

Nos. 1:21-cv-10004-AJN, 1:21-cv-10118-AJN

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

In re Avianca Holdings S.A., *et al.*,

Debtors and Reorganized Debtors.

Blake W. Kim Rollover IRA, *et al.*,
Udi Baruch Guindi, *et al.*,

Appellants,

v.

Avianca Holdings S.A., *et al.*,

Appellees.

ON APPEAL FROM THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK
CHAPTER 11 CASE NO. 20-11133 (MG)

**MEMORANDUM OF LAW IN SUPPORT OF APPELLEES'
MOTION TO DISMISS APPEALS AS EQUITABLY MOOT**

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CORPORATE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Pursuant to Rule 8012 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Appellees Avianca Holdings S.A. (“Avianca Holdings”) and the other entities that were Chapter 11 debtors along with it (together, the “Debtors”),¹ by and through their undersigned counsel, hereby state:

¹ The Debtors, and each Debtor’s federal tax identification number (to the extent applicable), are as follows: Avianca Holdings S.A. (N/A); Aero Transporte de Carga Unión, S.A. de C.V. (N/A); Aeroinversiones de Honduras, S.A. (N/A); Aerovías del Continente Americano S.A. Avianca (N/A); Airlease Holdings One Ltd. (N/A); America Central (Canada) Corp. (00-1071563); America Central Corp. (65-0444665); AV International Holdco S.A. (N/A); AV International Holdings S.A. (N/A); AV International Investments S.A. (N/A); AV International Ventures S.A. (N/A); AV Investments One Colombia S.A.S. (N/A); AV Investments Two Colombia S.A.S. (N/A); AV Loyalty Bermuda Ltd. (N/A); AV Taca International Holdco S.A. (N/A); Aviacorp Enterprises S.A. (N/A); Avianca Costa Rica S.A. (N/A); Avianca Leasing, LLC (47-2628716); Avianca, Inc. (13-1868573); Avianca-Ecuador S.A. (N/A); Aviaservicios, S.A. (N/A); Aviateca, S.A. (N/A); Avifreight Holding Mexico, S.A.P.I. de C.V. (N/A); C.R. Int’l Enterprises, Inc. (59-2240957); Grupo Taca Holdings Limited (N/A); International Trade Marks Agency Inc. (N/A); Inversiones del Caribe, S.A. (N/A); Isleña de Inversiones, S.A. de C.V. (N/A); Latin Airways Corp. (N/A); Latin Logistics, LLC (41-2187926); Nicaragüense de Aviación, Sociedad Anónima (N/A); Regional Express Américas S.A.S. (N/A); Ronair N.V. (N/A); Servicio Terrestre, Aéreo y Rampa S.A. (N/A); Servicios Aeroportuarios Integrados SAI S.A.S. (92-4006439); Taca de Honduras, S.A. de C.V. (N/A); Taca de México, S.A. (N/A); Taca International Airlines S.A. (N/A); Taca S.A. (N/A); Tampa Cargo S.A.S. (N/A); Technical and Training Services, S.A. de C.V. (N/A).

1. Avianca Holdings² is a publicly traded corporation. No publicly-held corporations own 10% or more of the equity interests of Avianca Holdings nor of any other Debtor.

2. As of December 1, 2021, Avianca Holdings' successor as the top-level holding company of the Avianca business is Avianca Group International Limited ("Reorganized AVH"). Reorganized AVH is a private limited company. As of the date hereof, United Airlines, Inc., a wholly-owned subsidiary of United Airlines Holdings, Inc., owns approximately 16.7% of the equity interests of Reorganized AVH.

3. The organizational chart attached hereto as Exhibit A sets forth the corporate structure of the Avianca enterprise and discloses the parent entities for each of the Debtors.

² Consistent with the Debtors' confirmed plan of reorganization, Avianca Holdings no longer has any material value and will be liquidated under Panamanian law.

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Appellees, Avianca Holdings S.A. (“Avianca Holdings”) and the other entities that were Chapter 11 debtors along with it (collectively, the “Debtors”), respectfully submit this memorandum of law in support of their motion to dismiss (the “Motion”) the above-captioned appeals (the “Appeals”) as equitably moot.

PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

This Court need not reach the merits of any of the Appellants’ arguments—baseless, and in some cases frivolous, as they are—because the Appeals are equitably moot. Appellants challenge the order [Bankr. ECF³ 2300] (the “Confirmation Order,” attached hereto as Exhibit B) confirming the Debtors’ plan of reorganization (the “Plan,” Ex. A to the Confirmation Order), arguing that “the Plan is fatally flawed and the bankruptcy court’s approval of the Plan should be reversed.” *See Br. for Appellants in Support of Appeal* [ECF 4, Case No. 1:21-cv-10118] (the “Baruch Appellate Brief”) at 6.⁴

The Plan, however, has already been consummated and the transactions undertaken pursuant to the Plan cannot be unwound. Appellants failed to obtain—or even seek—a stay of the Confirmation Order, and over the past two months, in

³ Documents filed on the docket in the underlying bankruptcy proceeding are cited herein as “Bankr. ECF.” All such cited documents are included in the records on appeal in these Appeals.

⁴ Each of Appellants’ statements of the issues on appeal also makes clear that the relief Appellants seek is nothing short of reversal of the Confirmation Order.

reliance on the unstayed Confirmation Order, hundreds of investors, creditors, aircraft lessors, vendors, lenders, and other parties lawfully completed numerous complicated transactions and irreversibly changed their respective positions. All of these steps were contemplated in the Plan (including the publicly filed supplements thereto), and were thus well known in advance to all stakeholders, including Appellants.

Granting the extraordinary and unwarranted relief sought by Appellants would be infeasible and grossly inequitable to the numerous parties whose circumstances were comprehensively changed in reliance on the now-consummated Plan. While this alone would be a sufficient basis for the Court to find the Appeals equitably moot, the steps taken to consummate Avianca's Plan were particularly complex and included, among others and as described more fully herein:

- hundreds of millions of dollars of debt were converted into equity in the new top-level holding company of the Avianca business, Avianca Group International Limited ("Reorganized AVH");
- new cash investments of nearly \$200,000,000 were made by more than 23 financial institutions and other entities located in countries around the world;
- a new holding company structure was established and numerous entirely new subsidiaries were formed;
- 31,000,000 ordinary shares in Reorganized AVH were issued to creditors and investors;

- numerous amendments in respect of credit facilities were entered into, and long-term debt was issued; and
- distributions of cash to holders of administrative, priority, and certain secured claims were made.

On December 1, 2021 (the “Plan Effective Date”), Reorganized AVH and its affiliates (the “Reorganized Debtors”) emerged from Chapter 11 protection as a reorganized, refocused entity.

Courts in this Circuit recognize a strong presumption of equitable mootness when a plan has been substantially consummated and a comprehensive change of circumstances has occurred as a result. Appellants cannot carry the heavy burden of rebutting this presumption for several reasons, each of which compels dismissal of the Appeals. Most notably, Appellants never sought to stay the consummation of the Plan, even though they knew that the Debtors were advancing toward emergence. The Confirmation Order language regarding its immediate effectiveness could not have been clearer: “The terms of this Confirmation Order shall be immediately effective and shall not be stayed pursuant to Bankruptcy Rules 3020(e), 6004(h), 6006(d), or 7062.” *See* Confirmation Order ¶ 67. At no point during the 29 days between entry of the Confirmation Order and the Plan Effective Date did Appellants even contact Appellees to discuss a stay of the Confirmation Order. The failure to do so militates strongly against reaching the merits of the Appeals.

Even if a basis existed to overturn the Confirmation Order, granting such relief at this time, given the substantial consummation of the Plan and the resulting comprehensive change of circumstances, would be inequitable to the Reorganized Debtors and the stakeholders who have, in some cases, invested tens of millions of dollars and loaned hundreds of millions dollars to support Avianca's reinvigorated, reorganized business, all of which was conditioned upon the effectiveness of *this* Plan. This Court should dismiss the Appeals on the basis of equitable mootness.

BACKGROUND

On May 10, 2020 (the "Petition Date"), the Debtors filed for protection under Chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code"). *See Declaration of Richard Galindo in Support of Appellees' Motion to Dismiss Appeals as Equitably Moot* (the "Galindo Decl.," filed contemporaneously herewith) ¶ 4. Avianca Holdings is organized under the laws of Panama and was the ultimate parent company of the other Debtors and their non-Debtor affiliates (collectively, "Avianca"). *Id.* Avianca is the second-largest airline group in Latin America and the most important carrier in the Republic of Colombia and the Republic of El Salvador. *See Bankr. ECF 20* ¶ 3.

