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Howard Johnson International, Inc.

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY**

HOWARD JOHNSON INTERNATIONAL,
INC., a Delaware corporation,

Plaintiff,

v.

C.C. HOST, L.L.P., a Texas
limited partnership; C.C. HOST
PARTNERSHIP, a Texas general
partnership; KAMLESH B. BHIKHA,
an individual; NAVNITLAL
CHHOTU, an individual; RASIKLAL
C. PATEL, an individual;
AMRATLAL G. PATEL, an
individual; ROHITKUMAR BHAKTA,
an individual; TARUN BHAKTA, an
individual; and RANJIT BHAKTA,
an individual,

Defendants.

:
: HON. FAITH S. HOCHBERG, U.S.D.J.
: Civil Action No. 05-3604 (FSH)

**ORDER AUTHORIZING
SERVICE BY PUBLICATION UPON
DEFENDANT RANJIT BHAKTA**

Upon a showing that plaintiff Howard Johnson
International, Inc. ("HJI") has undertaken diligent efforts to

serve the Summons and Complaint upon defendant Ranjit Bhakta but has not been able to effect personal service upon him;

IT IS on this _____ day of _____, 2005,

ORDERED as follows:

1. In accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 4(e)(1), applying New Jersey Court Rule 4:4-4(b)(3), service of the Summons and Complaint upon defendant Ranjit Bhakta may be effected by publishing notice of the action, substantially in the form attached hereto, in a newspaper of general circulation in the vicinity of this defendant's last known address.

2. Service by publication shall be completed within 60 days of the date of this Order.

HON. PATTY SHWARTZ, U.S.M.J.

NOTICE TO RANJIT BHAKTA

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY, TO RANJIT BHAKTA:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to file with the Clerk of this Court and serve upon plaintiff's attorney, David S. Sager, Esq., Pitney Hardin LLP, whose address is P.O. Box 1945, Morristown, New Jersey 07962-1945, telephone number (973) 966-6300, an Answer or other response to the Complaint filed in a civil action in which Howard Johnson International, Inc., a Delaware corporation, is the plaintiff and you are a defendant, Civil Action No. 05-3604 (FSH), within 20 days after the date of this publication, exclusive of such date. If you fail to do so, judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

You must file your Answer or other response to the Complaint, together with Proof of Service of same upon plaintiff's attorney, in duplicate with William T. Walsh, Clerk, Martin Luther King, Jr. Federal Building and United States Courthouse, 50 Walnut Street, Newark, New Jersey 07102, in accordance with the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. You must also send a copy of your Answer or other response to the Complaint to Pitney Hardin LLP at the address referenced above.

WILLIAM T. WALSH, CLERK
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY