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Mr. Jeff S. Jordan, Assistant General Counsel Attn: Christal Dennis, Paralegal Attn: Kathryn Ross, Paralegal Office of Complaints Examination and Legal Administration Federal Election Commission 1050 First Street, NE Washington, DC 20463

Re: MUR 7443 and 7447

Dear Mr. Jordan,

On August 22, 2018, your office granted my request for a 30-day extension – until September 21 – for Twitter, Inc. to respond to the complaint filed in MUR 7443. On August 23, 2018, your office also granted my request for a 30-day extension – until September 28 – for Twitter, Inc. to respond to a factually and legally similar complaint filed in MUR 7447.

Since then, Twitter, Inc. and its CEO have been the subject of additional scrutiny and given congressional testimony that directly relates to the issues raised in both complaints. *See, e.g.,* <u>https://www.washingtonpost.com/technology/2018/09/05/facebook-twitter-sandberg-dorsey-congress-tech-hearings/?noredirect=on&utm_term=.6b3a608a5396;</u> <u>https://www.nytimes.com/2018/09/05/technology/lawmakers-facebook-twitter-foreign-influence-hearing.html; https://www.bbc.com/news/technology-45331210</u>.

In order to provide the Commission with the most comprehensive response to the complaints, we will need additional time to incorporate relevant information from these recent developments. In addition, we would like to respond to both complaints on the same day to ensure consistency and completeness. Therefore, I respectfully request an additional 30-day extension from the current due date in MUR 7447 – until October 28 – to respond to both complaints.

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I would greatly appreciate your favorable consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

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