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	21 22	KAZUO OKADA, an individual, ARUZE USA, INC., a Nevada corporation, and UNIVERSAL ENTERTAINMENT CORP., a Japanese	THE DEPOSITION TRANSCRIPT OF ELAINE P. WYNN				
	22	corporation,	Electronic Filing Case				

23	Defendants.	Hearing Date: Sept. 27, 2016 Hearing Time: 8:30 a.m.
25	AND ALL RELATED CLAIMS.	
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27	Defendants Aruze USA Inc. Universa	l Entertainment Corp. and Kazuo Okada (the
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"Aruze Parties") filed their Motion to Compel Service of Certain Filings and the Deposition 2 Transcript of Elaine P. Wynn (the "Motion") on September 23, 2016. After briefing, the Motion 3 came before this Court for hearing on September 27, 2016. James J. Pisanelli, Esq., Todd L. 4 Bice, Esq., and Debra L. Spinelli, Esq., of PISANELLI BICE PLLC, appeared on behalf of 5 Plaintiff/Counterdefendant Wynn Resorts, Limited ("WRL") and Counterdefendants Linda 6 Chen, Russell Goldsmith, Ray R. Irani, Robert J. Miller, John A. Moran, Marc D. Schorr, Alvin 7 V. Shoemaker, Kimmarie Sinatra, D. Boone Wayson, and Allan Zeman (collectively, with WRL, 8 the "Wynn Parties"). Donald J. Campbell, Esq. of Campbell & Williams, appeared on behalf of 9 Counterdefendant/Cross-defendant Stephen A. Wynn ("Mr. Wynn"). Dan Polsenberg, Esq. of 10 Lewis Roca Rothgerber Christie, LLP, William R. Urga, Esq. and David J. Malley, Esq. of Jolley 11 Urga Woodbury & Little, and Michael Zeller of Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan LLP, 12 appeared on behalf of Counterdefendant/Counterclaimant/Cross-claimant Elaine P. Wynn ("Ms. 13 Wynn"). And, J. Stephen Peek, Esq. and Robert J. Cassity, Esq. of Holland & Hart LLP appeared 14 on behalf of the Aruze Parties. 15

The Court having considered the Motion, the Opposition filed by Ms. Wynn, as well as the arguments of counsel presented at the hearing, and good cause appearing therefor, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the Motion is GRANTED as follows:

19 During the September 20, 2016 hearing, the Court found that Ms. Wynn is not an 1. 20 employee of Wynn Resorts, Limited. Therefore, there is no potential retaliation and no 21 protection under the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 ("SOX"). The Court also found that Ms. 22 Wynn is not providing information to agencies that would fall within the Dodd-Frank Wall Street 23 Reform and Consumer Protection Act ("DFA"). Therefore, Ms. Wynn is not entitled to 24 protection under the DFA at this time. 25 Ms. Wynn has failed to establish a basis upon which any party is not required to 2. 26 comply with Rule 5(a) of the Nevada Rules of Civil Procedure with respect to filings that 27 concern information Ms. Wynn claims is subject to protection under SOX or DFA. 28 Page 2

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Ms. Wynn shall immediately serve the Aruze Parties with all of her filings that 3. have not been served upon the Aruze Parties on the basis of Ms. Wynn's claim of protections under SOX or the DFA, subject to the provisions of the Protocol Regarding Service of Filings Related to Motion to Disqualify Quinn Emanuel dated September 20, 2016 (the "Protocol") for filings containing information that is the subject of a claim of attorney-client privilege and/or work product doctrine.

The Wynn Parties shall immediately serve the Aruze Parties with all of their 4. filings that have not been served upon the Aruze Parties on the basis of Ms. Wynn's claim of protections under SOX or the DFA, subject to the provisions of the Protocol for filings containing information that is the subject of a claim of attorney-client privilege and/or work product doctrine.

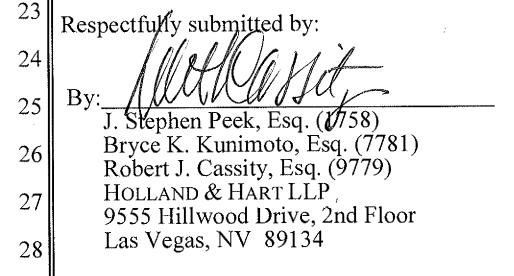
The Wynn Parties and Ms. Wynn shall provide to counsel for the Aruze Parties a 5. copy of the deposition transcript of Ms. Wynn's deposition taken on August 15, 2016.

This Order is stayed until October 20, 2016 to enable Ms. Wynn to seek writ 6. relief from the Nevada Supreme Court. Absent relief from the Nevada Supreme Court, Ms. Wynn and the Wynn Parties shall comply with the requirements of Paragraphs 3-5 of this Order no later than October 21, 2016.

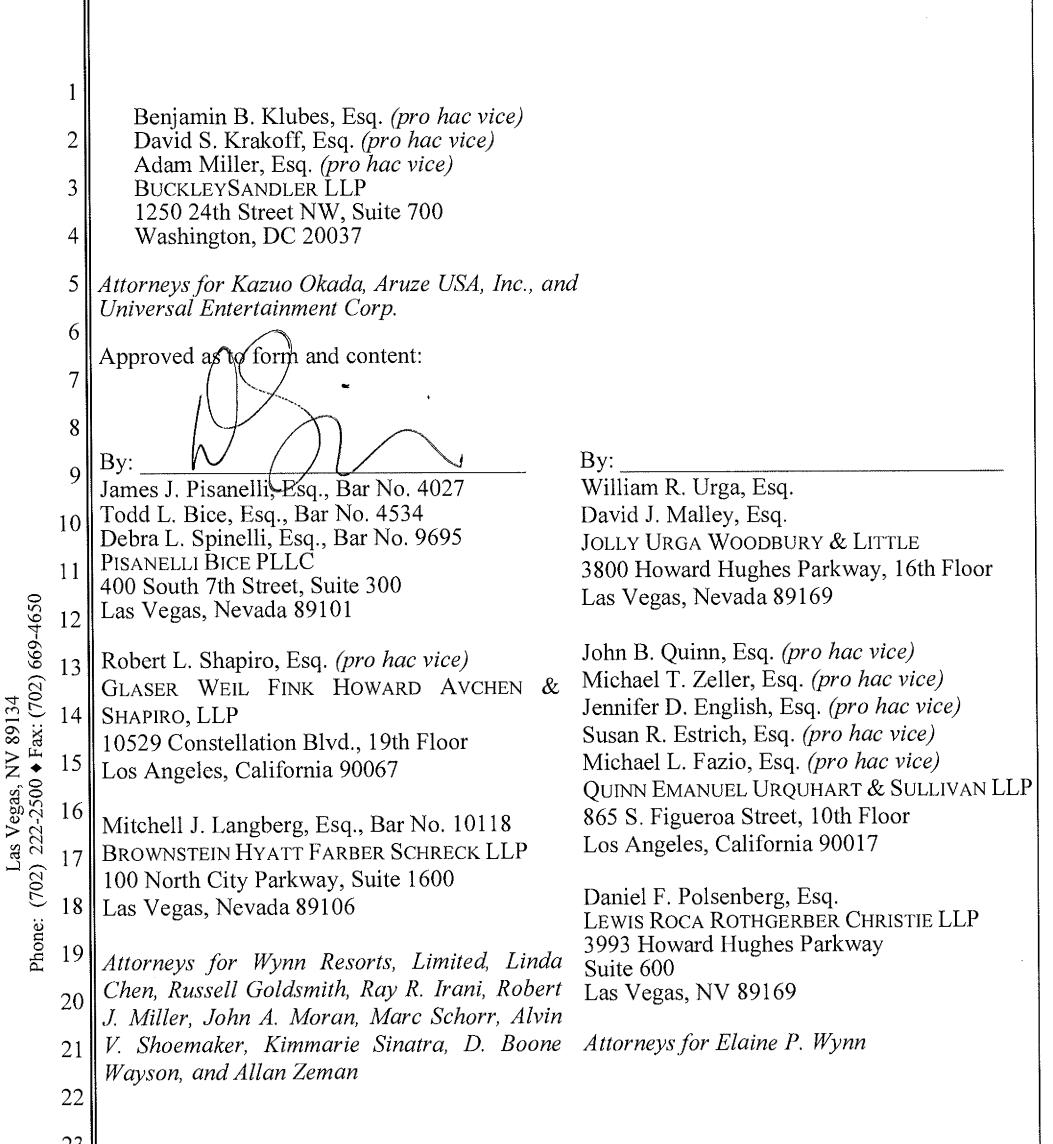
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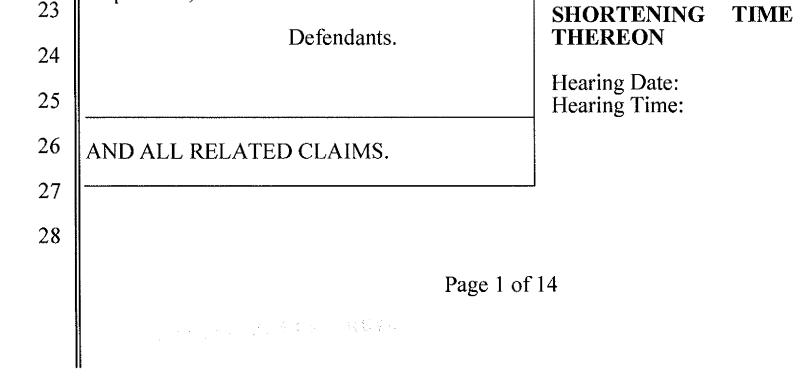
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	23	corporation,	EX PARTE APPLICATION FOR ORDER SHORTENING TIME AND ORDER



Universal Entertainment Corporation, Aruze USA, Inc., and Mr. Kazuo Okada, (collectively, the "Aruze Parties") respectfully move the Court for an order compelling the Wynn Parties¹ and Elaine P. Wynn to serve them with unredacted copies of all filings that have not been served upon the Aruze Parties, including all exhibits thereto (collectively, the "Withheld Briefs"²), subject to the protocol entered by the Court for challenging information within the Withheld Briefs that is claimed to be protected by the attorney-client privilege or work product doctrine.³ As of now, the Withheld Briefs include at least the following:

Elaine P. Wynn's (1) Memorandum re: Wynn Resorts' Waiver Arguments and (2) (1)Motion Requiring Wynn Resorts' Reciprocal Compliance with Protocol and for Orders Requiring Turnover of Privileged Matter, Injunctive Relief, Protection and Other Appropriate Relief (filed July 7, 2016);

WRL's Response Memorandum Re: Wynn Resorts' Waiver Arguments and WRL's (2)Opposition to Elaine P. Wynn's Motion Requiring Wynn Resorts' Reciprocal Compliance with Protocol and for Orders Requiring Turnover of Privileged Matter, Injunctive Relief, Protection and Other Appropriate Relief and Appendix Thereto (filed July 18, 2016);

(3)Elaine P. Wynn's Status Report Regarding Proposed ESI Protocol for July 21, 2016 Hearing (filed July 20, 2016);

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- and (in most instances) redacted briefs. To the extent any of the Wynn Parties (including Mr. Wynn) or 24 Ms. Wynn have submitted and/or filed any other motions and/or papers without serving them on the Aruze 25 Parties, the Aruze Parties move to compel the service of complete, unreducted copies of any such motions and papers to be served immediately.
 - ³ On September 20, 2016, the Court entered a Protocol Regarding Service of Filings Related to Motion to Disqualify Quinn Emanuel (the "Protocol"), which allows the Aruze Parties to address information (within certain filings) that is claimed to be subject to the attorney-client privilege or work product doctrine.

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The Wynn Parties consist of Plaintiff/Counterdefendant Wynn Resorts, Limited and Counterdefendants Linda Chen, Russell Goldsmith, Ray R. Irani, Robert J. Miller, John A. Moran, Marc D. Schorr, Alvin V. Shoemaker, Kimmarie Sinatra, D. Boone Wayson, and Allan Zeman.

² The Aruze Parties have identified those motions and briefs for which they have received accompanying 23 motions to seal but which WRL and Ms. Wynn have refused to serve them with copies of either the actual

(4) Elaine P. Wynn's Reply in Support of Memorandum re: Wynn Resorts' Waiver
 Arguments (filed July 20, 2016);

3 (5) Elaine P. Wynn's Response to Wynn Resorts, Limited's Motion for Limited and
4 Specific Relief Related to the Protective Order With Respect to Confidentiality (filed August 10,
5 (2016);

6 (6) Elaine P. Wynn's Supplement to Motion for Protective Order Regarding Wynn
7 Resorts' Violations of Dodd-Frank and Sarbanes-Oxley Act on Order Shortening Time, or in the
8 Alternative, Motion for Stay of Discovery Pending Resolution of the Motion and/or Writ Petition
9 if the Motion is Denied (filed August 10, 2016);

10 (7) Elaine P. Wynn's Motion to Clarify or, in the Alternative, Stay the Court's
11 Temporary Restraining Order Dated August 12, 2016, Pending Appeal (filed August 29, 2016)
12 (the Aruze Parties were served only with a redacted copy);

(8) Elaine P. Wynn's Motion for Protective Order, or in the Alternative for
 Preliminary Injunction, to Prevent Wynn Resorts from Reviewing Ms. Wynn's Privileged
 Information (filed August 29, 2016) (the Aruze Parties were served only with a redacted copy);

(9) Wynn Resorts, Limited's Motion to Compel Elaine P. Wynn to Answer Deposition Questions, to Extend Deposition Time and for Sanctions (filed August 30, 2016);

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(10) Wynn Resorts Limited's Opposition to Elaine P. Wynn's Motion for Protective
 Order to Prevent WRL from Reviewing Ms. Wynn's Privileged Information (filed September 1,
 2016) (the Aruze Parties have sequestered this brief pending motion practice).

(11) Elaine P. Wynn's Opposition to Motion to Compel Elaine P. Wynn to Answer
Deposition Questions, to Extend Deposition Time and for Sanctions (filed on September 1, 2016)
(the Aruze Parties were served only with a redacted copy);

24 (12) Wynn Resorts, Limited's Supplemental Opposition to Elaine P. Wynn's Motion
25 for Protective Order, Or in the Alternative, Motion for Stay of Discovery (filed on September 7,
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(13)1 Elaine P. Wynn's Supplemental Reply in Support of Her Motion for Protective Order Regarding Wynn Resorts' Violations of the Dodd-Frank and Sarbanes-Oxley Act, or in the 2 3 Alternative, Motion for Stay (filed on September 16, 2016);

(14)Elaine P. Wynn's Notice of Filing Errata to Deposition Transcript of Elaine P. 4 5 Wynn Taken August 15, 2016 (filed September 19, 2016); and

6 (15)Elaine P. Wynn's Motion for Leave to Take Discovery Regarding Her Protected Status and Wynn Resorts' Violations of the Dodd-Frank and Sarbanes-Oxley Whistleblower Anti-Retaliation Statutes on Order Shortening Time (filed September 19, 2016).⁴

The Aruze Parties further move the Court for an order requiring the Wynn Parties and 9 10 Elaine Wynn to provide them with a copy of the deposition transcript of Elaine P. Wynn, which was taken on or about August 15, 2016. The Aruze Parties request that this Motion be heard on 11 12 shortened time.

> Dated this day of September 2016.

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⁴ Pursuant to a minute order dated September 6, 2016, the Court has already required the Wynn Parties and 22 Ms. Wynn to serve the Aruze Parties with unredacted copies of (1) Elaine P. Wynn's Motion for Protective Order Regarding Wynn Resorts' Violations of the Dodd-Frank and Sarbanes-Oxley Act on Order 23 Shortening Time, or in the Alternative, Motion for Stay of Discovery Pending Resolution of the Motion

and/or Writ Petition if the Motion is Denied (filed August 9, 2016); and (2) Wynn Resorts Limited's 24 Opposition to Elaine P. Wynn's Motion for Protective Order or in the Alternative, Motion for Stay of Discovery (filed August 11, 2016). On September 20, 2016, the Court entered an order memorializing the 25 September 6 minute order. For that reason, these filings are not identified above but the Aruze Parties seek compliance with that Order for which no stay has been granted. Further, the Aruze Parties have identified 26 all of the withheld filings of which they are aware. WRL has suggested that some of the Withheld Briefs are only being withheld on the basis of attorney-client privilege or work product doctrine, but Ms. Wynn's 27 counsel has not confirmed her position as to these filings. 28

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EX PARTE APPLICATION FOR ORDER SHORTENING TIME

Pursuant to EDCR 2.26, the Aruze Parties apply to the Court *ex parte* for an Order Shortening Time for the hearing of Defendants' Motion to Compel ("Motion").

As explained in the Declaration of Robert J. Cassity below, good cause supports the Aruze Parties' request for an order shortening time. For over a month now, the Wynn Parties and Elaine Wynn have refused to serve the Aruze Parties with the Withheld Briefs. Before filing this Motion, the Aruze Parties' counsel held a meet-and-confer conference call with counsel for WRL and Elaine Wynn on September 14, 2016 at 3:00 p.m. The parties discussed a procedure for addressing information claimed to be subject of the attorney-client privilege and work product doctrine, and the Court has since entered a Protocol to address such filings. For those filings that contain information alleged by Ms. Wynn to be protected under certain whistleblower laws, including the Dodd-Frank Act and Sarbanes-Oxley Act, counsel for the Wynn Parties does not object to providing those materials to the Aruze Parties, but they will not serve them absent a Court order because Ms. Wynn has refused to consent to the service of the requested filings. During the conference call, counsel for Ms. Wynn has refused to provide any of the Withheld Briefs or other filings related to the so-called "whistleblower" issues to the Aruze Parties. Because the Withheld Briefs relate to other hearings that have been held and are scheduled to be held before the Court, a hearing on shortened time is necessary. Accordingly, the Aruze Parties respectfully request that the Court set the Motion for hearing on shortened time.

Dated this day of September 2016.

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Washington DC 20037 1 Attorneys for Defendant Kazuo Okada and 2 Defendants/Counterclaimants Aruze USA, Inc., and Universal Entertainment Corp. 3 4 **DECLARATION OF ROBERT J. CASSITY** 5 I, Robert J. Cassity, declare as follows: I am over 18 years of age and am competent to testify as to the matters set forth 6 1. 7 in this Declaration based upon my own personal knowledge. 8 2. I am an attorney at Holland & Hart LLP, counsel for Defendant Kazuo Okada 9 and Defendants and Counterclaimants Aruze USA, Inc. and Universal Entertainment Corp. 10 (collectively, the "Aruze Parties" or "Defendants") in this action. I make this Declaration in support of Defendants' Motion to Compel Service of Certain Filings and the Deposition 11 12 Transcript of Elaine P. Wynn ("Motion"). 13 3. Good cause supports the Aruze Parties' request for an order shortening time. 14 For over a month now, the Wynn Parties and Elaine Wynn have refused to serve the Aruze 15 Parties with the Withheld Briefs. 16 4. Before filing this Motion, the Aruze Parties' counsel held a meet-and-confer 17 conference call with counsel for WRL and Elaine Wynn on September 14, 2016 at 3:00 p.m., in 18 which the parties discussed a procedure for addressing information claimed to be subject of the 19 attorney-client privilege and work product doctrine, and the Court has since entered a Protocol 20 to address such filings. For those filings that contain information alleged by Ms. Wynn to be 21 protected under certain whistleblower laws, including the Dodd-Frank Act and Sarbanes-Oxley 22 Act, counsel for the Wynn Parties does not object to providing those materials to the Aruze 23 Parties, but they will not serve them absent a Court order because Ms. Wynn has refused to

 $24 \parallel$ consent to the service of the requested filings.

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- 5. During the conference call, counsel for Ms. Wynn refused to provide any of the
- 26 Withheld Briefs or other filings related to the so-called "whistleblower" issues to the Aruze
- 27 Parties. Because the Withheld Briefs relate to other hearings that have been held and are
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scheduled to be held before the Court, a hearing on shortened time is necessary. Accordingly, 1 the Aruze Parties respectfully request that the Court set the Motion for hearing on shortened 2 time, and specifically on September 27. 3 6. This request for shortened time is made in good faith and not for any improper 4 motive. 5 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. 6 day of September, 2016, in Las Vegas, Clark County, Nevada. Executed this 7 8 9 Robert J. Cassity 10 **ORDER SHORTENING TIME** 11 Having considered the Ex Parte Application for Order Shortening Time Filed by the 12 Aruze Parties, and good cause appearing, 9555 Hillwood Drive, 2nd Floor 13 Las Vegas, Nevada 89134 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that THE ARUZE PARTIES' MOTION TO COMPEL 14 SERVICE OF CERTAIN FILINGS AND THE DEPOSITION TRANSCRIPT OF ELAINE P. 15 WYNN shall come for hearing before Department XI of the above-entitled Court on the $\sqrt{2}$ 16 day of AT 2016 at the hour of a.m./p.m. 17 DATED this 23 day of SEPT , 2016. 18 19 COUR DIST JUDGE 20 Jur 21 22 23

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I. **INTRODUCTION**

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For over a month now, the Wynn Parties and Elaine Wynn have refused to serve the Aruze 2 Parties with a number of motions and briefs that they have filed with the Court. This violates 3 Rule 5 of the Nevada Rules of Civil Procedure, which is controlling and which requires service of 4 all motions and related briefing on all parties. But for the accompanying motions to seal, the 5 Aruze Parties would not have known that WRL and Ms. Wynn had submitted many of these 6 briefs to the Court and served them on all other parties to the case. The purported grounds for 7 withholding the Withheld Briefs are that (1) some of the filings contain attorney-client privilege 8 issues related to the motion to disqualify Quinn Emanuel; and (2) Ms. Wynn claims that certain 9 10 information in some of the filings is protected by federal and/or state whistleblower laws. The Court has now entered a Protocol which addresses the first category by allowing the Aruze Parties to challenge information subject to a claim of the attorney-client privilege or work product 12 doctrine. Thus, this Motion is directed to the second category of filings that are allegedly subject to whistleblower protections (as well as any other undisclosed basis for withholding such filings) and the deposition of Ms. Wynn.

