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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

FCH1, LLC, A NEVADA LIMITED  
LIABILITY COMPANY F/K/A FIESTA  
PALMS, LLC, D/B/A THE PALMS CASINO  
RESORT,

Appellant,

v.

ENRIQUE RODRIGUEZ, AN INDIVIDUAL,

Respondent.

Supreme Court Electronically Filed  
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**MOTION FOR  
EXTENSION OF TIME TO  
FILE ANSWERING BRIEF  
(SECOND REQUEST)**

Respondent Enrique Rodriguez respectfully moves this court for an extension of time to file his answering brief for a period of 16 days. Respondent's answering brief is currently due on October 13, 2012, which is a Saturday, making it actually due on the following Monday, October 15, 2012. This extension of time would make respondent's answering brief due on or before October 31, 2012, the end of the month. This is respondent's second request for an extension of time.

I was unexpectedly called upon to participate as trial counsel in an ongoing jury trial during opening arguments. That trial lasted more than six weeks and has resulted in two petitions before this Court, one of which was granted. The trial ended in a mistrial. Both during and since the trial, the case has consumed an inordinate amount of my time. As a result, I returned from the trial to a number of deadlines and a backlog. In addition, the record in this case is long (sixteen volumes) and dense, and the issues are complex. Reviewing and mastering the record took longer than I had anticipated. The brief is in partial draft, but I cannot finish it and have it vetted by my client and trial counsel for accuracy within the time now available. I believe I can finish the brief with an extension to the end of this month.

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This request is presented in good faith, and not for purposes of delay or any other improper reason.

DATED this 9 day of October, 2012.

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I certify that I am an employee of HUTCHISON & STEFFEN, LLC and that this **RESPONDENT'S MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE ANSWERING BRIEF(SECOND REQUEST)** was filed electronically with the Clerk of the court of the Nevada Supreme Court, and therefore electronic service was made in accordance with the master service list as follows:


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