## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS FORT WORTH DIVISION

American Airlines, Inc.,	)
Plaintiff,	)
VS.	)
Sabre, Inc., a Delaware corporation, Sabre Holdings Corporation, a Delaware corporation and Sabre Travel International Ltd., a foreign corporation, d/b/a Sabre Travel Network;	) ) ) ) Civil Action No.: 4:11-cv-0244-Y
Travelport Limited, a foreign corporation and Travelport, LP, a Delaware limited partnership, d/b/a Travelport;	) ) )
and	)
Orbitz Worldwide, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, d/b/a Orbitz;	) ) )
Defendants.	)

## JOINT REPORT REGARDING SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE SUBMITTED BY PLAINTIFF AMERICAN AIRLINES AND TRAVELPORT DEFENDANTS

Pursuant to the Court's August 1, 2011 Initial Scheduling Order, plaintiff American Airlines, Inc. and defendants Travelport, LP and Travelport Limited (together, "Travelport") jointly submit this report regarding their recent settlement conference.

An in-person settlement conference between American and Travelport was held on January 27, 2012. The business representatives that participated on behalf of American were Bridget Blaise-Shamai, Managing Director of Distribution Strategy; and Cory Garner, Director of Distribution Strategy. The attorneys that participated on behalf of American were Bruce Wark, Associate General Counsel; Paul Yetter of Yetter Coleman LLP; and MJ Moltenbrey of Dewey & LeBoeuf LLP. The business representatives that participated on behalf of Travelport were Kurt Ekert, Chief Commercial Officer; and Dan Westbrook, Vice President, Supplier Development. The attorneys that participated on behalf of Travelport were Tom DeMay, Vice President of Legal, Travelport Americas; and Michael Weiner of Dechert LLP.

The parties engaged in good faith, productive discussions about general principles. Because this lawsuit involves a complex contractual relationship between the parties and disagreements about ongoing conduct, the parties shared their views on the parameters of their business relationship going forward. They discussed their views of the claims that both sides have filed in this lawsuit. No meaningful progress towards settlement was made, however, and no agreement was reached.

Based on the parties' discussions, the prospects for settlement at this time are low.

The parties did agree to consider hiring a mediator in this case.

Dated: February 2, 2012

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that on this 2nd day of February 2012, a true copy of this document was served electronically on all counsel for the defendants.

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