Rule 5 specifically requires parties to serve all other parties with copies of all motions and related briefs, yet WRL and Ms. Wynn have refused to comply with this Rule. In addition, there are no valid claims of any federal or state law whistleblower protections that excuse WRL and/or Ms. Wynn from serving the Aruze Parties with unredacted copies of the Withheld Briefs. Given 20 Ms. Wynn's ongoing refusal to serve the Aruze Parties with copies of the Withheld Briefs that allegedly contain such information, the Aruze Parties have been forced to seek relief from the Court. Accordingly, the Aruze Parties request that the Court order WRL and Ms. Wynn to immediately serve unredacted copies of the Withheld Briefs and all other and future filings-

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> subject to the procedure in the Protocol for any information subject to a claim of attorney-client 24 25 privilege or work product doctrine—and Ms. Wynn's deposition transcript upon the Aruze Parties. 26 27 /// 28 Page 9 of 14

II. <u>ARGUMENT</u>

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WRL and Ms. Wynn Should Be Ordered to Immediately Serve the Aruze Parties With Copies of The Withheld Briefs.

Rule 5(a) of the Nevada Rules of Civil Procedure governs the service of motions on parties to the proceedings and requires the service of all motions and related papers upon the Aruze Parties:

Except as otherwise provided in these rules, ... every written motion other than one which may be heard ex parte, and every written notice, appearance, demand, offer of judgment, designation of record on appeal, and similar paper shall be served upon each of the parties.

10 NRCP 5(a) (emphasis added).

NRCP 5(a) therefore requires WRL and Ms. Wynn to serve the Withheld Briefs upon the Aruze Parties, but they still refuse to do so. For this reason alone, the Court should require service of the Withheld Briefs.

Moreover, there is no legal basis to shield such information from the Aruze Parties. Ms. Wynn has claimed that she is entitled to certain protections which may be afforded to an individual who, under certain statutes (including The Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act and the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002), is a "whistleblower." But these protections are *not privileges*, and do not provide a basis upon which to refuse to serve a party to the proceedings with their filings. While these "whistleblower" protections may guard against retaliatory actions by the individual's employer, they do not amount to a "privilege" upon which a party may withhold information from (and refuse to serve related briefing on) a co-litigant in a civil lawsuit.⁵ Not only has Ms. Wynn failed to supply the Court with any case authority authorizing the withholding of such information from a co-litigant either in briefs filed with court

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or during a deposition, neither Ms. Wynn and WRL have established that such information should
 be shielded from the Aruze Parties in any event.⁶ Ms. Wynn has not filed any motion permitting
 ⁵ Of course, it is undisputed that the Aruze Parties are not Ms. Wynn's "employer" and could not engage in any retaliatory actions against her that would be subject to protection under these statutes.
 ⁶ The cases that have been cited by Ms. Wynn do not authorize or in any way support her continued refusal

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her to refuse service upon the Aruze Parties, and the Court observed during the September 15 1 hearing that it had not entered any order authorizing Ms. Wynn to refuse to serve the Aruze 2 Parties with any such filings. Because Ms. Wynn has failed to identify any legitimate basis upon 3 which to refuse to serve any of the Withheld Briefs, the Court should order all filings that Ms. 4 Wynn has failed to serve upon the Aruze Parties, including the Withheld Briefs, to be served upon 5 them in unredacted format immediately-and to direct that any future filings that are not the 6 subject of a claim of attorney-client privilege or work product doctrine to likewise be served upon 7 the Aruze Parties.⁷ 8

C. The Court Should Compel the Wynn Parties and Ms. Wynn to Provide a Complete, Unredacted Copy of Ms. Wynn's Deposition Transcript to the Aruze Parties.

Ms. Wynn's deposition transcript should likewise be provided to the Aruze Parties in an unredacted form. Neither WRL nor Ms. Wynn have claimed that any of the information discussed during Ms. Wynn's deposition constitutes privileged information. And as discussed above, any possible "whistleblower" protections that may apply to information discussed during Ms. Wynn's deposition do not amount to any privilege that would shield such information from disclosure to the Aruze Parties. In addition, the Court's recent comments during the September 2, 2016 hearing confirm that Ms. Wynn's deposition transcript contains no information that should be shielded from the Aruze Parties. See 9/2/16 Hr'g Tr. at 53:3-6; ("I intend[ed] it to originally relate only to the issues of the disqualification, not to the other issues. And so I am not able

21 to serve the Withheld Briefs upon the Aruze Parties. See Elaine Wynn's Objections and Responses to the Okada Parties' and Wynn Resorts' Notice of Submission ("Objections and Responses"), at 5 (citing 22 Halliburton, Inc. v. Admin. Review Bd., 771 F.3d 254, 262 (5th Cir. 2014) (per curiam) (holding that employer revealing the identity of whistleblower to whistleblower's colleagues amounted to retaliation 23 under Sarbanes-Oxley, but the court did not address the service of filings on co-litigants); Guitron v. Wells Fargo Bank, NA, 2012 WL 2708517, at *16 (N.D. Cal. July 6, 2012), aff'd, 619 Fed. Appx. 590 (9th Cir. 24 2015) (holding that state privilege did not bar federal action under American Disabilities Act, but not 25 discussing service of filings on co-litigants); Pardi v. Kaiser Found. Hospitals, 389 F.3d 840, 851-52 (9th Cir. 2004) (discussing two plaintiff's retaliation and discriminatory practices claims, but not addressing 26 service of filings on co-litigants)).

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⁷ Although the Court invited counsel for Ms. Wynn at the September 15 hearing to file a motion to allow 27 her not to serve the Aruze Parties, no such motion has been submitted.

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necessarily to discern what is and is not being served on the Aurze [sic] parties, which is why I 1 am in this quandary") (emphasis added); id. at 53:10-15 ("I did limit, though, Mr. Peek's 2 participation in the deposition of Ms. Wynn related to those particular issues because of the 3 overlapping privilege issues that I perceived might occur in the deposition. But after reading 4 5 portions of the transcript, I was clearly mistaken.") (Emphasis added).

Because WRL and Ms. Wynn have failed to demonstrate the existence of any privileged 6 information in Ms. Wynn's deposition transcript, and because Ms. Wynn has failed to 7 demonstrate how any federal whistleblower laws would allow her to prevent a co-litigant from 8 receiving said information, the Court should require WRL and Ms. Wynn to provide the Aruze 9 10 Parties with a complete, unredacted copy of Ms. Wynn's deposition transcript.

CONCLUSION III.

For these reasons, the Court should order WRL and Ms. Wynn to immediately provide the Aruze Parties with complete, unredacted copies of the Withheld Briefs and any other filings that they have not served upon the Aruze Parties (subject to the Court's Protocol for resolving information subject to a claim of attorney-client privilege or work product doctrine), as well as a complete, unredacted copy of Ms. Wynn's deposition transcript.

May of September 2016. Dated this

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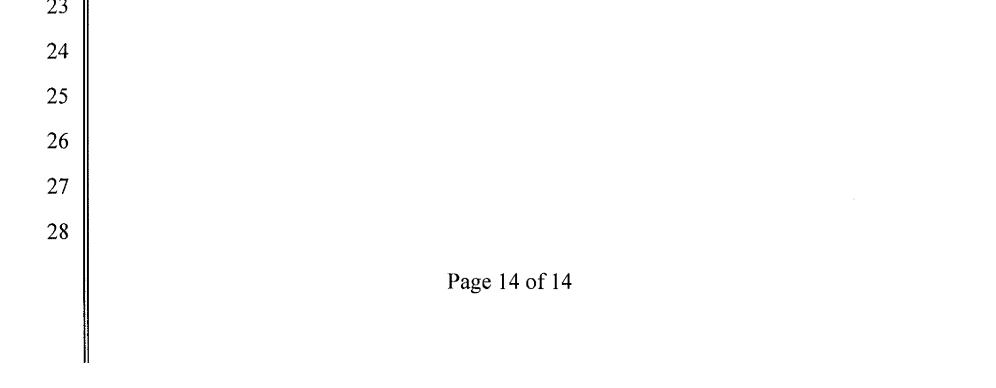


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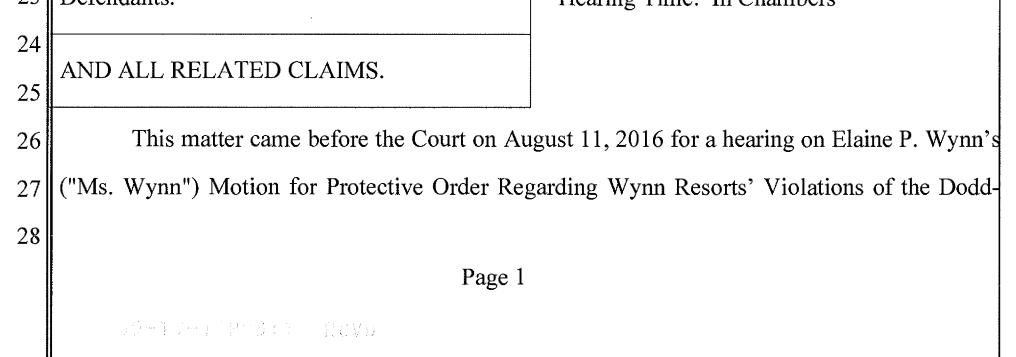
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Frank and Sarbanes-Oxley Act on Order Shortening Time, or in the Alternative, Motion for Stay 2 of Discovery Pending Resolution of the Motion and/or Writ Petition if the Motion is Denied 3 (filed August 9, 2016) ("Ms. Wynn's Motion for Protective Order"), during which the Court 4 directed Wynn Resorts, Limited ("WRL") to provide proposed redactions of Ms. Wynn's Motion 5 for Protective Order and Wynn Resorts, Limited's Opposition to Elaine P. Wynn's Motion for 6 Protective Order or in the Alternative, Motion for Stay of Discovery (filed August 11, 2016) 7 ("WRL's Opposition"). On August 23, 2016, WRL filed a Notice of Submission of Materials for 8 In Camera Review ("Notice of Submission"), with which it provided to the Court proposed 9 redactions for Ms. Wynn's Motion for Protective Order and WRL's Opposition.

The Court having reviewed and considered WRL's Notice of Submission, WRL's proposed redactions and sealing of Ms. Wynn's Motion for Protective Order and WRL's Opposition submitted in camera with WRL's Notice of Submission, and the Aruze Parties' Response to the Notice of Submission (filed August 31, 2016), and the Court having issued a minute order dated September 6, 2016, and good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the proposed redactions to Ms. Wynn's Motion for Protective Order and WRL's Opposition are APPROVED for purposes of filing with the Clerk's Office and the requested sealing is PERMITTED, in light of the commercially sensitive information contained therein.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Ms. Wynn shall forthwith serve an unredacted and 20 unsealed copy of Ms. Wynn's Motion for Protective Order, together with all exhibits thereto, 21 upon all counsel for all parties in the litigation who are bound by the Protective Order With 22 Respect to Confidentiality (filed February 14, 2013) (the "Protective Order"), and shall file a

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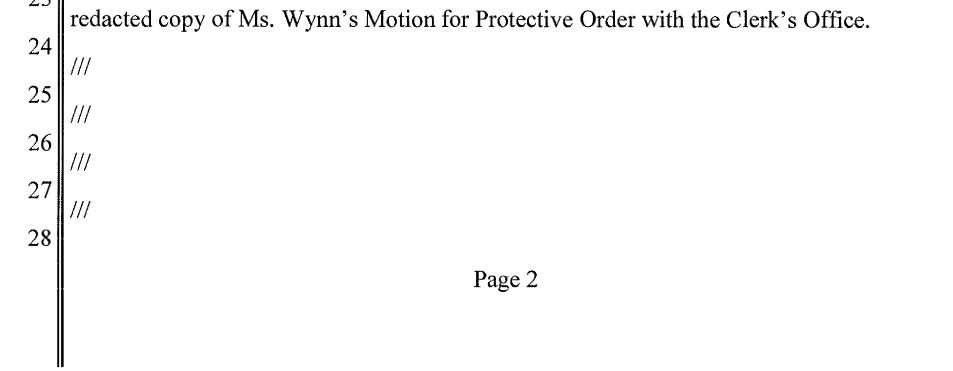
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1 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that WRL shall forthwith serve an unredacted and unsealed 2 copy of WRL's Opposition, together with all exhibits thereto, upon all counsel for all parties in 3 the litigation who are bound by the Protective Order, and shall file a redacted copy of WRL's 4 Opposition with the Clerk's Office. 5 DATED this $20^{\prime\prime}$ day of September 2016. 6 7 ZABETH GONZALEZ EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT 8 9 Respectfully submitted by: 10 11 Phone: (702) 222-2500 + Fax: (702) 669-4650 12 By: Stephen Peek, Esq. (1758) 9555 Hillwood Drive, 2nd Floor 13 Bryee K. Kunimoto, Esq. (7781) Robert J. Cassity, Esq. (9779) NV 89134 14 HOLLAND & HART LLP 9555 Hillwood Drive, 2nd Floor 15 Las Vegas, NV 89134 Las Vegas, 16 Benjamin B. Klubes, Esq. (pro hac vice) David S. Krakoff, Esq. (pro hac vice) 17 Adam Miller, Esq. (pro hac vice) BUCKLEYSANDLER LLP 18 1250 24th Street NW, Suite 700 Washington, DC 20037 19 Attorneys for Kazuo Okada, Aruze USA, Inc., and 20 Universal Entertainment Corp. 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 Page 3

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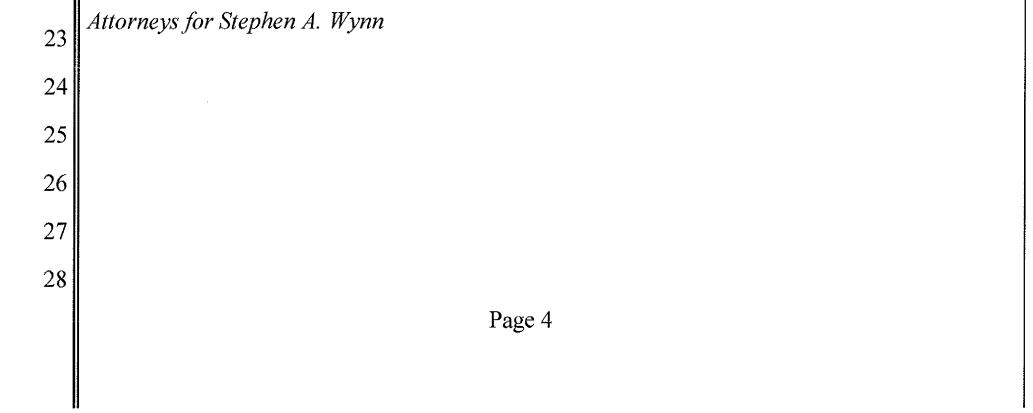


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DISTRICT COURT CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA

Business Court		COURT MINUTES	September 06, 2016	
A-12-656710-B	Wynn Resorts,	Limited, Plaintiff(s)		
	VS.			
	Kazuo Okada, I	Defendant(s)		
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HEARD BY: Gonza	lez, Elizabeth	COURTROOM:	RJC Courtroom 14C	
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PARTIES None PRESENT:	e. Minute order o	nly – no hearing held.		

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- The Court reviewed in camera the proposed redaction by Wynn of Elaine Wynn's Motion for Protective Order Regarding Wynn Resorts Violation of the Dodd-Frank and Sarbanes-Oxley Act and Wynn Resorts Opposition to Elaine Wynn's motion for Protective Order, or in the Alternative, Motion for Stay of Discovery and the submission filed 8/23 (Wynn) and 8/31 (Aruze), APPROVES the redactions for purposes of filing with the Clerk's Office and PERMITS sealing because the information is commercially sensitive, pending hearing on Motion to Seal. Both pleadings should be served in an unredacted and unsealed form upon all counsel for all parties in the litigation who are bound by the stipulated protective order entered in this matter.

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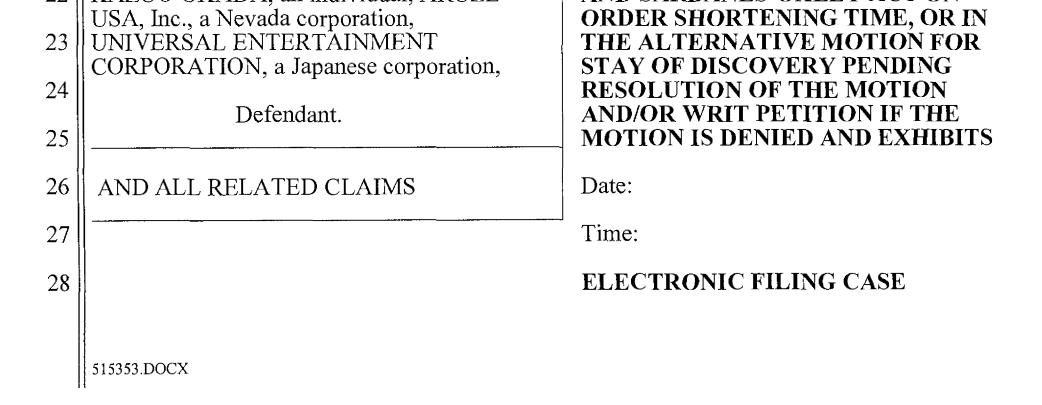
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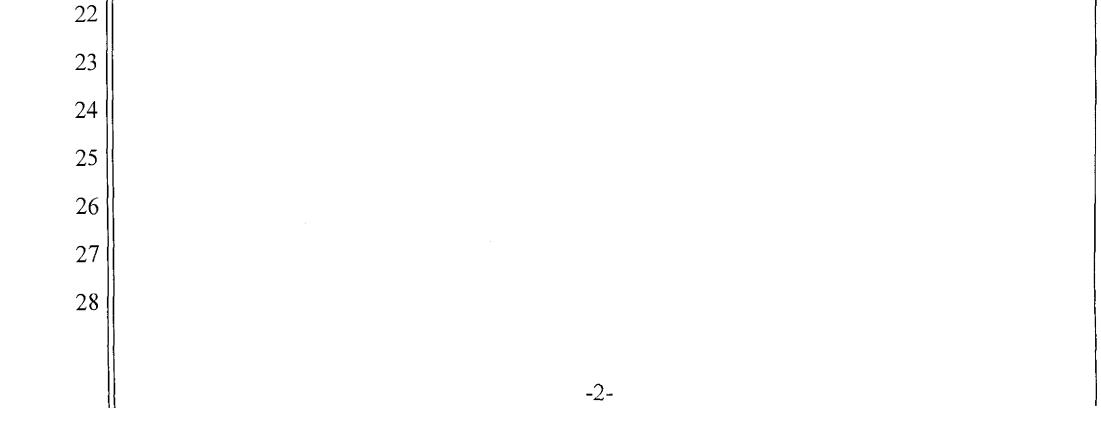
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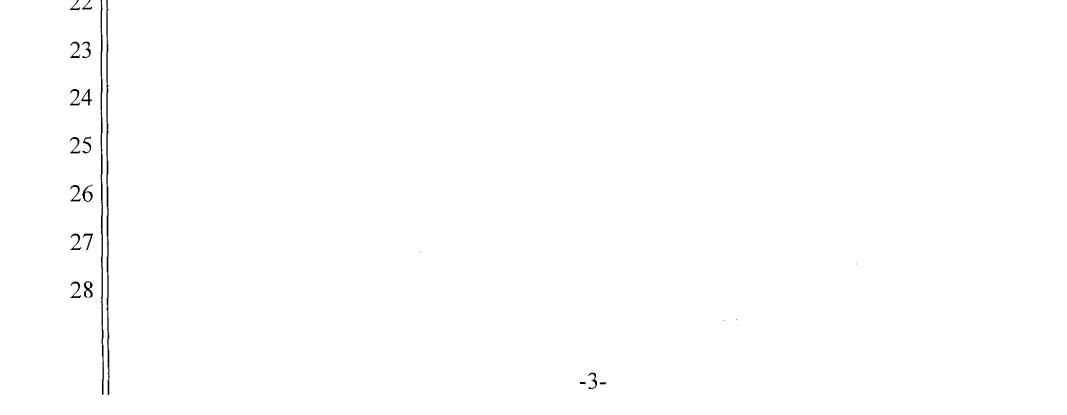
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21	VS.	HER MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER REGARDING WYNN RESORTS'
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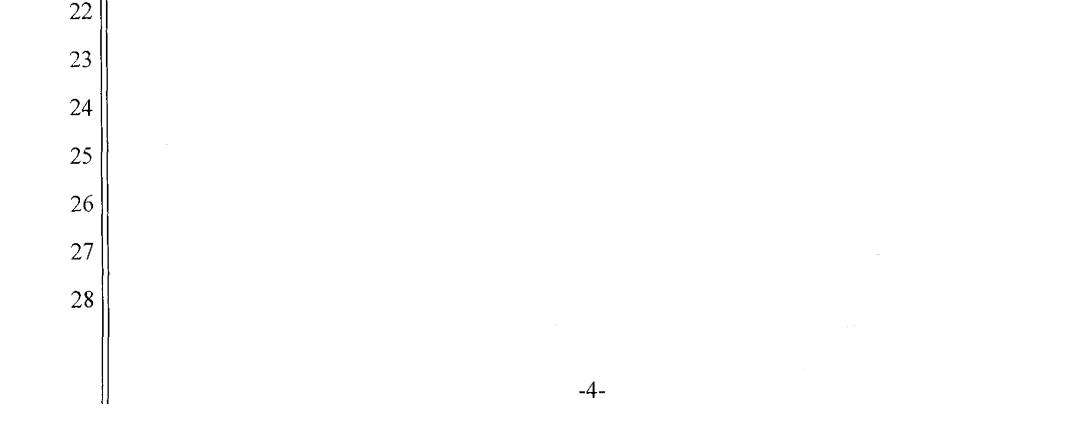
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1	Elaine P. Wynn ("Ms. Wynn") moves the Court for an order to seal her Motion for
2	Protective Order Regarding Wynn Resorts' Violations of the Dodd-Frank & Sarbanes-Oxley Act
3	on Order Shortening Time, or in the Alternative Motion for Stay of Discovery Pending Resolution
4	of the Motion and/or Writ Petition if the Motion is Denied and exhibits (the "Motion"). The
5	information sought to be sealed contains information one or more parties believes to be sensitive,
6	confidential information creating a compelling interest in protecting this document from
7	widespread dissemination to the public. Ms. Wynn requests that the motion remain sealed for a
8	reasonable time until the Court rules upon this Motion.
9	This Motion is made and based on Rule 3(1) of the Nevada Supreme Court's Rules
10	Governing Sealing and Redacting Court Records, the attached Memorandum of Points and
11	Authorities, all pleadings and documents on file, and any oral argument the Court may choose to
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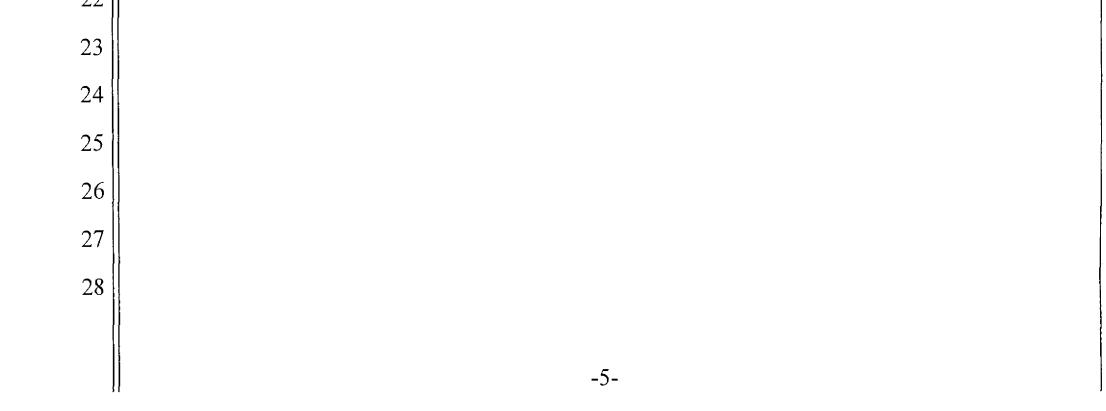
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1	NOTICE OF MOTION		
2	PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the undersigned will bring the foregoing ELAINE P. WYNN'S		
3	MOTION TO SEAL HER MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER REGARDING WYNN		
4	RESORTS' VIOLATIONS OF THE DODD-FRANK AND SARBANES-OXLEY ACT ON ORDER		
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MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES

2 The Nevada Supreme Court enacted specific rules governing the sealing and redacting of 3 court records. Pursuant to Rule 3(1) of the Nevada Supreme Court's Rules Governing Sealing and Redacting Court Records ("SRCR"), "[a]ny person may request that the court seal or redact court 4 records for a case that is subject to these rules by filing a written motion" The Court may 5 order the records redacted or sealed provided that "the court makes and enters written findings that 6 the specific sealing or redaction is justified by identified compelling privacy or safety interests that 7 outweigh the public interest in access to the court record," which includes findings that "[t]he 8 sealing or redaction furthers . . . a protective order entered under NRCP 26(c)" SRCR 3(4). 9 10 The Motion discusses confidential whistleblower communications or potential future

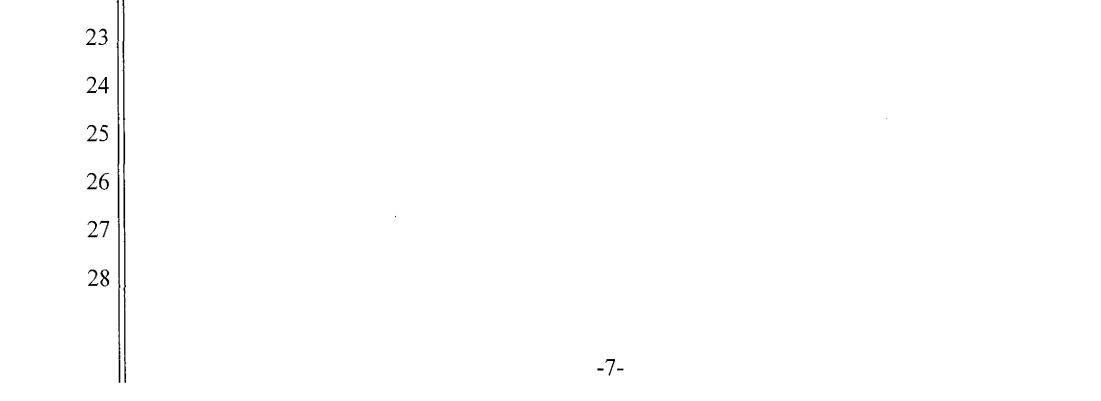
whistleblower communications protected from disclosure by the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform
and Consumer Protection Act, the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, the Securities Exchange Act of
1934, federal public policy and regulations promulgated thereunder, and Nevada's statutory
privilege applicable to communications with the Gaming Control Board, NRS 463.120(4)(c). The
Motion also discusses prior motions filed under seal in this action. Finally, the Motion attaches
Confidential and Highly Confidential exhibits, including deposition transcripts from this action.

In accordance with Sections 4 and 6 of the Protective Order entered by this Court on
February 13, 2013 (the "Protective Order"), the parties may designate certain information
disclosed in this action as Confidential that "constitutes, reflects, or discloses nonpublic
information, trade secrets, know-how, or other financial, proprietary, commercially sensitive,
confidential business, marketing, regulatory, or strategic information." (*Id.* at 2-4.) Additionally,
in accordance with Sections 5 and 6 of the Protective Order, the parties may designate certain

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information disclosed in this action as Highly Confidential that is "extremely sensitive, highly
confidential, nonpublic information, consisting either of trade secrets or proprietary or other highly
confidential business financial, regulatory, private, or strategic information." (*Id.* at 3-4.)
Pursuant to SRCR 3, the Court should allow Ms. Wynn to file the Motion under seal.

1	CONC	<u>CLUSION</u>
2	Based on the foregoing, Ms. Wynn resp	ectfully requests that this Court allow her to file the
3	Motion under seal.	
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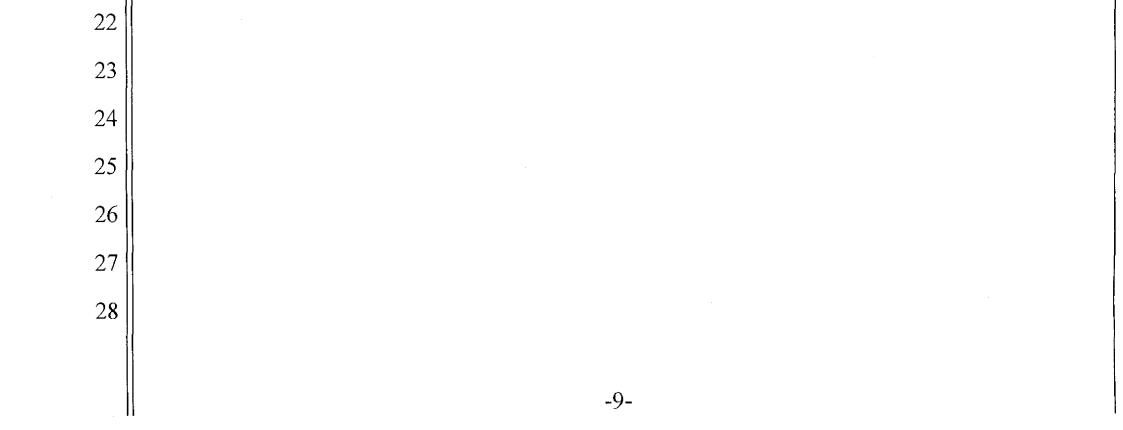
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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

ELAINE P. WYNN

Appellant,

vs.

THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CLARK; AND THE HONORABLE ELIZABETH GONZALEZ, DISTRICT JUDGE,

Respondents.

and

WYNN RESORTS LIMITED, A NEVADA CORPORATION

Real Party In Interest

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REPLY IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO DESIGNATE THE ARUZE PARTIES AS REAL PARTIES IN INTEREST

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Aruze USA, Inc., Universal Entertainment Corp., and Kazuo Okada (the "Aruze Parties") respectfully submit this Reply in Support of the Motion to Designate the Aruze Parties as Real Parties in Interest (the "Motion") regarding Elaine Wynn's Petition for Writ of Prohibition or, in the Alternative, Mandamus (the "Petition").

I. INTRODUCTION

The Aruze Parties demonstrated in their Motion that they have a material interest in the outcome of the Petition and should be granted status as real parties in interest. Wynn Resorts' Opposition incorrectly argues that the Aruze Parties should not be granted real party status because their rights are not implicated by the district court's order.¹ The argument ignores the fact that Ms. Wynn's Petition specifically seeks to prevent the Aruze Parties from obtaining discovery of factual information highly relevant to their claims. Whether or not Ms. Wynn is deemed a "whistleblower" under the federal statutes under which she seeks shelter, the facts underlying her allegations are subject to discovery under NRCP 26. The Aruze Parties are entitled to this discovery, which the Petition seeks to prevent, and thus have a significant interest in the outcome of Ms. Wynn's Petition.

¹ Notably, Ms. Wynn did not oppose the Aruze Parties' Motion, which seems an implicit acknowledgment that the Aruze Parties have a material interest in the outcome of the Petition. Furthermore, Wynn Resorts did not oppose the portion of the Motion seeking an extension of time to Answer.

Wynn Resorts' claim that the Aruze Parties should be denied participation in this writ proceeding because they did not participate in the motion practice underlying the Petition not only lacks merit, it is disingenuous. Wynn Resorts and Ms. Wynn prevented the Aruze Parties' participation and improperly refused to serve the Aruze Parties with the briefs underlying the motion practice until ordered to do so by the Court. *See* **Exs. 1–5**, *infra*. Indeed, it was not until after the Petition was filed that the district court ordered Wynn Resorts and Ms. Wynn to serve the Aruze Parties with the underlying briefs.

The Aruze Parties should not be excluded from participation in this proceeding. They respectfully ask that the Court grant their Motion and permit the concurrently-submitted Answer to be filed and considered.

I. ARGUMENT

A. Whether or Not Ms. Wynn Is Deemed a Whistleblower, She Is Not Immune from Discovery.

Ms. Wynn is asking this Court to *create* a whistleblower privilege shielding her from discovery, not only from Wynn Resorts, but also from the Aruze Parties. *See* Pet. at 58. But as the Aruze Parties' concurrently-submitted Answer explains, the law does not support this novel proposition. Assuming a non-employee who failed to exhaust administrative remedies qualifies for whistleblower protection, such protection does not extend to providing that person with immunity from discovery. Further, Ms. Wynn's Petition presents this Court with issues of first impression regarding the applicability and scope of the whistleblower statutes, yet offers an incomplete examination of the law. The Court should allow the Aruze Parties to be heard on these matters and to offer relevant analysis that will assist this Court in deciding these complex issues of first impression.

B. The Aruze Parties Were Mistakenly Excluded from the Underlying Proceedings.

Wynn Resorts disingenuously argues that because the Aruze Parties did not participate in the motion practice underlying the challenged orders, they should continue to be kept in the dark. But what Wynn Resorts fails to disclose to this Court is that the Aruze Parties were improperly excluded from participating in the underlying motion practice. Exs. 1–5, *infra*. On August 8, 2016, Elaine Wynn filed a Motion to Seal her Motion for Protective Order and the related exhibits, and alternatively, sought a Stay of Discovery Pending writ review ("Motion to Seal"). See Exhibit 1. The Motion to Seal was the Aruze Parties' first and only indication that Ms. Wynn had filed a motion regarding alleged securities violations by Wynn Resorts. On August 11, 2016, the district court heard the Motion for Protective Order but did not rule on it; instead, it ordered a limited deposition of Ms. Wynn. 1 PA 80. However, because the district court believed that "[t]his deposition appears to relate to the motion to disgualify and the related issues," it decided "to preclude [the Aruze Parties'] attendance at that deposition" See Wynn Resorts' Opp., Ex. 2 at 97.

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The Aruze Parties certainly "challenged the exclusion," Opp. at 3, and on September 6, 2016, the district court agreed that the Aruze Parties should be served with certain briefs that had been withheld, including briefing on Ms. Wynn's Motion for Protective Order. *See* **Exhibit 2**, 9/6/16 Minute Order; *see also* **Exhibit 3**, 9/20/16 Order memorializing decision in minute order. On the same day, the district court ruled on Ms. Wynn's Motion for Protective Order and found that Ms. Wynn was not entitled to protections under SOX or Dodd-Frank. *Id*.

Nonetheless, Wynn Resorts and Ms. Wynn continued to purposefully exclude the Aruze Parties from the proceedings by not serving their briefs. In response, the Aruze Parties filed a motion to compel service of fifteen (15) briefs, several of which related to the Dodd-Frank and SOX allegations. *See* **Exhibit 4**, **9/23/16** Motion to Compel. As of the filing of the Motion to Compel, the September 20 Order requiring service had not been complied with. *See id.* at 4 n.4. On September 27, 2016, the district court granted the Motion to Compel. *See* **Exhibit 5**, 10/12/16 Order Granting Motion to Compel, at 2-3.

Consideration of the full history of the underlying proceedings demonstrates that Wynn Resorts is flat wrong in suggesting the Aruze Parties refused to participate below. *See* Opp. at 2. In fact, the district court has since admitted it "was clearly mistaken" in excluding the Aruze Parties from participating in Ms.

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Wynn's deposition.² The Aruze Parties respectfully request that this Court remedy this issue by granting the Motion and designating the Aruze Parties as Real Parties in Interest.

C. Wynn Resorts' Answer Will Not Adequately Represent the Aruze Parties' Interests.

Wynn Resorts' Answer will not adequately represent the Aruze Parties' interests. Wynn Resorts has demonstrated its desire to exclude the Aruze Parties from obtaining any information about Ms. Wynn's complaints to the audit committee. Wynn Resorts opposes the Aruze Parties' participation in this writ proceeding because it does not want the Aruze Parties to have access to discovery from Ms. Wynn relating to the securities violations that she apparently disclosed. But these facts would be highly probative of the Aruze Parties' claims, including their claim that Wynn Resorts and Stephen Wynn remove directors for improper purposes and offer false, pretextual reasons for doing so.

III. CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons as well as the record before the Court, the Aruze Parties respectfully request to be designated as real parties in interest for purposes of the Petition under NRAP 21.

² See 2 PA 275 ("I did limit, though, Mr. Peek's participation in the deposition of Ms. Wynn related to those particular issues because of the overlapping privilege issues that I perceived might occur in the deposition. But after reading portions of the transcript, *I was clearly mistaken*." (emphasis added)).

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