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Date: June 20, 2025

Subject: Playa Hotels & Resorts N.V. - Cash Settlement

Option Symbol: PLYA Date: 06/20/2025

On June 16, 2025, HI Holdings Playa B.V., an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Hyatt Hotels Corporation, completed its subsequent tender offer for Playa Hotels & Resorts N.V. In connection with the subsequent tender offer, OCC was notified today that the acquisition was effective on June 17, 2025, and that the purchaser has begun the Back-End Transactions as described in the PLYA Offer documents filed on February 24, 2025 ("Offer"). At this time, the withholdings rate that will be applicable to the consideration received by shares not tendered in the offer is unknown.

On April 28, 2025, Playa filed a ruling request with the Dutch tax authority to confirm the average paid up capital recognized for Dutch dividend withholding tax purposes as described in the "Offer". This ruling request has not yet been approved. Playa has been advised by Buyer that it intends to cause Playa to withhold from the Cancellation Consideration as though such average paid up capital is €3.96 per share such higher or lower amount as reasonably determined, in which case the 15% Dutch dividend withholding tax will be applied to the amount of the Cancellation Consideration that exceeds such amount.

Contract Adjustment

Date: June 20, 2025

New Deliverable

Per Contract: \$1,350.00 Cash (\$13.50 x 100), less withholdings, if any

Settlement: OCC will delay settlement of the PLYA deliverable until the final net cash

merger consideration is confirmed. Once the final amount is determined, settlement in PLYA options will take place through OCC's cash settlement system. Settlement will be accomplished by payment of the difference

between the extended strike amount and the cash deliverable.

Acceleration of Expirations

Pursuant to OCC Rule 807, equity stock option contracts whose deliverables are adjusted to call for cashonly delivery will be subject to **an acceleration of the expiration dates for outstanding option series** (See OCC Information Memo 23988).

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