STATE OF MICHIGAN
COURT OF CLAIMS

PEPSICO BEVERAGE SALES, LLC,

Plaintiff,

v

DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY OF MICHIGAN

Defendant.
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Docket No. 26-000219-MT

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STIPULATION TO EXTEND TIME FOR DEFENDANT DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY TO ANSWER COMPLAINT

1. Defendant's answer is currently due for filing in this Court by November 24, 2026.

2. Plaintiff is agreeable to an extension of time for the Michigan Department of Treasury to file its answer or otherwise respond to the complaint by 14 days.

WHEREFORE, the parties, through their counsel, hereby stipulate to extend the time for the Michigan Department of Treasury to file an answer or otherwise respond to the complaint by 14 days, i.e., from November 24, 2026 to December 8, 2026.

Respectfully submitted,

PEPSICO BEVERAGE SALES, LLC

By: *<u>/s/ Gregory A. Nowak (w/permission)</u>*
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Dated: November 17, 2026

DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY

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ORDER TO EXTEND TIME FOR ANSWER

PRESENT: HONORABLE Sima G. Patel

This matter having been brought to this Court pursuant to the stipulation of

the parties and the Court having reviewed said stipulation and being otherwise fully advised in the premises, the deadline for Defendant to file an answer or otherwise respond to the complaint is hereby extended to December 8, 2026.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: November 17, 2026

Honorable Sima G. Patel
Court of Claims Judge