Circuit on December 14 (in *Moser v. HII*). A 60-day extension will allow us to balance these other responsibilities with our obligations in this case.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Deepak Gupta', with a stylized, cursive script.

Deepak Gupta

cc: Counsel of Record