

Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

**UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE SECOND CIRCUIT**

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NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE COUNCIL, INC.; and SIERRA CLUB,  
Petitioners,

v.

NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION; and LANA  
HURDLE, in her official capacity as Acting Secretary of the United States  
Department of Transportation,

Respondents.

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**PETITION FOR REVIEW  
of a final rule of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration**

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## PETITION FOR REVIEW

Pursuant to 49 U.S.C. § 32909, 5 U.S.C. § 702 et seq., and Federal Rule of Appellate Procedure 15, the Natural Resources Defense Council and Sierra Club hereby petition this Court to review and set aside an interim final rule of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration that partially reverses a 2016 inflation adjustment to the civil penalty for violations of Corporate Average Fuel Economy (CAFE) standards. The rule was published in the Federal Register at 86 Fed. Reg. 3016 (Jan. 14, 2021).

A copy of the challenged final rule is attached to this petition as Exhibit A.

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Respectfully submitted,

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