Avianca operates an extensive network of routes from its primary hubs in Bogotá and San Salvador (in addition to other focus markets) and offers passenger services on more than 5,350 weekly flights to more than 76 destinations in 27

countries. *Id.* ¶ 5. With approximately 18,900 employees and, prior to the Petition Date, approximately \$3.9 billion in annual revenues, Avianca plays a key role in the Latin American airline market. *Id.*

The Debtors were compelled to file their Chapter 11 cases for one principal reason: the COVID-19 pandemic. *Id.* ¶ 6. At the time, the Republic of Colombia had announced that it would close its airspace to address the spread of COVID-19, and Avianca had suspended all passenger flights for over six weeks with no known date for resumption. *Id.* ¶ 7. The reduction in travel as a result of the virus, and the measures undertaken to combat the virus, including restrictions on commercial flights and on travel, had an adverse impact on Avianca. *Id.* ¶ 6. As a result of the ongoing pandemic, Avianca faced significantly reduced revenues from ticket sales and ancillary activities. *Id.*

Despite these and other serious hurdles, the Debtors filed the initial version of the Plan on August 10, 2021 [Bankr. ECF 1981]. The Plan,⁵ beginning in its initial version, made clear that the Debtors planned to consummate a comprehensive restructuring as soon as the Bankruptcy Court confirmed the Plan. *See* Plan at Art. V.C. More specifically, the Plan always made clear that, in connection with the effective date of the Plan, among other things: (i) all interests in Avianca Holdings would be canceled, released, and/or extinguished;

⁵ The final version of the Plan was filed on October 24, 2021 [Bankr. ECF 2259].

(ii) Reorganized AVH would issue new common equity; (iii) the Reorganized Debtors would enter into new and amended credit facilities; (iv) the Reorganized Debtors would start making distributions to claimholders; (v) a new Board of Directors would be appointed, and new organizational documents would be entered into; and (vi) various claims, loans, securities, and agreements—including the 2023 Notes Claims (as defined in the Plan)—would be canceled, released, and discharged.⁶ *Id.* at Art. V.

Approximately 16 months after filing for bankruptcy protection, the Debtors succeeded in obtaining widespread creditor support for the Plan, which represented the culmination of the Debtors’ restructuring efforts and was the product of extensive good-faith, arm’s-length negotiations with the Debtors’ various stakeholders. Galindo Decl. ¶ 5. The Plan allowed the Debtors to achieve their key restructuring goals: restructuring their balance sheet, reducing costs, overhauling their business plan, and obtaining access to additional liquidity and long-term financing. *Id.*

⁶ The Plan also contemplated the filing of certain documents (or forms thereof), schedules, and exhibits (each a “Plan Supplement”) in advance of the hearing on confirmation of the Plan. The first Plan Supplement was filed on October 5, 2021 [Bankr. ECF 2185] and included, among other documents, new organizational documents for Reorganized AVH and a 10-page description of the post-confirmation restructuring transactions and the steps to be carried out to effectuate the restructuring (attached hereto as Exhibit C).

In total, holders of Claims (as such term is used in the Plan) totaling over \$3.645 billion—approximately 99% of the total amount of all Claims voted—accepted the Plan. *See* Bankr. ECF 2239, Ex. A. The Plan also had the support of the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors, the fiduciary representing the interests of the Debtors’ unsecured creditors. This overwhelming support ultimately allowed Avianca to emerge from bankruptcy as a refocused business.

Of the approximately 80,000 parties who received notice of the confirmation hearing before the Bankruptcy Court (the “Confirmation Hearing”), only four individuals or groups filed objections to confirmation of the Plan. After the Debtors’ diligent efforts to resolve certain concerns raised by these objections, only two groups of objectors—Appellants, each a group of affiliated holders of 2023 Notes Claims—proceeded with their objections (the “Objections”) at the Confirmation Hearing. After a lengthy hearing during which Appellants each presented arguments and cross-examined the Debtors’ witnesses, the Bankruptcy Court requested that the Debtors and each Appellant group submit proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law with respect to the Objections (the “Findings and Conclusions”). The parties submitted their Findings and Conclusions on October 28, 2021.

Five days later, on November 2, 2021, the Bankruptcy Court entered the Confirmation Order. The Bankruptcy Court overruled the Objections on the

merits, *see* Confirmation Order at 8, and noted that the Findings and Conclusions adopted therein were “an integral part of the Confirmation Order.” *Id.* at 3.

Appellants filed notices of appeal nine and 14 days, respectively, following entry of the Confirmation Order. Appellants have not sought to expedite their Appeals, nor did they seek or obtain a stay of the Confirmation Order. As such, following entry of the Confirmation Order, to enable prompt recoveries for their stakeholders and prompt emergence as a reorganized entity, the Debtors and other parties in interest worked tirelessly to implement the complex, interrelated transactions mandated by the Plan. Galindo Decl. ¶¶ 6-7.

The Confirmation Order granted the Debtors the right to implement numerous transactions to effectuate a corporate restructuring of Avianca’s businesses, including reincorporation or reorganization of certain Debtors under the laws of jurisdictions other than those where they were previously incorporated or formed. The Debtors implemented these transactions before ultimately emerging from Chapter 11 as the Reorganized Debtors on the Plan Effective Date. The process of the Plan going effective involved numerous parties, including lenders, investors, new shareholders and warrant holders, and required the drafting and negotiation of extensive documentation and the planning and implementation of a variety of complex corporate transactions in several jurisdictions. Galindo Decl. ¶¶ 6-7.

On the Plan Effective Date, many claims, loans, securities, and agreements were canceled, released, extinguished, and/or discharged. As set forth in the Galindo Declaration (*see* Galindo Decl. ¶¶ 8-13), among the many actions taken by the Debtors and Reorganized Debtors in reliance on and in connection with the Confirmation Order are:

- Establishment of Reorganized AVH, a new holding company incorporated under the laws of England and Wales.
- Establishment of a new holding company structure and formation of the following seven new entities (the “New Entities”) in various foreign jurisdictions:
 - a *sociedad anónima* organized under the laws of Panama under the name AVN Corporate Ventures S.A.;
 - a second *sociedad anónima* organized under the laws of Panama under the name AVN Corporate Investments S.A.;
 - a private limited company incorporated under the laws of England and Wales under the name AVN Flight International Limited;
 - a private limited company incorporated under the laws of England and Wales under the name Avianca MidCo 1 Limited;
 - a private limited company incorporated under the laws of England and Wales under the name Avianca MidCo 2 Limited;
 - an exempted company organized under the laws of the Cayman Islands under the name AVN Flight Cayman Limited; and
 - a private limited company incorporated under the laws of England and Wales under the name Avianca Group (UK) Limited.
- Consummation of an Equity Conversion and Commitment Agreement, pursuant to which:

- approximately \$837 million of debtor-in-possession financing loans (the “Tranche B Loans”) were converted into equity interests in Reorganized AVH;
 - 23 holders of Tranche B Loans located in countries around the world contributed nearly \$200 million of cash to Reorganized AVH;
 - Reorganized AVH issued more than 31,000,000 ordinary shares in Reorganized AVH to the Tranche B lenders;
 - Reorganized AVH issued equity warrants to United Airlines, Inc., which have since been converted into approximately 6.5 million ordinary shares in Reorganized AVH; and
 - the Tranche B lenders and Reorganized AVH entered into a shareholders’ agreement.
- Payment in full of all invoiced DIP Facility Fees and Expenses.
 - Commencement of distributions of cash to holders of administrative, priority, and certain secured claims.
 - Entry into amendments in respect of credit facilities and the issuance of long-term debt, including:
 - the conversion of approximately \$1.67 billion of debtor-in-possession financing notes to seven-year exit notes;
 - an amendment to a revolving credit facility for up to \$100 million led by Citibank;
 - an amendment to a \$66.7 million credit card securitization facility; and
 - an amendment to a \$52.2 million engine loan facility from Credit Agricole.
 - Adoption of new organizational documents of Reorganized AVH, and the submission of such documents to relevant authorities for filing or recording.
 - Appointment of directors to the Board of Directors of Reorganized AVH and approval and implementation of a new budget for Reorganized AVH.

- Negotiation of and entry into complex international leases, or amendments thereof, for 142 aircraft with approximately 32 different counterparties.
- Assumption of thousands of executory contracts and unexpired leases, and rejection of numerous other contracts and leases.
- Execution of an Internal Reorganization Agreement pursuant to which the equity interests owned by Avianca Holdings in certain of its subsidiaries were ultimately transferred, through certain corporate transactions, to new entity Avianca Group (UK) Limited.
- Execution of an Intercompany Balances and Cash Transfer Agreement, pursuant to which certain intercompany balances and cash of Avianca Holdings were ultimately transferred to new entity Avianca MidCo 2 Limited, which thereafter released certain intercompany balances.
- Transfer of certain contracts and certain intellectual property from Avianca Holdings to subsidiaries of Reorganized AVH.
- Accession of Reorganized AVH as guarantor of certain of the Reorganized Debtors' obligations.
- Execution of a warrant instrument for the issuance of equity warrants to certain electing general unsecured claimholders of the Debtors.
- Vesting in the Reorganized Debtors of all estate property.

ARGUMENT

An appeal of a confirmation order should be dismissed as equitably moot where, “even if the court could conceivably fashion relief . . . implementation of that relief would be inequitable.” *Compania Internacional Financiera S.A. v. Calpine Corp. (In re Calpine Corp.)*, 390 B.R. 508, 517 (S.D.N.Y. 2008). The doctrine of equitable mootness is a prudential doctrine: it allows a court to dismiss an appeal when a remedy cannot be granted “without unjustly upsetting a debtor’s

plan of reorganization.” *R2 Invs., LDC v. Charter Commc’ns, Inc. (In re Charter Commc’ns, Inc.)*, 691 F.3d 476, 481 (2d Cir. 2012). Indeed, “where the ability to achieve finality is essential to the fashioning of effective remedies, equitable mootness serves as a prudential doctrine for declining to exercise constitutionally permissible jurisdiction that is invoked to avoid disturbing a reorganization plan once implemented.” *R2 Invs., LDC v. Charter Commc’ns, Inc.*, 449 B.R. 14, 22 (S.D.N.Y. 2011), *aff’d*, 691 F.3d 476 (2d Cir. 2012) (internal citations and quotation marks omitted).

Bankruptcy laws seek to provide debtors with a fresh start, a goal that would be undermined if “businesses, investors, and the public” could not have confidence in “the finality of bankruptcy confirmation orders.” *Retired Pilots Ass’n of US Airways, Inc. v. US Airways Grp., Inc. (In re US Airways Grp., Inc.)*, 369 F.3d 806, 810-11 (4th Cir. 2004). The doctrine of equitable mootness thus restrains courts from “imperiling” the Congressional goal of a “fresh start.” *Frito-Lay, Inc. v. LTV Steel Co., Inc. (In re Chateaugay Corp.)*, 10 F.3d 944, 953 (2d Cir. 1993) (“*Chateaugay II*”).⁷

⁷ The Court need not consider the merits of the Appeals before dismissing as equitably moot. *See In re Official Comm. of Unsecured Creditors v. Sabine Oil & Gas Corp. (In re Sabine Oil & Gas Corp.)*, 2017 WL 477780, at *4 (S.D.N.Y. Feb. 3, 2017) (“[C]ourts in this circuit regularly dismiss bankruptcy appeals as equitably moot without considering their merits. Accordingly, the Court finds that it need not require full briefing on the merits before considering Appellees’ equitable mootness argument.”) (citations omitted); *see also In re MF Global Holdings Ltd.*,

In the Second Circuit, an appeal of a confirmation order is presumed equitably moot in two situations, namely “when an unstayed order has resulted in a comprehensive change in circumstances, and when a reorganization [has been] substantially consummated.” *Parker v. Motors Liquidation Co. (In re Motors Liquidation Co.)*, 430 B.R. 65, 80 (S.D.N.Y. 2010) (internal citation and quotation marks omitted); see *Kenton Cty. Bondholders Comm. v. Delta Air Lines, Inc. (In re Delta Air Lines, Inc.)*, 374 B.R. 516, 522-23 (S.D.N.Y. 2007).

The presumption can only be overcome where “**all five** of the ‘*Chateaugay* factors’ are met.” *In re Charter*, 691 F.3d at 482 (emphasis added); *ACC Bondholder Grp. v. Adelpia Commc’ns Corp. (In re Adelpia Commc’ns Corp.)*, 367 B.R. 84, 94 (S.D.N.Y. 2007) (noting that an appeal “**must** be dismissed unless Appellants can rebut that presumption by demonstrating that **each** of the five *Chateaugay* factors supports permitting [the] appeal to be heard on the merits”) (emphases added). The five *Chateaugay* factors that Appellants must demonstrate are met to overcome an equitable mootness presumption are:

- (a) the court can still order some effective relief; (b) such relief will not affect the re-emergence of the debtor as a revitalized corporate entity; (c) such relief will not unravel intricate transactions so as to knock the props out from

2014 WL 231130, at *1 (S.D.N.Y. Jan. 22, 2014) (“[B]efore reaching the merits of Appellants’ appeal, the Court must determine whether the appeal is equitably moot.”); *Food Emp’rs Labor Relations Ass’n v. Great Atl. & Pac. Tea Co., Inc. (In re Great Atl. & Pac. Tea Co., Inc.)*, 2013 WL 1310330, at *1 (S.D.N.Y. Mar. 31, 2013); *In re Calpine Corp.*, 390 B.R. at 515, n.9.

under the authorization for every transaction that has taken place and create an unmanageable, uncontrollable situation for the Bankruptcy Court; (d) the parties who would be adversely affected by the modification have notice of the appeal and an opportunity to participate in the proceedings; and (e) the appellant pursued with diligence all available remedies to obtain a stay of execution of the objectionable order . . . if the failure to do so creates a situation rendering it inequitable to reverse the orders appealed from.

Chateaugay II, 10 F.3d at 952-953 (internal citations omitted); *see also GLM DFW, Inc. v. Windstream Holdings, Inc. (In re Windstream Holdings, Inc.)*, 838 F. App'x. 634 (2d Cir. 2021) (dismissing appeal as equitably moot); *Beeman v. BGI Creditors' Liquidating Tr. (In re BGI, Inc.)*, 772 F.3d 102 (2d Cir. 2014) (same). Moreover, “[e]ven apart from the precise application of each of the *Chateaugay* factors . . . , the essence of the equitable mootness doctrine is to prevent appeals from going forward in cases where granting relief, even where hypothetically possible, would be inequitable.” *In re Adelphia Commc'ns Corp.*, 367 B.R. at 99.

Here, the presumption of equitable mootness cannot be overcome as Appellants cannot demonstrate compliance with *any* of the *Chateaugay* factors.

I. The Plan Has Been Substantially Consummated and the Unstayed Confirmation Order Has Resulted in a Comprehensive Change in Circumstances

There can be no doubt that the Plan has been substantially consummated. The Bankruptcy Code defines substantial consummation as “(A) transfer of all or substantially all of the property proposed by the plan to be transferred;

(B) assumption by the debtor or by the successor to the debtor under the plan of the business or of the management of all or substantially all of the property dealt with by the plan; and (C) commencement of distribution under the plan.” 11

U.S.C. § 1101(2). The Bankruptcy Code does not require that distributions to all classes of claimants have commenced; only some distribution to some claimants must have commenced. *See, e.g., Beeman v. BGI Creditors’ Liquidating Tr. (In re BGI, Inc.)*, Nos. 12-civ-7714, 12-civ-7715, 13-civ-0080, 2013 WL 10822966, at *9 (S.D.N.Y. May 22, 2013) (upholding determination of substantial consummation where post-effective date distributions to holders of administrative and priority claims had begun).

In addition to these codified factors, courts have found substantial consummation where reorganized debtors canceled old equity interests and issued new equity, terminated debtor-in-possession financing and entered into new financing facilities, appointed a new board of directors, filed new or amended organization documents, implemented new corporate structures, and assumed or rejected executory contracts and unexpired leases. *See, e.g., Deutsche Bank AG, London Branch v. Metromedia Fiber Network, Inc. (In re Metromedia Fiber Network, Inc.)*, 416 F.3d 136, 144 (2d Cir. 2005) (finding substantial consummation where debtors issued stock, made cash distributions, and entered into new contracts); *Loral Stockholders Protective Comm. v. Loral Space &*

Commc'ns Ltd. (In re Loral Space & Commc'ns Ltd.), 342 B.R. 132, 138 (S.D.N.Y. 2006) (finding substantial consummation where debtor's property and equity interests were either transferred or canceled, and where distributions had commenced); *Robinson v. Sunbeam Corp. (In re Sunbeam Corp.)*, 2004 WL 136941, at *1 (S.D.N.Y. Jan. 27, 2004) (finding substantial consummation where the debtor filed a new certificate of incorporation, adopted new bylaws, entered into new financing agreements, assumed certain executory contracts and unexpired leases, and elected new board of directors); *Six W. Retail Acquisition, Inc. v. Loews Cineplex Entm't Corp.*, 286 B.R. 239, 244 (S.D.N.Y. 2002) (finding substantial consummation where the debtors canceled common stock, issued new equity, implemented the merger and dissolution of some debtor entities, and closed on a new credit facility); *Lawrence v. Revere Copper & Brass Inc. (In re Revere Copper & Brass Inc.)*, 78 B.R. 17, 19-20 (S.D.N.Y. 1987) (finding substantial consummation where the debtors commenced distributions to creditors, entered into new indentures, amended their articles of incorporation, and made filings reflecting the changed financial condition and capital structure).

Here, the Debtors' reorganization has been substantially consummated and a comprehensive change of circumstances has occurred as a result of the implementation of the Plan. In connection with the Plan Effective Date and in reliance on the confirmed Plan and unstayed Confirmation Order, the Debtors and

Reorganized Debtors accomplished the actions enumerated above (and as described in the Galindo Declaration), including (a) the transfer of substantially all of the property that the Plan envisioned will be transferred, (b) the assumption by Reorganized AVH under the Plan of the business and of the management of substantially all of the property dealt with by the Plan, and (c) the commencement of distributions under the Plan. *See* 11 U.S.C. § 1101(2)(A)-(C). Indisputably, the Plan was substantially consummated, and numerous parties have comprehensively changed their positions and circumstances in reliance on the confirmed Plan.

II. Appellants Cannot Overcome the Presumption of Equitable Mootness

As noted above, to overcome the presumption of equitable mootness, Appellants must show that all five *Chateaugay* factors weigh in their favor. Because Appellants cannot satisfy even *one* of these factors—and certainly cannot satisfy all five—the Appeals should be dismissed.

A. Appellants Never Sought a Stay of the Confirmation Order

The law in this Circuit makes clear that a “chief consideration” for the Court is whether Appellants sought to stay the Confirmation Order. *In re Metromedia Fiber Network, Inc.*, 416 F.3d at 144 (noting that “[w]e insist that a party seek a stay even if it may seem highly unlikely that the bankruptcy court will issue one.”). An appellant’s “failure to seek a stay . . . with the result that the reorganization is

substantially consummated, in particular lends itself to a finding that an appeal is moot.” *In re Calpine Corp.*, 390 B.R. at 517; *see Town of Putnam Valley v. Kaspar (In re Kaspar)*, No. 20-cv-393, 2021 WL 1226586, at *16 (S.D.N.Y. Mar. 31, 2021) (“Dismissing an appeal based on equitable mootness is appropriate when the appellant has made no effort to obtain a stay and has permitted such a change in circumstances to occur as to render it inequitable for the appellate court to reach the merits of the appeal.”) (internal citation and quotation marks omitted); *see also Chateaugay II*, 10 F.3d at 953 (finding that substantial consummation will moot an appeal if the failure to pursue a stay with diligence “creates a situation rendering it inequitable to reverse the orders appealed from”) (internal citations and quotation marks omitted); *Official Comm. of Unsecured Creditors of LTV Aerospace & Def. Co. Inc. v. Official Comm. of Unsecured Creditors of LTV Steel Co., Inc. (In re Chateaugay Corp.)*, 988 F.2d 322, 326 (2d Cir. 1993) (“*Chateaugay I*”) (noting that “[t]he party who appeals without seeking to avail himself of [a stay pending appeal] does so at his own risk”). Seeking a stay pending appeal thus “is of the **utmost importance** to an appellant desiring to preserve an appeal of a confirmation order.” *In re Loral Space & Commc’ns Ltd.*, 342 B.R. at 141 (emphasis added).

Here, Appellants, who were well aware of the transactions contemplated to be taken soon after entry of the Confirmation Order,⁸ did not at any point move to stay the Confirmation Order. This is so despite the fact that the Confirmation Order was entered nearly a full month prior to the Plan Effective Date. Instead, Appellants allowed the Plan to go effective, and the Debtors' creditors, lenders, investors, aircraft lessors, customers, vendors, shareholders, employees, and regulators relied, and continue to rely, on the Confirmation Order in investing in, and transacting business with, the Reorganized Debtors. Appellants have not "pursued with diligence all available remedies to obtain a stay of execution of the objectionable order," and their Appeals should be dismissed as equitably moot. *Chateaugay II*, 10 F.3d at 953; *see also, e.g., In re Metromedia Fiber Network, Inc.*, 416 F.3d at 145 (noting that an appellant who failed to seek a stay was to "bear the burden" of any uncertainty as to whether relief could be fashioned without "violence to the overall arrangements"); *Upstream Energy Servs. v. Enron Corp. (In re Enron Corp.)*, 326 B.R. 497, 504 (S.D.N.Y. 2005) (finding, in light of appellant's failure to seek a stay, that it "would be manifestly inequitable at this

⁸ As noted *supra*, the Plan and the documents included in the Plan Supplement have consistently detailed the complex actions expected to be taken upon confirmation of the Plan. At the Confirmation Hearing, counsel to the Debtors again highlighted the "series of rather complicated steps" that would be taken to implement the Avianca's post-emergence structure. *See* Transcript of Oct. 26, 2021 Hearing at 49:1-22.

late stage to modify even this one provision of the Plan that so many parties have relied upon in making various, potentially irrevocable decisions”); *Resolution Tr. Corp. v. Best Prods. Co., Inc. (In re Best Prods. Co., Inc.)*, 177 B.R. 791, 801, 807 (S.D.N.Y. 1995) (dismissing appeal of a Chapter 11 confirmation order, noting appellant’s “absolute failure to even seek a stay”).

Appellants made no effort to stay the Confirmation Order, and likewise made no effort to expedite these Appeals or pursue with diligence any other available remedies. Appellants’ failure to seek a stay of the Confirmation Order forecloses them from overcoming the presumption of equitable mootness. In fact, it should be the end of this Court’s inquiry.

B. *The Court Cannot Fashion Effective Relief Without Unraveling Intricate Transactions nor Without Affecting the Reemergence of the Debtors as a Revitalized Corporate Entity*

One of the *Chateaugay* factors considers whether an effective remedy can still be granted; two other *Chateaugay* factors consider whether, even if an effective remedy is available, it would negatively impact reemergence of the debtor as a revitalized corporate entity or result in the total unwinding of the transactions implemented in reliance on the appealed order and the creation of an unmanageable situation for the bankruptcy court presiding over the case.

Each of Appellants’ statements of the issues on appeal [Bankr. ECF 2368, 2373], as well as the Baruch Appellate Brief, makes clear that the relief Appellants

seek is nothing less than complete unwinding of the Plan. Appellants argue that “the Plan is fatally flawed and the bankruptcy court’s approval of the Plan should be reversed.” *See* Baruch Appellate Brief at 6. Specifically, Appellants argue that their claims were misclassified and that the Plan violates the absolute priority rule, *see* Bankr. ECF 2373 at 3; that the substantive consolidation of the Debtors for purposes of the Plan was improper and should be undone, *see* Bankr. ECF 2368 at 6, Baruch Appellate Brief at 24; and that the Debtors’ valuation, although supported by uncontroverted evidence, should be reexamined (notwithstanding Appellants’ failure to seek discovery related to, or set forth any evidence as to, the Debtors’ valuation), *see* Bankr. ECF 2373 at 3.

A review of Appellants’ submissions thus makes clear that Appellants are seeking (i) a reclassification of their claims, (ii) a new valuation hearing that would reapportion the already distributed value, and (iii) an undoing of the substantive consolidation of the Debtors. As such, the relief Appellants seek would necessarily result in the unraveling of all transactions undertaken by the Debtors and Reorganized Debtors in reliance on the Confirmation Order, and would undermine the Reorganized Debtors’ emergence as a reorganized corporate entity. *See, e.g., In re Calpine Corp.*, 390 B.R. at 521-22 (noting that “too many extensive and complex transactions have been consummated at this point to permit granting Appellants the relief they seek”—including a new valuation hearing—“without

creating an impractical and unmanageable situation for the Bankruptcy Court”); *Ahuja v. Lightsquared Inc.*, 644 F. App’x 24, 27 (2d Cir. 2016) (“[W]e find that vacating the confirmation order and redistributing the equity in [the] reorganized [debtor] is not the type of relief that can be undertaken without knocking the props out from under completed transactions or affecting the reemergence of the debtor from bankruptcy.”).⁹

Reversal of the Confirmation Order now, following substantial consummation of the Plan, could not reinstate the pre-Plan Effective Date *status quo*. Instead, it would send the reorganized company back to the Bankruptcy Court in a chaotic and unmanageable state. In connection with the Debtors’ emergence, a new, multi-country holding company structure has been established.

⁹ Even if Appellants sought a lesser form of relief (*i.e.*, solely different distribution on account of Appellants’ claims), such relief would be inequitable and would knock the props out from under the Plan. *See, e.g., In re Charter*, 691 F.3d at 488 (finding that the court could not grant monetary damages to an appellant asserting misclassification of its claim without unwinding the reorganization plan to reclassify claims); *Hargreaves v. Nuverra Envtl. Sols., Inc. (In re Nuverra Envtl. Sols., Inc.)*, 590 B.R. 75, 85 (D. Del. 2018) (agreeing that granting additional recovery to one creditor but not to other creditors of the same class would be “unfair . . . and thus, prohibited under the Bankruptcy Code”). Moreover, because any such lesser form of relief would necessarily require a re-valuation and reapportionment of value, granting such relief “would be inequitable” given that “so many parties have relied upon . . . [the valuation] in [the] consummated plan of reorganization . . . in making at least some potentially irrevocable decisions.” *In re Calpine Corp.*, 390 B.R. at 520. Indeed, “[a]n appeal should . . . be dismissed as moot when, even though effective relief could conceivably be fashioned, implementation of that relief would be inequitable.” *In re Metromedia Fiber Network, Inc.*, 416 F.3d at 143 (citation and internal quotation marks omitted).

A new Board of Directors has been installed, and the companies have taken duly authorized corporate actions, including in connection with operating Avianca's significant air travel and cargo services. A complex series of new entity incorporations was completed to implement the Reorganized Debtors' new corporate structure and equity issuance under the Plan. Providing Appellants with the relief they seek would require that the new structure be unwound; that the governing documents adopted by the Reorganized Debtors and the New Entities and the appointments to the new Board of Directors be nullified; that the distribution of the tens of millions of new common shares be clawed back; and that numerous transactions, releases, and extensions of credit in which many parties have engaged in reliance on the effectiveness of the Plan be unwound. Reversal of the Confirmation Order would not just "amount to imposing a different plan of reorganization on the parties," (*In re Specialty Equip. Cos.*, 3 F.3d 1043, 1049 (7th Cir. 1993)), but leave the parties in a state of chaos with no plan at all.

Moreover, creditors who voted to accept the Plan agreed to the compromises of their claims embodied in the Plan on the basis of the terms of the Plan as a whole. The syndicate of lenders who agreed to convert the debtor-in-possession financing they had provided to the Debtors to reorganized equity, and to provide new financing to the Reorganized Debtors, similarly made such investment decisions on the basis of the totality of the Plan. Indeed, entry of a confirmation

order approving each of the provisions that would be undermined if the Appeals are granted was a condition to these transactions. None of these and many other actions can be unwound without serious adverse consequences, even if there was a basis to do so. Indeed, under the Plan, “[c]onfirmation . . . constitute[d] a judicial determination . . . that each term and provision of the Plan . . . is . . . nonseverable and mutually dependent.” *See* Plan at Art. XIII.J. Thus, if Appellants were to prevail on their Appeals, the entire Plan, having already been substantially consummated, would unravel. *See In re Calpine Corp.*, 390 B.R. at 519 (finding that where a plan contained a nonseverability provision nearly identical to that at issue here, “if the [total enterprise value] were modified” as requested by appellants, “it would require the parties to negotiate a new joint reorganization plan”); *In re Great Atl. & Pac. Tea Co., Inc.*, 2013 WL 1310330 at *23.

The financial impact on the Reorganized Debtors of unwinding the Plan and sending them back to the drawing board to formulate a new one is incalculable. Reversal of the transactions and agreements undertaken to implement the Plan would result in staggering costs and could give rise to additional liabilities and contractual damages. As the *Charter* court noted, the Court “must also consider the heavy transactional costs associated with the . . . relief [appellants] seek.” *In re Charter*, 691 F.3d at 485. There is no doubt that granting the relief Appellants

seek would jeopardize the Debtors' reemergence as revitalized corporate entities and create an unmanageable situation for the Bankruptcy Court.

C. *Parties Who Would be Adversely Affected Have Not Had Notice of the Appeal*

The remaining *Chateaugay* factor considers whether parties who would be adversely impacted by the appeal have received notice of the appeal. Many have not. Approximately 80,000 parties received notice of the Confirmation Hearing, including creditors, customers, employees, vendors, and regulators. Appellants have not contended that they have notified all such parties of the proposed reversal or modification of the Confirmation Order.

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Appellants cannot meet the *Chateaugay* factors and thus cannot overcome the presumption of equitable mootness. The Appeals should be dismissed.

CONCLUSION

For all of the foregoing reasons, the Appeals should be dismissed with prejudice as equitably moot.

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EXHIBIT A



EXHIBIT B

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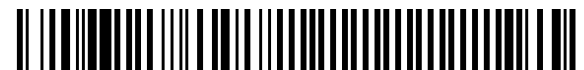
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In re: : Chapter 11
AVIANCA HOLDINGS S.A., *et al.*,¹ : Case No. 20-11133 (MG)
Debtors. : (Jointly Administered)
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**ORDER (I) CONFIRMING FURTHER MODIFIED JOINT
CHAPTER 11 PLAN OF AVIANCA HOLDINGS S.A. AND
ITS AFFILIATED DEBTORS AND (II) GRANTING RELATED RELIEF**

Upon the filing by Avianca Holdings S.A. and its above-captioned affiliates, as debtors and debtors in possession in these Chapter 11 Cases (collectively, the “**Debtors**”) of the *Further Modified Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Avianca Holdings S.A. and its Affiliated Debtors* [Docket No. 2259] (as amended or modified in accordance with its terms, the “**Plan**”),² which is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**; and the Court previously having entered the Disclosure Statement Order [Docket No. 2136] approving the adequacy of the Disclosure Statement and the solicitation

¹ The Debtors in these cases (the “**Chapter 11 Cases**”), and each Debtor’s federal tax identification number (to the extent applicable), are as follows: Avianca Holdings S.A. (N/A); Aero Transporte de Carga Unión, S.A. de C.V. (N/A); Aeroinversiones de Honduras, S.A. (N/A); Aerovías del Continente Americano S.A. Avianca (N/A); Airlease Holdings One Ltd. (N/A); America Central (Canada) Corp. (00-1071563); America Central Corp. (65-0444665); AV International Holdco S.A. (N/A); AV International Holdings S.A. (N/A); AV International Investments S.A. (N/A); AV International Ventures S.A. (N/A); AV Investments One Colombia S.A.S. (N/A); AV Investments Two Colombia S.A.S. (N/A); AV Loyalty Bermuda Ltd. (N/A); AV Taca International Holdco S.A. (N/A); Aviacorp Enterprises S.A. (N/A); Avianca Costa Rica S.A. (N/A); Avianca Leasing, LLC (47-2628716); Avianca, Inc. (13-1868573); Avianca-Ecuador S.A. (N/A); Aviaservicios, S.A. (N/A); Aviateca, S.A. (N/A); Avifreight Holding Mexico, S.A.P.I. de C.V. (N/A); C.R. Int’l Enterprises, Inc. (59-2240957); Grupo Taca Holdings Limited (N/A); International Trade Marks Agency Inc. (N/A); Inversiones del Caribe, S.A. (N/A); Isleña de Inversiones, S.A. de C.V. (N/A); Latin Airways Corp. (N/A); Latin Logistics, LLC (41-2187926); Nicaragüense de Aviación, Sociedad Anónima (N/A); Regional Express Américas S.A.S. (N/A); Ronair N.V. (N/A); Servicio Terrestre, Aereo y Rampa S.A. (N/A); Servicios Aeroportuarios Integrados SAI S.A.S. (92-4006439); Taca de Honduras, S.A. de C.V. (N/A); Taca de México, S.A. (N/A); Taca International Airlines S.A. (N/A); Taca S.A. (N/A); Tampa Cargo S.A.S. (N/A); Technical and Training Services, S.A. de C.V. (N/A). The Debtors’ principal offices are located at Avenida Calle 26 # 59 – 15 Bogotá, Colombia.

² Capitalized terms used in this Confirmation Order but not otherwise defined shall have the meaning ascribed to them in the Plan.



procedures with respect to the acceptances and rejections of the Plan; and the Debtors having served the Solicitation Packages, including the Disclosure Statement, on the Holders of Claims and Interests pursuant to the Disclosure Statement Order as reflected in the *Certificate of Service* [Docket No. 2197]; and the Debtors having filed the documents comprising the Plan Supplement commencing on October 5, 2021 and continuing thereafter (*see* [Docket Nos. 2185, 2208]); and a hearing on confirmation of the Plan having been held on October 26, 2021 (the “**Confirmation Hearing**”); and the Court having considered (i) the record of the Chapter 11 Cases and of the Confirmation Hearing, (ii) the stakeholder support for the Plan evidenced in the *Certification of P. Joseph Morrow IV with Respect to the Tabulation of Votes on the Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Avianca Holdings S.A. and Its Affiliated Debtors* [Docket No. 2239] (the “**Voting Certification**”), (iii) the briefs filed in connection with the confirmation proceedings and the arguments made and evidence presented at the Confirmation Hearing; and after due deliberation:

THE COURT HEREBY FINDS AND CONCLUDES:³

I. The Court has jurisdiction over these Chapter 11 Cases pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1334. Confirmation of the Plan is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b), and the Court has jurisdiction to enter a Final Order determining that the Plan complies with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code and other applicable law and should be approved and confirmed. Venue is proper before the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1408.

II. The Debtors are entities eligible for relief under section 109 of the Bankruptcy Code.

³ The findings and conclusions set forth herein and in the record of the Confirmation Hearing constitute the Bankruptcy Court’s findings of fact and conclusions of law under Rule 52 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, as made applicable herein by Bankruptcy Rules 7052 and 9014. If any of the following findings of fact constitute conclusions of law, they are adopted as such; if any of the following conclusions of law constitute findings of fact, they are adopted as such.

III. Votes on the Plan were solicited and tabulated fairly, reasonably, in good faith, and in compliance with the Disclosure Statement Order, the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, the Bankruptcy Local Rules, and any applicable non-bankruptcy rules, laws, and regulations. The Debtors, the Supporting Tranche B Lenders, the Committee, and their respective Related Parties participated in good faith and in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code in the offer, issuance, sale, solicitation, and/or purchase of the securities offered under the Plan, and therefore are entitled to the protections of section 1125(e) of the Bankruptcy Code to the full extent provided therein.

IV. The Plan has been proposed in good faith and not by any means forbidden by law. In so finding, the Court has considered the totality of the circumstances of these Chapter 11 Cases. The Plan is the result of extensive, good faith, arm's-length negotiations among the Debtors and their principal constituencies.

V. The findings of fact and conclusions of law set forth in Exhibit B hereto with respect to certain objections filed in connection with Confirmation of the Plan (the “**Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law**”) are hereby adopted, are incorporated herein by reference, and are an integral part of this Confirmation Order.

VI. The Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement, the Second United Omnibus Amendment, and the transactions contemplated thereby are an essential element of the Plan and are proposed in good faith. The terms and conditions of the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement, the Second United Omnibus Amendment, and the transactions contemplated thereby (A) have been negotiated in good faith and at arm's length, without the intent to hinder, delay, or defraud any of the Debtors' creditors; (B) are fair and reasonable; (C) represent a valid exercise of

the Debtors' business judgment; (D) are supported by reasonably equivalent value and fair consideration; and (E) are in the best interests of the Debtors, their Estates, and their stakeholders.

VII. The Avianca Plan Consolidation is appropriate and warranted under the circumstances.

VIII. The Debtors, as proponents of the Plan, have met their burden of proving, by a preponderance of the evidence, that the Plan complies with all applicable provisions of section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code.

IX. The Plan properly classifies all Claims against and Interests in the Debtors, and properly specifies Impaired and Unimpaired Classes. The Plan has been accepted with respect to the Avianca Debtors by each Impaired Class entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan. All Classes of Claims against each of the Unconsolidated Debtors are Unimpaired.

X. The Plan does not "discriminate unfairly" and is "fair and equitable" with respect to all Classes that are Impaired and voted to, or are deemed to, reject the Plan, because, among other things, no Class senior to any rejecting Class is being paid more than in full and the Plan does not provide a recovery on account of any Claim or Interest that is junior to such rejecting Classes.

XI. In accordance with section 1123(b)(3)(A) of the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rule 9019, and in consideration for the classification, distributions, releases, and other benefits provided under the Plan, the provisions of the Plan (including the Global Plan Settlement) shall constitute an arms'-length and good-faith compromise and settlement of all Claims and Interests and controversies resolved pursuant to the Plan, and all distributions made to holders of Allowed Claims and Interests in any Class in accordance with the Plan are intended to be, and shall be, final.

XII. The releases contained in Article IX of the Plan are an essential component of the Plan. The releases contained in Article IX of the Plan (i) are an essential means of implementing the Plan; (ii) are an integral and non-severable element of the Plan and the transactions incorporated herein; (iii) confer substantial benefits on the Debtors' Estates; (iv) are in exchange for good and valuable consideration provided by the Released Parties; (v) are a good-faith settlement and compromise of the Claims and Causes of Action released by the Plan; (vi) are materially beneficial to and in the best interests of the Debtors, their Estates, and all holders of Claims and Interests; (vii) are fair, equitable, and reasonable; (viii) are given and made after due notice and opportunity for hearing; and (ix) are a bar to the Debtor and the Releasing Parties asserting any Claim or Causes of Action released pursuant by Article IX of the Plan. In addition, the third-party releases contained in Article IX.E of the Plan are consensual in that all Persons and Entities to be bound thereby were given due and adequate notice thereof and sufficient opportunity and adequate instructions to elect to opt out of such releases.

XIII. The exculpation provided by Article IX.F of the Plan for the benefit of the Exculpated Parties is integral to the Plan, reasonable in scope, and appropriately tailored to the circumstances of these cases.

XIV. The injunction provided by Article IX.G of the Plan is essential to the Plan and is necessary to implement the Plan and to preserve and enforce the discharge, the releases by the Debtors, the releases by Holders of Claims and Interests, and the exculpation under the Plan. The injunction provisions are fair and reasonable and appropriately tailored to achieve those purposes.

XV. The Debtors have exercised sound business judgment in determining whether to reject, assume, or assume and assign each of their Executory Contracts and Unexpired

Leases pursuant to sections 365 and 1123(b)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code, in accordance with Article VI of the Plan and as set forth in the Plan Supplement. Except with respect to Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases to be assumed or assumed and assigned pursuant to Article VI of the Plan and as set forth in the Plan Supplement (collectively, the “**Assumed Contracts**”) that are the subject of an Assumption Dispute, the Debtors have cured or demonstrated their ability to cure any default with respect to any act or omission that occurred prior to the Effective Date under the Assumed Contracts within the meaning of section 365(b)(1)(A) of the Bankruptcy Code, and the promise by the Reorganized Debtors to perform the obligations under the respective Assumed Contracts after the Effective Date shall constitute adequate assurance of their future performance of and under each of the respective Assumed Contracts within the meaning of sections 365(b)(1) and 365(f)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code, as applicable.

XVI. Pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 3019, the amendments and/or modifications made to the *Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Avianca Holdings S.A. and its Affiliated Debtors* [Docket No. 2137] (the “**Solicited Plan**”) made since the filing thereof do not require either (a) any additional disclosure under section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code or (b) the re-solicitation of votes under section 1126 of the Bankruptcy Code because such amendments and/or modifications do not adversely change the treatment of any Claims or Interests.

XVII. The Exit Facility and the Exit Facility Documents are each an essential element of the Plan, are necessary for Confirmation and Consummation of the Plan, and are critical to the overall success and feasibility of the Plan. The execution, performance, incurrence of all obligations (including, without limitation, any fees and expenses due in connection with the Exit Facility Documents) to be paid by the Reorganized Debtors, and the creation and perfection of the Liens in connection therewith and the priority thereof, are necessary and appropriate for

Confirmation of the Plan and the operations of the Reorganized Debtors. The Exit Facility and the Exit Facility Documents were negotiated and shall be deemed to be negotiated at arm's-length and in good faith, without the intent to hinder, delay, or defraud any creditor of the Debtors, and are supported by reasonably equivalent value and fair consideration. The Debtors have exercised reasonable business judgment in determining to enter into the Exit Facility and the Exit Facility Documents and have provided sufficient and adequate notice of the material terms of the Exit Facility to all parties in interest in these Chapter 11 Cases. The execution, delivery, or performance by the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, of any of the Exit Facility Documents and compliance by the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, with the terms thereof is authorized by, and will not conflict with, the terms of the Plan or this Confirmation Order.

XVIII. The offering, issuance, and distribution of the Exit A-1 Notes and the Exit A-2 Notes are subject to or are made in good faith and in reliance upon exemptions from the requirements of section 5 of the Securities Act and any state or local laws requiring registration for offer or sale of a security or registration or licensing of an issuer of, underwriter of, or broker dealing in, a security pursuant to section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act, or any other available exemption from registration under the Securities Act, as applicable.

XIX. The Debtors have elected to implement the Restructuring Transactions contemplated by the Plan in accordance with the Transaction Steps set forth in Exhibit A to the Plan Supplement, in accordance with the authority set forth in Article V.C of the Plan.

XX. The issuance of the New Common Equity and the Warrants is an essential element of the Plan and is in the best interests of the Debtors, the Estates, and their stakeholders. The New Organizational Documents, the Shareholders Agreement, and the Warrant Agreement are essential elements of the Plan. The terms of the New Organizational Documents, the Shareholders

Agreement, and the Warrant Agreement are fair and reasonable, and the Debtors have provided adequate notice of the material terms thereof.

XXI. The New Common Equity and the Warrants issued under the Plan are in exchange for, or principally in exchange for, the Tranche B DIP Obligations or the General Unsecured Avianca Claims. The New Common Equity, the Warrants, and any New Common Equity issuable upon exercise of the Warrants may and shall be issued without registration under the Securities Act or any similar federal, state, or local law in reliance upon section 1145 of the Bankruptcy Code.

BASED ON THE FOREGOING, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

A. Confirmation of the Plan

1. The Plan is confirmed.
2. Any and all objections, statements, informal objections, and reservations of rights, if any, related to the Plan, Disclosure Statement, or Confirmation of the Plan that have not been withdrawn or resolved prior to the Confirmation Hearing are hereby overruled on the merits.
3. The amendments and/or modifications to the Solicited Plan made since the filing thereof are approved in accordance with section 1127(a) of the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rule 3019(a). Any votes timely and properly cast on the Solicited Plan shall constitute votes on the Plan.
4. The documents contained in the Plan Supplement are integral to the Plan and are approved by the Court, and the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors (as applicable) are authorized to take all actions required to effectuate the Plan and the transactions contemplated therein, including, for the avoidance of doubt, the implementation of the Transaction Steps and the issuance and registration, as applicable, of any equity or debt security in connection with the Plan.

5. The Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement, the terms thereof, and the transactions contemplated therein, including, without limitation, the Equity Conversion (as defined therein) and the Tranche B Equity Contribution, are integral to the Plan and are approved by the Court in all respects. The Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors (as applicable) are authorized to take all actions required to effectuate the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement and the transactions contemplated therein. The failure to specifically include or refer to any particular article, section, or provision of the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement does not diminish or impair the effectiveness or enforceability of such article, section, or provision.

6. The terms of the Plan, the Plan Supplement, and the exhibits thereto are incorporated herein by reference and are an integral part of this Confirmation Order. Notwithstanding Bankruptcy Rules 3020(c), 6004(h), 7062, or otherwise, upon the occurrence of the Effective Date, the terms of the Plan, the Plan Supplement, all exhibits thereto and all amendments thereto, and all other documents necessary for the implementation of the foregoing shall be immediately effective and enforceable and deemed binding on the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors, the respective parties thereto, all present and former holders of Claims against the Debtors or Interests in the Debtors, and their respective heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns. The failure to specifically include or refer to any particular article, section, or provision of the Plan, the Plan Supplement, or any related document in this Confirmation Order does not diminish or impair the effectiveness or enforceability of such article, section, or provision. Prior to the Effective Date, subject to any consent rights or conditions precedent set forth in the DIP Facility Documents or the Exit Facility Documents, including the consent rights of the Supporting Tranche B Lenders under the Plan and the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement, as applicable, and the consent rights of the DIP Agent under the DIP Facility Documents, as

applicable, the Debtors may amend or modify the Plan in accordance with the Plan, including Article XI.A thereof, and section 1127(b) of the Bankruptcy Code. Prior to the Effective Date, subject to any consent rights or conditions precedent set forth in the Plan, DIP Facility Documents, or Exit Facility Documents, the Debtors shall have the right to finalize, amend, supplement, or modify the Plan Supplement, and any other documents necessary for the implementation thereof, through the Effective Date (or as otherwise set forth in the Plan, including Article VI.A thereof) in accordance with the Plan, the DIP Facility Documents, the Bankruptcy Code, and the Bankruptcy Rules.

7. The terms of the New Organizational Documents, the Shareholders Agreement, and the Warrant Agreement (including any modifications or amendments made in accordance with paragraph 6 of this Order) are approved in all respects. The obligations of the applicable Reorganized Debtors related thereto will, upon execution, constitute legal, valid, binding, and authorized obligations of each of the applicable Reorganized Debtors, enforceable in accordance with their terms. On the Effective Date, without any further order of the Bankruptcy Court or action by any other party, each Reorganized Debtor, as applicable, shall be and is authorized to enter into the New Organizational Documents, the Shareholders Agreement, and the Warrant Agreement. In addition, on and, as applicable, after, the Effective Date, without any further order of the Bankruptcy Court or action by any other party, each Reorganized Debtor, as applicable, shall be and is authorized to (a) execute, deliver, file, and record any other contracts, assignments, certificates, instruments, agreements, or other documents to be executed and delivered in connection with the New Organizational Documents, the Shareholders Agreement, and the Warrants; (b) issue the New Common Equity, the Warrants, and any New Common Equity that may be issuable upon the exercise of the Warrants; (c) perform all of its obligations under the

New Organizational Documents, the Shareholders Agreement, and the Warrant Agreement; (d) take all other actions as any of the officers of such Reorganized Debtor may deem necessary, appropriate, or desirable, in their business judgment, to effectuate the terms of the New Organizational Documents, the Shareholders Agreement, and the Warrant Agreement. Each Tranche B DIP Lender, Electing General Unsecured Claimholder, and any of their permitted designees, successors, or assigns, shall be required to execute and deliver to the Reorganized Debtors a Deed of Adherence (as defined in the Shareholders Agreement) as a condition to receiving any distribution of New Common Equity under the Plan (including any New Common Equity issuable upon exercise of the Warrants). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Confirmation Order or the Plan, any disputes arising under the New Organizational Documents, the Shareholders Agreement, or the Warrant Agreement will be governed by the jurisdictional provisions therein.

8. The Avianca Plan Consolidation, on the terms set forth in the Plan, is approved pursuant to section 105(a) of the Bankruptcy Code.

9. This Confirmation Order shall constitute, to the greatest extent permissible, all approvals and consents, if any, required by the laws, rules or regulations of any state or any governmental authority with respect to the implementation or consummation of the Plan and any act that may be necessary or appropriate for the implementation or consummation of the Plan.

10. Each federal, state, commonwealth, local, foreign, or other governmental agency is authorized and directed to accept for filing and/or recording any and all documents, mortgages, and instruments necessary or appropriate to effectuate, implement, or consummate the transactions contemplated by the Plan and this Confirmation Order, including, without limitation, this Confirmation Order itself.

11. The compromises and settlements set forth in the Plan, including the Global Plan Settlement, are approved and shall be, effective as of the Effective Date, binding on all parties in interest in the Chapter 11 Cases.

12. Pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 3020(c)(1), the following Plan provisions are expressly approved and shall be effective on the Effective Date without further order or action by the Court or any other Entity: (i) Releases by the Debtors (Article IX.D); (ii) Releases by Holders of Claims or Interests (Article IX.E); (iii) Exculpation (Article IX.F); and (iv) Injunction (Article IX.G). All parties deemed to grant the releases contained in Article IX.E of the Plan are forever barred from asserting any Claim or Cause of Action against any of the Released Parties released thereby.

13. Notwithstanding anything herein, the Reorganized Debtors shall retain and may enforce all rights to commence and pursue, as appropriate, any and all Retained Causes of Action on the terms set forth in Article V.N of the Plan.

14. Except as otherwise provided in the Plan, the Exit Facility Documents, or in any contract, instrument, release, or other agreement or document created pursuant to the Plan or the Exit Facility Documents (or with respect to the Liens granted in accordance with the DIP Facility (the “DIP Liens”) in foreign jurisdictions where such DIP Liens will be assigned in favor of the holders of the Exit Facility Lenders rather than terminated), on the Effective Date and concurrently with the applicable distributions made pursuant to the Plan and, in the case of a Secured Claim, satisfaction in full of the portion of the Secured Claim that is Allowed as of the Effective Date, all mortgages, deeds of trust, Liens, pledges, or other security interests against any property of the Estates shall be fully released and discharged, and all of the right, title, and interest of any holder of such mortgages, deeds of trust, Liens, pledges, or other security interests shall revert to the Reorganized Debtors and their successors and assigns. To the extent that any holder of a Secured

Claim that has been satisfied or discharged pursuant to the Plan, or any agent for such holder, has filed or recorded any Liens to secure such holder's Secured Claim, then on or as soon as practicable after the Effective Date, such holder (or the agent for such holder) shall, at the Debtors' or Reorganized Debtors' sole cost and expense, take any and all steps reasonably requested by the Debtors, Reorganized Debtors, or the Exit Facility Indenture Trustee that are necessary to cancel and/or extinguish such Liens, which shall be automatically canceled/or extinguished on the Effective Date pursuant to the entry of this Order; provided, that the foregoing shall not apply to the Secured RCF Liens.

15. In accordance with Article VII.C of the Plan, Michelle A. Dreyer, a Managing Director at CSC Global Financial Markets, is hereby appointed the General Unsecured Claims Observer as of the Effective Date and shall have standing to appear before the Bankruptcy Court with respect to matters arising out of or related to reconciliation, Allowance, and settlement of any General Unsecured Avianca Claims, as well as any objections thereto. For the avoidance of doubt, the Reorganized Debtors, in their business judgment and in consultation with the General Unsecured Claims Observer, may deem a claim "Allowed" following the Effective Date without further order of the Bankruptcy Court.

16. On the Effective Date, with respect to the Plan, the Committee shall be deemed to have been dissolved, and the members thereof, and their respective officers, employees, counsel, advisors and agents, shall be released and discharged of and from all further authority, duties, responsibilities, and obligations related to and arising from and in connection with the Chapter 11 Cases, except with respect to any continuing confidentiality obligations and for the limited purpose of, if applicable, prosecuting requests for allowances of compensation and reimbursement of expenses incurred prior to the Effective Date; and, in the event that the Bankruptcy Court's entry

of the Confirmation Order is appealed, participating in such appeal. From and after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors shall continue to pay, when due and payable in the ordinary course of business, the reasonable and documented fees and expenses of the Committee's professionals solely to the extent arising out of or related to the foregoing without further order of the Bankruptcy Court.

17. The Debtors shall cause a notice of the entry of this Confirmation Order and occurrence of the Effective Date, substantially in the form attached hereto as **Exhibit C** (the "**Confirmation Notice**"), to be served upon (i) all parties listed in the creditor matrix maintained by KCC LLC (as the claims, noticing, and solicitation agent in the Chapter 11 Cases), (ii) all parties that filed proofs of claim in the Chapter 11 Cases, and (iii) such additional Persons and Entities as deemed appropriate by the Reorganized Debtors, no later than five (5) business days after the Effective Date. The Reorganized Debtors shall use commercially reasonable efforts to publish the Confirmation Notice (or a notice substantially similar thereto) in *The New York Times* (National Edition), *USA Today*, *El Diario de Hoy*, *Diario de Comercio*, *Diario la República*, *El Tiempo*, and *La República* within ten (10) business days after the Effective Date, or as soon as practicable thereafter (allowing reasonable time for translation and other administrative and logistical issues). No other or further notice of the entry of this Confirmation Order and occurrence of the Effective Date shall be necessary.

B. Allowance of 2023 Notes Claims

18. On the date upon which the period of time fixed by the Plan (including pursuant to Article VII.F of the Plan), the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, or the Bankruptcy Court to file an objection to the Allowance of a Claim has elapsed, 2023 Notes Claims

shall be Allowed in an aggregate amount of \$138,444,312.28, subject to adjustment with respect to any DWAC withdrawals that may occur on or after October 22, 2021.

C. Exit Facility

19. The Exit Facility is hereby approved and authorized in all respects. The Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors (and any agent on behalf of parties entitled to receive Exit A-1 Notes or Exit A-2 Notes), as applicable, are hereby authorized in all respects, without further approval of the Bankruptcy Court or any other party, to take all actions as necessary or desirable to implement, consummate, and perform under the Exit Facility, including the payment or reimbursement of any fees, indemnities, and expenses under or pursuant to the Exit Facility Documents and to grant Liens to secure such indebtedness. In accordance with section 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code and applicable non-bankruptcy law, such actions may be taken without further action by stockholders, members, partners, managers, or directors.

