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SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF NEW YORK

-----x Index No.: 156729/2017 LADONNA ARTHURS, (ECF)

Plaintiff,

v.

RESPONSE TO PRELIMINARY CONFERENCE ORDER

MARRIOTT INTERNATIONAL, INC., RENAISSANCE HOTEL MANAGEMENT COMPANY LLC, SOL GOLDMAN INVESTMENTS, LLC. APPLE EIGHT HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT, INC. AND APPLE EIGHT HOSPITALITY OWNERSHIP, INC.

Defendants.	
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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that Defendants, Marriott International, Inc., Apple Eight Hospitality Management, Inc., Sol Goldman Investments, LLC and Apple Eight Hospitality Ownership, Inc., by its attorneys, Eustace, Marquez, Epstein, Prezioso & Yapchanyk, hereby respond to this Court's Preliminary Conference Order dated August 15, 2018 as follows:

#### INSURANCE INFORMATION

Defendants are insured under Chubb Group of Insurance Companies Policy Number 99476047, effective November 1, 2015 through November 1, 2016. Said policy provides coverage in the amount of \$1,000,000 per loss per year.

Defendants are also insured under Fireman's Fund Excess Policy Number SHX-000-2450-0761, effective November 1, 2015 to November 1, 2016. Said policy provides excess coverage in the amount of \$50,000,000 per loss.

#### WITNESSES

The following individuals may have knowledge or information relative to the subject incident:



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Pedro Gutierrez

William Bravo

### STATEMENTS OF OPPOSING PARTIES

Defendants are not in possession of adverse party statements relative to this action.

### **PHOTOGRAPHS**

Defendants are not in possession of photos or videotapes relative to the subject incident.

# ACCIDENT REPORT

See Exhibit A.

## **EXPERT WITNESSES**

Defendants have not yet designated expert witnesses to testify at the time of trial of this action, but hereby reserve(s) all such rights pursuant to CPLR § 3101 (d)(1).

Defendants hereby reserve the right to amend and/or supplement this response up to and including the time of trial.

DATED: September 13, 2018 New York, New York

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