# IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS DIVISION OF ST. CROIX

WALEED HAMED, as the Executor of the Estate	Case No.: SX-2012-CV-370
of MOHAMMAD HÀMED, Plaintiff/Counterclaim Defendant,	ACTION FOR DAMAGES, INJUNCTIVE RELIEF AND
vs.	INJUNCTIVE RELIEF AND DECLARATORY RELIEF
FATHI YUSUF and UNITED CORPORATION	
Defendants and Counterclaimants.	JURY TRIAL DEMANDED
VS.	
WALEED HAMED, WAHEED HAMED, MUFEED HAMED, HISHAM HAMED, and PLESSEN ENTERPRISES, INC.,	
Counterclaim Defendants,	
WALEED HAMED, as the Executor of the Estate	Consolidated with
of MOHAMMAD HAMED, Plaintiff,	Case No.: SX-2014-CV-287
VS.	
UNITED CORPORATION, Defendant.	
WALEED HAMED, as the Executor of the Estate	Consolidated with
of MOHAMMAD HÁMED, Plaintiff	Case No.: SX-2014-CV-278
VS.	
FATHI YUSUF, Defendant.	
FATHI YUSUF, Plaintiff,	Consolidated with
VS.	Case No.: ST-17-CV-384
MOHAMMAD A. HAMED TRUST, et al,	
Defendants.	
KAC357 Inc., Plaintiff,	Consolidated with
VS.	Case No.: ST-18-CV-219
HAMED/YUSUF PARTNERSHIP,	
Defendant.	
HAMED'S SECOND MOTION TO EXCEED THE	RIII E 6 1(E)(2) I IMITATION

HAMED'S SECOND MOTION TO EXCEED THE RULE 6.1(E)(2) LIMITATIONS AS TO HIS MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT RE PARTIAL SUMMARY JUDGMENT FOR CLAIM H-142 (TUTU PARCEL) Hamed Second Motion to Exceed Word/Page Limit Half-Acre Access Parcel at Tutu Page 1

This motion asks the Master to allow enlargement of the page length and word count limits on Hamed's motion for summary judgment *on Claim H-142*, regarding the 0.536 acre parcel near Tutu Park Mall on St. Thomas. The applicable rule is *V.I. Rule of Civil Procedure* 6-1(e)(2) which provides:

(2) Except as provided in Rule 56-1, all motions, responses and replies filed with the court shall not exceed the greater of 20 pages or 6,500 words in length unless leave of court has been obtained in advance for a longer submission. This page or word limit does not include any cover page, caption, table of contents, table of authorities, appendices or exhibits, and certificates of service...

After filing, Attorney Hartmann discovered that Hamed's motion exceeds the page limitation

by less than one page, and 4300 words, exclusive of the statement of material facts, headings,

images, captions, etc. It is of this extended length due to the ennumerated factors below.

Hamed asks that the Special Master allow the excess.

### Factors

- 1. The motion was a combination of the motion for summary judgment and a related motion in limine to exclude affidavits and testimony of persons who participated in mediations that were settlement discussions. Many of the facts are identical, to make the filings less repetitive they were converted to just one document. When this happened the text designated for automatic counting was not updated—thus the Rule 6-1(a) certification by Attorney Hartmann was erroneous. The undersigned was solely responsible for the error, and apologizes to the Master and other parties.
- Fortunately, this motion was filed well ahead of the time limit set by the Special Master. Thus, if the Master or one of the other parties would prefer, it can be withdrawn and the overage corrected prior to re-filing as two separate motions.
- 3. This is being filed as a motion for enlargement rather than simply withdrawing and refiling to avoid another wave of unnecessary, duplicative documents.

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Dated: February 4, 2020

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on this 4th day of February, 2019, I served a copy of the foregoing by email, as agreed by the parties, on:

#### Hon. Edgar Ross

Special Master edgarrossjudge@hotmail.com

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## **CERTIFICATE OF WORD/PAGE COUNT**

This document complies with the page or word limitation set forth in Rule 6-1 (e).

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