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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

LOU BAKER, individually and on behalf
of all others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

SEAWORLD ENTERTAINMENT, INC.,
et al.,

Defendants.

Case No.: 14cv2129-MMA (AGS)

**ORDER GRANTING CLASS
REPRESENTATIVES’ UNOPPOSED
EX PARTE MOTION TO EXTEND
NOTICE DEADLINES**

[Doc. No. 519]

On March 13, 2020, Class Representatives, Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System and Pensionskassen For Børne-Og Ungdomspædagoger (collectively, “Class Representatives”), filed an *ex parte* motion to extend the current notice deadlines set forth in the Court’s Order Granting Class Representatives’ Unopposed Motion for Preliminary Approval of Class Action Settlement and Authorizing Dissemination of Notice of the Settlement to the Class (“Preliminary Approval Order” or “PAO”) (Doc. No. 518). *See* Doc. No. 519. Epiq Class Action & Claims Solutions, Inc. (“Epiq”), retained to administer the Settlement of the Action as the Claims Administrator, experienced a cyber incident on February 29, 2020, which required it to take its systems

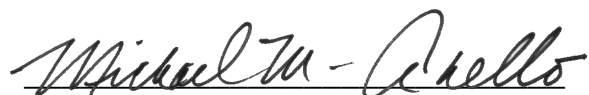
1 offline. *See id.* As a result, Epiq is unable to disseminate notice under the current
2 deadlines established by the Preliminary Approval Order. *See id.* Class Representatives
3 request a thirty-day extension for Epiq to perform its notice obligations. *See id.*
4 Defendants do not oppose the motion. *See id.*

5 Upon due consideration, good cause appearing, the Court **GRANTS** Class
6 Representatives' unopposed *ex parte* motion. The new deadline for mailing, or emailing,
7 the Postcard Notice to potential Class Members and mailing the Notice and Claim Form
8 to brokers and nominees is **April 17, 2020**. PAO ¶ 4(a). Relatedly, the website for the
9 Action, www.SeaWorldSecuritiesLitigation.com, will be updated contemporaneously
10 with the mailing of the Postcard Notice, including the posting of downloadable copies of
11 the Notice and Claim Form. PAO ¶ 4(b). The new deadline for publishing the Summary
12 Notice is **April 27, 2020**. PAO ¶ 4(c).

13 All other dates established pursuant to the Preliminary Approval Order, including
14 the date of the Settlement Fairness Hearing, are not altered by this Order and remain as
15 follows: (i) Class Counsel's briefing in support of final approval of Settlement, Plan of
16 Allocation, and motion for attorneys' fees and Litigation Expenses is due no later than
17 **June 17, 2020** (PAO ¶ 22); (ii) the deadline for appearances and objections is
18 **July 1, 2020** (PAO ¶¶ 12 & 13); (iii) Class Counsel's reply papers are due no later than
19 **July 15, 2020** (PAO ¶ 22), (iv) the deadline for submission of Claim Forms is
20 **July 16, 2020** (PAO ¶ 8); and (v) the Settlement Fairness Hearing is **July 22, 2020 at**
21 **10:00 a.m.**

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23 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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25 Dated: March 16, 2020



26 HON. MICHAEL M. ANELLO
27 United States District Judge
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