

# Exhibit 10

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Dear EC Members—

As you know, we have been in trial in New York City these past two weeks on the *Scheuer* bellwether case. Last evening, Mr. Scheuer decided to voluntarily dismiss his case. GM has stipulated to a dismissal with prejudice under Rule 41(a)(1)(A), with both sides bearing their own fees and costs.

We believe that Mr. Scheuer has made a carefully considered and correct decision. As you may have read in media accounts, GM filed a motion this week to add witnesses and submit evidence that would allegedly demonstrate that Mr. Scheuer committed a fraud on the Court. We vigorously contested the motion, but the Court, in a ruling from the bench, largely sided with GM. After rendering that ruling, Judge Furman then strongly encouraged the parties to meet and find a way to make the case “go away.” That suggestion, coupled with very thoughtful deliberation, has resulted in the stipulation of dismissal.

This result is, of course, disappointing. We believe that Plaintiff had been stating a strong case against GM. The expert testimony, in particular, was outstanding, and our trial team has been performing wonderfully. Judge Furman even called the trial “enjoyable.”

Everyone on the trial team has been pouring their hearts and souls into this case. And we have greatly appreciated all of the hard work that the EC members have devoted to the trial and trial preparation as well. So, it is with great regret that we have to deliver this news.

Nonetheless, we are not discouraged and look forward to continuing to zealously prosecute these cases. The evidence of GM's wrongful conduct is very strong, and we look forward to presenting it to future juries.

***Steve and bob***

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