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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF SANTA FE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

BARRY GREEN, as the Personal Representative of the Wrongful Death Estate of JEFFREY SMITH, Deceased,

Plaintiff,

v.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY and KIMBERLY CHAVEZ,

Defendants.

ORDER DENYING DEFENDANT FORD MOTOR COMPANY'S MOTION TO DISMISS FOR LACK OF PERSONAL JURISDICTION

This matter came before the Court on Defendant Ford Motor Company's Motion to Dismiss for Lack of Personal Jurisdiction. The Court reviewed the briefing, conducted argument on November 8, 2019, and is otherwise fully advised in the premises.

The Court finds that Defendant Ford Motor Company consented to personal jurisdiction by registering to do business in New Mexico. The Court further finds that the exercise of specific personal jurisdiction over Defendant Ford Motor Company is proper.

Consequently, the Court finds that Defendant Ford Motor Company's Motion to Dismiss for Lack of Personal Jurisdiction is not well taken and should be denied.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that Defendant Ford Motor Company's Motion to Dismiss for Lack of Personal Jurisdiction is DENIED.

HON. FRANÇIS J. MARTHEW MATHEW

DISTRICT COURT JUDGE

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