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Via Supreme Court e-filing

Danny Bickell
Deputy Clerk
Supreme Court of the United States
One First Street NE
Washington, DC 20543

Re: *Hilton Hotels Retirement Plan, et al. v. Valerie White, et al.*, No. 23-166.

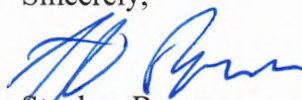
Dear Mr. Bickell:

I am counsel for respondents in the above-referenced case. On August 17, 2023, a certiorari petition was filed in this case, and on September 6, 2023, the Court called for a response from the respondents. Unless extended by the Court, the response is due on October 6, 2023. For the reasons that follow, and pursuant to Rule 30.4, I respectfully request an extension of 30 days, to and including November 6, 2023.

I have several pressing obligations during these upcoming weeks, including out-of-town depositions of expert and non-expert witnesses, court filings in other cases, and personal jury duty. An extension will allow me to meet those obligations and also to file a response that adequately addresses the points raised in the petition.

For these reasons, I ask that a 30-day extension be granted. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Stephen Bruce
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Cc: Jonathan K. Youngwood, Counsel for Petitioners