

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

MARIA ELENA CHICAS, JOSHUA CHICAS,  
JOSE CHICAS, JR, JACOB CHICAS, and D.  
MARIA SCHMIDT as Personal Representative of  
the Wrongful Death Estate of JOSE CHICAS,  
Deceased,

*Plaintiffs,*

No. D-101-CV-2018-03023

v.

BAYERISCHE MOTOREN WERKE  
AG; BMW GROUP; BMW OF NORTH  
AMERICA, LLC, BMW (US)  
HOLDING CORP., BMW GROUP USA  
AND SANDIA AUTOMOTIVE CORP  
D/B/A SANDIA BMW

*Defendants.*

**ORDER ON DEFENDANT BEYERISCHE MOTOREN  
WERKE, AG'S MOTION TO DISMISS FOR LACK OF PERSONAL  
JURISDICTION AND REQUEST FOR INTERLOCUTORY APPEAL**

This matter came before the Court on Defendant Bayerische Motoren Werke, AG's ("BMW AG") Motion to Dismiss for Lack of Personal Jurisdiction. This Court reviewed the briefing by the Parties, conducted oral argument on September 6, 2019 and December 16, 2019, and is otherwise fully advised in the premises.

In consideration of the Parties' pleadings, the evidence submitted, and oral argument, the Court finds that the exercise of specific personal jurisdiction over Defendant Bayerische Motoren Werke, AG is proper. The Court finds general jurisdiction over Bayerische Motoren Werke, AG does not exist. Therefore, the Court DENIES Bayerische Motoren Werke, AG's Motion to Dismiss for Lack of Personal Jurisdiction.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that

Defendant Bayerische Motoren Werke, AG's Motion to Dismiss for Lack of Personal Jurisdiction is DENIED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Bayerische Motoren Werke, AG's request for an interlocutory appeal of the denial of Bayerische Motoren Werke, AG's Motion to Dismiss for Lack of Personal Jurisdiction is also hereby DENIED.

Any relief not expressly granted herein is DENIED.



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JUDGE MATTHEW J. WILSON  
First Judicial District Court

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