UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

Anwar *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

Fairfield Greenwich Limited, et al.,

Defendants.

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NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF APPEARANCE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Sara A. Ricciardi of Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP

hereby withdraws her appearance as counsel for Defendant Fairfield Greenwich Advisors LLC.

All other previously appearing counsel from Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP continue to serve

as counsel in this action for Fairfield Greenwich Advisors, LLC.

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