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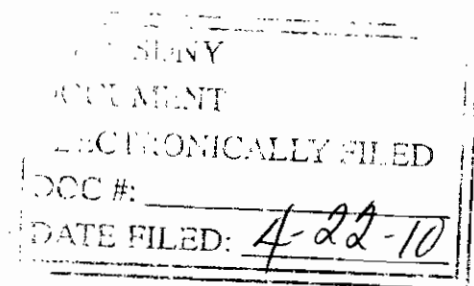
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April 22, 2010

Re: *Anwar, et al. v. Fairfield Greenwich Limited, et al.*,
Master File No. 09-CV-0118 (VM)

Hon. Victor Marrero
 United States District Judge
 Daniel Patrick Moynihan
 United States Courthouse
 500 Pearl St.
 New York, NY 10007-1312

Dear Judge Marrero:



We represent Defendant Fairfield Greenwich Advisors LLC and other Defendants in *Anwar, et al. v. Fairfield Greenwich Limited, et al.*, No. 09-CV-0118 (VM) ("*Anwar*"). We write on behalf of all Defendants who have moved to dismiss the Second Consolidated Amended Complaint in *Anwar* to request an extension to May 21, 2010 to file reply submissions in opposition to Plaintiffs' submissions in opposition to the motions to dismiss. Counsel for Plaintiffs have consented to the requested extension.

The additional time is needed both because of the volume of Plaintiffs' submissions and because of the complexity involved in coordinating the briefing among 39 Defendants represented by 14 different law firms. With respect to the Fairfield Defendants, Plaintiffs' papers in opposition to the motions to dismiss consist of a 107 page brief and 847 pages of supporting material. Plaintiffs also filed three additional briefs totaling 134 pages as well as 327 pages of supporting material in opposition to the motions to dismiss filed by other Defendants. Defendants are consolidating their arguments into a few reply briefs, consistent with the parameters set forth by the Court, and the coordination among multiple law firms to accomplish that, as well as appropriately to consider and address Plaintiffs' voluminous submissions, is projected to take us the extra time requested.

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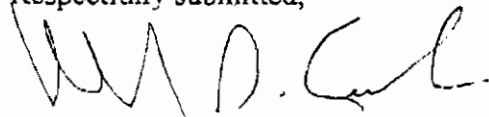
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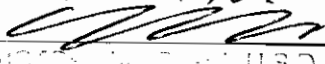
This is Defendants' first request for an extension of time to file the reply briefs on these motions. We note that Plaintiffs requested and Defendants consented to more additional days (44) for their submissions in opposition to the motions to dismiss than Defendants request here.

Respectfully submitted,



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cc: United States Magistrate Judge Theodore H. Katz (by hand)
All Counsel in *Anwar* (by email)

SO ORDERED: Request GRANTED. The time for defendants to file replies to the motions to dismiss the complaints herein is extended to 5-21-10.
4-22-10 
VICTOR MARRERO, U.S.D.J.