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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF ALASKA

CRUISE LINES INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION ALASKA, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

Case No. 1:16-cv-00008-HRH

CITY AND BOROUGH OF JUNEAU, ALASKA, *et al.*,

Defendants.

JOINT STATUS REPORT

Pursuant to the Court's order entered April 24, 2017 (ECF No. 54), Plaintiffs Cruise Lines

International Association Alaska and Cruise Lines International Association ("Plaintiffs") and Defendants

City and Borough of Juneau, Alaska and Rorie Watt ("Defendants") (collectively, the "Parties") hereby submit the following report as to the status of this case.

1. Plaintiffs filed their Complaint (ECF No. 1) on April 13, 2016. On May 18, 2016, Plaintiffs filed their First Amended Complaint (ECF No. 16-1) ("FAC"), which was entered on the docket on August 10, 2016 (ECF No. 28). Defendants answered the FAC on October 28, 2016 (ECF No. 40).

2. The Parties' discovery thus far has been governed by the Court's Amended Scheduling Order (ECF No. 48), entered on January 25, 2017. On March 16, 2017, the Court granted the Parties' joint request for a stay of all pre-trial deadlines, through April 14, 2017 (ECF No. 50), to permit the Parties to engage in settlement efforts. On April 24, 2017, at the Parties' joint request, the Court stayed all pre-trial deadlines for an additional thirty days, through and including May 21, 2017 (ECF No. 54).

3. The Parties engaged in active and extensive settlement discussions. The Parties' principals met in person numerous times to discuss the form and substance of a possible settlement. Both sides devoted a significant amount of time and energy toward reaching a potential resolution of this matter.

4. Despite best efforts, the Parties have not agreed upon the terms of an acceptable settlement. The Parties will continue to use their best efforts to reconcile the differences in their positions that have precluded an agreement to date.

5. As such, the Parties request that the Court permit the Parties to provide the Court with proposed dates for an amended scheduling and planning order on or before June 13, 2017, and that any pretrial dates that would otherwise come due under the Court's Order of April 24, 2017 will similarly be addressed in a proposed amended scheduling and planning order.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on May 21, 2017, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing Joint Status Report to be served via the Court's electronic filing system, on counsel for Defendants and upon the Honorable H. Russel Holland, Judge District Court of Alaska.

/s/ Kathleen E. Kraft Kathleen E. Kraft