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VIA FACSIMILE

The Honorable Victor Marrero United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, New York 10007

Re: Anwar v. Fairfield Greenwich Group, Master File No. 09 CV 0118 (VM)

Dear Judge Marrero:

We represent the *Morning Mist* Derivative Plaintiffs, who have objected to the proposed settlement between the Class Plaintiffs and the FG Defendants. *See* ECF Nos. 1047, 1049. We write to request a pre-motion conference in advance of the March 22 fairness hearing.

As noted in our Objection, the Class Plaintiffs seek to justify the proposed settlement on the ground, *inter alia*, that the settlement has "depleted" the finances of the settling defendants. Objection, ECF No. 1047, at 10; *see* Lead Counsel's Joint Declaration, ECF No. 1035, ¶ 131 (referencing defendants' "depleted finances"); Class Notice at 6, ECF No. 1035-5 (same). Lead Counsel state that they reached this conclusion after reviewing the FG Defendants' "certified financial disclosures." ECF No. 1035, ¶ 131. More recently, however, in opposing the BLMIS Trustee's request to intervene, Lead Counsel have stated that the defendants "will have assets remaining after funding the Settlement." *See* ECF No. 1060, at 3.

Given Lead Counsel's recent statement, we have asked them for copies of the financial disclosures (to be maintained in accordance with the outstanding confidentiality order), but they have refused to respond to our request. Accordingly, we respectfully request that the Court schedule a pre-motion conference to address our request for the disclosures.

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