UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR
THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

CASE NO. 1:20-cv-20078-RNS

MARIA DOLORES CANTO MARTI, as personal representative of the Estates of Dolores Marti Mercade and Fernando Canto Bory,

Plaintiff,

v.

IBEROSTAR HOTELES Y APARTAMENTOS, S.L., a Spanish limited liability company,

Defendant.

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DEFENDANT'S STATUS REPORT

Defendant IBEROSTAR HOTELES Y APARTAMENTOS, S.L.U. ("Iberostar") submits[1] this status report pursuant to this Court's Order Granting Defendant's Motion to Stay Proceedings dated April 24, 2020 (D.E. 17), directing Defendant to submit status reports every 30 days on its request for authorization to the European Union Commission. Defendant states as follows:

1. On April 15, 2020, Iberostar filed an application for authorization from the European Commission to respond to the Complaint in this action. Defendant's Motion to Stay, ¶ 2. (D.E. 16).

2. On May 19, 2020, the European Commission acknowledged receipt of Defendant's application for authorization. The Commission also confirmed that it "is currently analysing

[1] Iberostar reserves all its rights and will move to dismiss based on its Rule 12 defenses when it receives authorization to do so from the European Commission.

[Defendant's] application for an authorisation and the additional information provided, and will take a decision in due course."

3. Defendant will keep this Court duly updated of any developments on the request for authorization from the European Commission.

Filed this 26th day of May, 2020.

Respectfully Submitted,

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