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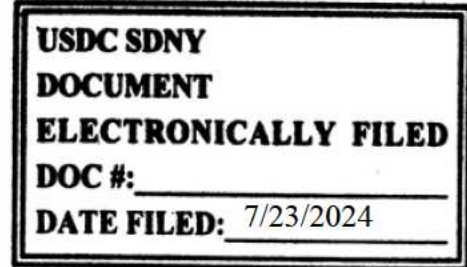
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Via ECF

The Honorable Margaret M. Garnett
Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse
40 Foley Square
New York, NY 10007



Re: Jones v. Regal Cinemas, Inc., Case No. 23-cv-11145-MMG (S.D.N.Y.)

Dear Judge Garnett,

We write jointly with defense counsel pursuant to Rule I.B.1 of the Court's Individual Rules and Practices to request that the Court stay this matter pending the Parties' upcoming mediation with The Honorable Shira A. Scheindlin (Ret.), formerly of the Southern District of New York and now a private mediator.

The Parties have agreed to mediate with Judge Scheindlin on September 30, 2024, the first mutually-available date. The Parties note that Defendant's Motion to Dismiss (ECF No. 18) is pending, and respectfully submit that judicial economy and the interests of the Parties would be best served by a short stay of this matter to preserve the status quo for mediation. The Parties will submit a joint status report within 5 business days of the conclusion of the mediation. Accordingly, the Parties respectfully submit that the Court: (i) stay this matter, including decision on Defendant's Motion to Dismiss; and (ii) order the Parties to submit a joint status report on the status of their resolution efforts by October 6, 2024.

Very truly yours,



Philip L. Fraietta

CC: All counsel of record (via ECF)

Request GRANTED. This matter is STAYED pending mediation. The parties are directed to file a joint status letter by **October 6, 2024 regarding the status of their resolution efforts and proposed next steps. The Clerk of Court is directed to terminate Dkt. No. 24.**

SO ORDERED. Date 7/23/2024



HON. MARGARET M. GARNETT
U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE