

November 3, 2025

**Via Electronic Filing**

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

Re: **No. 25-436, Volkswagen Aktiengesellschaft v. Blanca Hernandez, et al.**

Dear Mr. Harris:

I write to enter my appearance as counsel of record for the respondents and 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 November 10, 2025, and I respectfully request that the deadline be extended to, and include, December 10, 2025.

There is good cause for this request. My colleagues and I are heavily engaged with other matters that would make it difficult or impossible to prepare a brief absent an extension. Among other things, these deadlines include pre-trial filings, including oppositions to multiple motions in limine due on November 5, 2025, in the preferentially set trial of a dying Plaintiff, *Maricich v. Chattem*, Case No. 25CV116787, Superior Court of the State of California, County of Alameda; oppositions to over twenty Motions for Summary Judgment/Adjudication due November 7, 2025 and November 14, 2025 in *Jiminez v. Allied Fluid Products*, Case No. 25CV124403, Superior Court of the State of California, County of Los Angeles; and oppositions to post-trial Motions for New Trial and Motion to Vacate the Judgment due November 10, 2025 in *Beach v. 3M Company, et al*, Case No. 24STCV28404, Superior Court of the State of California, County of Los Angeles.

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 for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/ Denyse F. Clancy  
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