

## MEMO ENDORSED

March 18, 2024

## VIA ECF

The Honorable Gary Stein United States Courthouse 500 Pearl St., Room 702 New York, NY 10007-1312

Courtroom: 9A

Re: Kominis v. Starbucks Corporation, No. 1:22-cv-06673 (JPC) (GS) – Joint

Request to Extend Deadlines

Dear Judge Stein:

The undersigned counsel for Plaintiffs Joan Kominis and Jason McAllister ("Plaintiffs") and Starbucks Corporation ("Defendant") (collectively the "Parties"), respectfully request a three-month extension on case deadlines. The current applicable dates and the effect the requested modification would have on the existing schedule are stated below:

- 1. Close of Fact Discovery: July 1, 2024 to **October 1, 2024**
- 2. Deadline to Complete Depositions: April 3, 2024 to **July 3, 2024**
- 3. Deadline to Serve Requests for Admissions: April 30, 2024 to **July 30, 2024**
- 4. Close of Expert Discovery: September 30, 2024 to January 10, 2025
- 5. Deadline for Plaintiff's Expert Disclosures: July 31, 2024 to October 31, 2024
- 6. Deadline for Defendant's Expert Disclosures: August 31, 2024 to **December 2, 2024**
- 7. Motion for Class Certification: October 21, 2024 to **January 21, 2025**
- 8. Response to Motion for Class Certification: November 22, 2024 to **February 24**, 2025
- 9. Reply in Support of Motion for Class Certification: December 13, 2024 to **March** 13, 2025

The Parties have exchanged initial written discovery, are currently engaged in settlement discussions and seek this extension to further explore potential resolution.

The Parties have not previously sought extensions as to these case deadlines but have previously requested two extensions of time with respect to the previous motion to dismiss briefing (ECF Nos. 16, 25). Judge Cronan granted those requests (ECF Nos. 17, 26). Thank you for your consideration of this matter.



Respectfully submitted,

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The parties' joint request for a three-month extension of existing case deadlines is granted. While the Court appreciates the reason for the request is ongoing settlement discussions, any further extensions of time are unlikely to be granted. The parties are directed to submit a Proposed First Amended Case Management Plan and Scheduling Order with the revised deadlines for the undersigned's approval.

SO ORDERED:

Dated: March 25, 2024 New York, New York

HON. GARY STEIN UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE