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| 10 | IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA | | |
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| 12 | WYNN LAS VEGAS, LLC d/b/a WYNN LAS VEGAS, | Supreme Court Case No. 70583 <i>Consolidated with</i> Case No. 71789 | |
| 13 | | District Court Case No. A655992 | |
| 14 | Appellant, | District Court Case No. A055772 | |
| 15 | V. | APPELLANT/CROSS- RESPONDENT'S UNOPPOSED | |
| 16 | YVONNE O'CONNELL, AN INDIVIDUAL, | MOTION TO CONTINUE DEADLINE FOR OPENING BRIEF | |
| 17 | Respondent. | | |
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| 19 20 | YVONNE O'CONNELL, AN INDIVIDUAL, | | |
| 20 | Appellant, | | |
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| 23 24 | LAS VEGAS, | | |
| 24 | Respondent. | | |
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| 20 | The underlying case involves Respondent/Cross-Appellant Yvonne O'Connell's | | |
| 28 | ("O'Connell") alleged slip and fall accident at Appellant/Cross-Respondent Wynn Las Vegas, | | |
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LLC's ("Wynn") Las Vegas resort on February 8, 2010. The parties' jury trial went forward 1 November 4, 2015, through November 15, 2015. At the conclusion of the trial, O'Connell was 2 awarded damages for past and future pain and suffering in the total amount of \$240,000.00. 3 O'Connell was also awarded pre-judgment interest in the sum of \$17,190.96, increasing the total 4 judgment to \$257,190.96. 5

Following denial of Wynn's post-trial motions, Wynn filed its Notice of Appeal on June 8, 2016; Case No. 70583 (the "First Appeal"). The parties' completed their mandatory Supreme Court settlement conference on August 30, 2016. Pursuant to this Court's Order Reinstating Briefing, Wynn's Opening Brief was due December 5, 2016. On November 21, 2016, the parties filed a Joint Motion to Continue Deadline for Opening Brief ("Joint Motion"). As the parties 10 stated in their Joint Motion, the extension was sought in order to provide sufficient time for the parties to move forward with consolidating a related appeal.

That related appeal is O'Connell's appeal of the District Court's November 9, 2016, Order 13 "Partially Granting and Partially Denying Defendant's Motion to Retax Costs and Plaintiff's 14 Motion to Tax Costs and for Fees, Costs and Post-Judgment Interest" (the "Costs and Fees 15 Order"). O'Connell filed her Notice of Appeal of the Costs and Fees Order on November 17, 16 2016, and a Case Appeal Statement that same day; Case No. 71789 (the "Second Appeal"). On 17 December 1, 2016, the Court issued an Order exempting the Second Appeal from the Settlement 18 Program and setting a deadline for her Opening Brief. 19

On January 13, 2017, the parties filed a Joint Motion to Consolidate. The Joint Motion 20 was granted by this Court in an Order entered January 24, 2017 ("Consolidation Order"). In the 21 Consolidation Order, the Court set the deadline for Wynn's Opening Brief as March 31, 2017. 22

Although Wynn had initially anticipated filing its Opening Brief by the March 31, 2017, 23 deadline, certain issues with preparing the Joint appendix, and conflicts with the schedule of 24 counsel, have arisen, necessitating this Motion. In particular, counsel are currently preparing 25 documents for the Joint Appendix. However, counsel have yet to locate copies of certain exhibits 26 from the trial. This is causing a delay in preparing the Joint Appendix. Additionally, the 27 undersigned counsel for Wynn is scheduled to begin trial in another matter on March 27, 2017. 28

This is a firm date and counsel has just been informed that the case is in the first position for this
 date. Additionally, in-house counsel for Wynn, who will be reviewing the briefing, are currently
 involved in a two-week evidentiary hearing in another matter.

Therefore, Wynn respectfully requests that its deadline for the Opening Brief be continued
by 30 days, until May 1, 2017. Counsel for O'Connell have confirmed that they have no objection
to this request. Therefore, Wynn respectfully requests that its deadline be continued.

DATED this 15th day of March, 2017

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