

ORAL ARGUMENT NOT YET SCHEDULED  
Nos. 23-7031, 23-7032

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IN THE  
**United States Court of Appeals**  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

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NEXTERA ENERGY GLOBAL HOLDINGS B.V., ET AL.,

*Petitioners-Appellees,*

v.

KINGDOM OF SPAIN,

*Respondent-Appellant.*

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9REN HOLDING S.A.R.L.,

*Plaintiff-Appellee,*

v.

KINGDOM OF SPAIN,

*Defendant-Appellant.*

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**On Appeal from the United States District Court for the District of Columbia  
Case Nos. 1:19-cv-1618 and 1:19-cv-1871  
Hon. Tanya S. Chutkan**

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**NOTICE OF INTENT OF INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION SCHOLARS  
AND PRACTITIONERS TO FILE AMICUS CURIAE BRIEF IN SUPPORT  
OF APPELLEES**

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Pursuant to Fed. R. App. P. 29(a) and D.C. Circuit Rule 29(b), *amici curiae*, scholars and practitioners of public international law and investor-state dispute settlement, including Prof. Crina Baltag, Prof. Diane Desierto, Dr. Richard Happ, Prof. Veronika Korom, Prof. Dr. Nikos Lavranos, Prof. Dr. Christoph Schreuer, Prof. Frédéric Sourgens, and Prof. Dr. Christian Tietje, hereby notify this Court of their intent to file an *amicus curiae* brief in support of the Appellees in the above-captioned appeals.

All parties to these appeals have consented to the filing of this brief.

*Amici* are scholars and practitioners of public international law and investor-state dispute settlement. *Amici* will address the public international law obligations of Contracting States under the International Convention on the Settlement of Investment Disputes between States and Nationals of Other States, Mar. 18, 1965, 17 U.S.T. 1270 (the “ICSID Convention” or “Washington Convention”). *Amici*’s scholarship and experience in the fields of public international law in general and investor-state dispute settlement in particular prepare them to be of respectful assistance to the Court in its consideration of the issues presented by these cases.

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