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Re: Gesture Technology Partners, LLC v. Apple Inc., et al., No. 24-1280

Dear Mr. Harris:

I am counsel of record for Respondent Apple Inc. in the above-captioned matter. I write on behalf of the private-party respondents in the matter to request a 30-day extension of time to file a brief in opposition to *certiorari* in case number 24-1280, pursuant to Rule 30.4.

The petition for writ of certiorari in this case was filed on June 11, 2025, and this Court called for a response on July 28, 2025. Respondents' briefs are currently due on August 27, 2025. The requested 30-day extension would move that date to September 26, 2025. This is the private-party respondents' first request for an extension. The government has already separately requested and received a similar extension of 30 days to its deadline to respond to the petition.

The decision below arises out of several *inter partes* review proceedings concerning patents owned by Petitioner Gesture Technology Partners, LLC and asserted against the private-party respondents—each separately represented—in district court patent infringement suits. Respondents need additional time to coordinate among themselves and prepare an adequate response to the petition.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of this matter.



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Respectfully submitted,

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