20. The Exit Facility Documents are hereby authorized and approved. On the Effective Date, subject to the consent, approval rights, and conditions precedent of the applicable parties with respect to such documents as set forth in the Plan, the applicable Reorganized Debtors shall enter into the Exit Facility Documents to the extent they are party thereto, including any documents required in connection with the creation, perfection, or priority of Liens in connection therewith. Confirmation shall be deemed approval of the Exit Facility Documents (and the transactions contemplated thereby, all actions to be taken, undertakings to be made, and obligations to be incurred and fees paid by the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors in connection therewith), and the Reorganized Debtors are authorized to execute and deliver those documents necessary or appropriate to consummate the applicable Exit Facility Documents without further notice to or order of the Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule or vote, consent, authorization, or approval of any Person, subject to such further negotiations,

amendments, and modifications as may be agreed between the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors and the applicable Exit Facility Lenders. For the avoidance of doubt, the Effective Date shall not occur unless the conditions precedent to the effectiveness of the Exit Facility shall have been satisfied or duly waived in writing in accordance with the terms of the DIP Facility Documents and the Exit Facility Documents, as applicable.

21. On the Effective Date, the Exit Facility Documents, including any documents required in connection with the creation or perfection of Liens in connection therewith, shall constitute legal, valid, binding, and authorized indebtedness and obligations of the applicable Reorganized Debtors, enforceable in accordance with their respective terms, and such indebtedness and obligations shall not be, and shall not be deemed to be, enjoined or subject to discharge, impairment, release or avoidance under the Plan, the Confirmation Order, or on account of the Confirmation or Consummation of the Plan.

22. Subject to the satisfaction or waiver of the conditions precedent set forth in the DIP Facility Documents and Exit Facility Documents, as applicable, the Reorganized Debtors are hereby authorized to convert/repay the Tranche A-1 DIP Obligations and Tranche A-2 DIP Obligations with the Exit Facility and use the proceeds of such borrowings for any purpose permitted thereunder. The Reorganized Debtors shall pay, as and when due, the Conversion Premium (as defined in the DIP Facility Documents) and all other fees, expenses, losses, damages, indemnities, and other amounts, including any applicable refinancing premiums and applicable exit fees, provided under the DIP Facility Documents related to the DIP Facility and/or the Exit Facility Documents relating to such Exit Facility.

23. On the Effective Date, all of the Liens and security interests to be granted in accordance with the Exit Facility (a) shall be legal, binding, and enforceable Liens on, and

security interests in, the collateral granted thereunder in accordance with the terms of the Exit Facility Documents, (b) shall be deemed automatically attached and perfected on the Effective Date with the priority set forth in the Exit Facility Documents, and (c) shall not constitute preferential transfers, fraudulent conveyances, or other voidable transfers under the Bankruptcy Code or any applicable non-bankruptcy law and shall constitute legal, valid, and binding obligations of the Reorganized Debtors.

24. The obligations, guarantees, mortgages, pledges, Liens, and other security interests granted pursuant to or in connection with the Exit Facility (collectively, the “**Exit Facility Obligations and Security Interests**”) are reasonable and granted in good faith, for good and valuable consideration, and for legitimate business purposes as an inducement to the Exit Facility lenders to extend credit and other financial accommodations thereunder. The Exit Facility Obligations and Security Interests shall not be enjoined or subject to discharge, impairment, release, avoidance, recharacterization, or subordination (including equitable subordination) for any purposes whatsoever under applicable law, the Plan or this Confirmation Order, and shall not constitute preferential transfers, fraudulent conveyances, or other voidable transfers under the Bankruptcy Code or any other applicable non-bankruptcy law.

25. The Exit Facility Indenture Trustee and Exit Facility Lenders, as applicable, are authorized, but not required, to file, with the appropriate authorities, UCC financing statements, mortgages, and other documents and instruments and to take possession of and control over, or to take any other action in order to evidence, validate, and perfect such Liens and security interests to the extent provided in the Exit Facility Documents. Subject in all cases to the terms and provisions of the Exit Facility Documents, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, are authorized to execute and deliver to the Exit Facility Indenture Trustee and Exit Facility

Lenders any such agreements, UCC financing statements, mortgages, instruments, and other documents, and to the extent provided in the Exit Facility Documents, obtain all governmental approvals and consents the Exit Facility Indenture Trustee and Exit Facility Lenders may reasonably request or that are required to establish and perfect such Liens and security interests under the provisions of the applicable state, provincial, federal, or other law (whether domestic or foreign) that would be applicable in the absence of the Plan and this Confirmation Order, and, subject to the terms and provisions of the Exit Facility Documents, the Debtors and Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, are hereby authorized to make any and all filings and recordings necessary or desirable, or that the holders of the Exit Notes reasonably request, to perfect and/or give notice of such Liens and security interests to third parties.

D. Reimbursement of DIP Facility Fees and Expenses

26. To the extent not previously paid during the course of the Chapter 11 Cases, the DIP Facility Fees and Expenses incurred, or estimated to be incurred, up to and including the Effective Date, shall be paid in full in Cash on the Effective Date in accordance with, and subject to, the terms of the DIP Facility Documents, without any requirement to file a fee application with the Bankruptcy Court, without the need for itemized time detail, or without any requirement for Bankruptcy Court review or approval. All DIP Facility Fees and Expenses to be paid on the Effective Date shall be estimated prior to and as of the Effective Date, and such estimates shall be delivered to the Debtors at least five (5) Business Days before the anticipated Effective Date; provided, that such estimates shall not be considered an admission or limitation with respect to such DIP Facility Fees and Expenses. On or as soon as practicable after the Effective Date, final invoices for all DIP Facility Fees and Expenses incurred prior to and as of the Effective Date shall be submitted to the Debtors. In addition, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors (as applicable) shall continue to pay when due pre- and post-Effective Date any DIP Facility Fees and Expenses

related to the DIP Facility in accordance with, and subject to, the terms of the DIP Orders and the DIP Facility Documents, whether incurred before, on, or after the Effective Date, without any requirement for Bankruptcy Court, U.S. Trustee, or Committee review or approval.

E. Cancellation of Loans and Securities

27. Except as otherwise provided in the Plan, the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement, the amended Secured RCF Documents, or the amended Engine Loan Documents, on the Effective Date or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter with respect to each Debtor, the DIP Facility Claims, Grupo Aval Receivable Facility Claims, Grupo Aval Lines of Credit Claims, 2020 Notes Claims, 2023 Notes Claims, Direct Loan Claims, Other Existing Equity Interests, and any other certificate, equity security, share, note, purchase right, option, warrant, or other instrument or document directly or indirectly evidencing or creating any indebtedness or obligation of, or ownership interest in, the Debtors giving rise to any Claim or Interest (except such certificates, notes, or other instruments or documents evidencing indebtedness or obligation of, or ownership interest in, the Debtors that are Reinstated or otherwise retained by holders thereof pursuant to the Plan), shall, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, be deemed cancelled, released, surrendered, extinguished, and discharged as to the Debtors without any need for further action or approval of the Bankruptcy Court or any holder thereof or any other Person or Entity, and the Reorganized Debtors shall not have any continuing obligations thereunder or in any way related thereto.

F. Executory Contract and Unexpired Leases

28. The rejections, assumptions, and assumptions and assignments, as applicable, of the Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases set forth in the Plan are approved pursuant to sections 365(a) and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code, effective as of the Effective Date and/or in accordance with the terms and conditions specified in the Plan Supplement in respect of

the Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases set forth in the Plan Supplement (including in respect of entry into New Aircraft Leases in connection with the rejection of certain pre-petition Aircraft Leases as set forth in the Plan Supplement).

29. The guarantee by Avianca Holdings S.A. of the obligations set forth in the *General Terms Agreement for the Supply of Seats for the CUSTOMER Aircraft Fleet (including Individual Agreement I, which is attached as Exhibit I thereto)*, dated as of May 26, 2021, among certain of the Debtors and RECARO Aircraft Seating Americas, LLC, shall be deemed to be assumed by Reorganized AVH as of the Effective Date, and Reorganized AVH shall be bound by the terms of such guarantee.

30. SAP Colombia S.A.S. and its affiliates (collectively, “SAP”) and certain of the Debtors are parties to various information technology agreements for software and software-related services, including, *inter alia*, cloud services, software support services, and consulting services (the “**SAP Contracts**”). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Order, the Plan, or the Plan Supplement, the Debtors may amend the Schedule of Assumed Contracts at any time within thirty (30) days after the date of entry of this Order to reject, assume, or assume and assign any of the SAP Contracts. SAP’s rights to object to the rejection, assumption, or assumption and assignment of the SAP Contracts are preserved, except with respect to timeliness under section 365(d)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code. SAP’s rights to object to the assumption, assumption and assignment, and/or a proposed cure amount for any of the SAP Contracts are extended to the date that is 30 days after the date of entry of this Order or, with respect to an SAP Contract that is designated by the Debtors to be assumed or assumed and assigned after the date of entry of this Order, thirty (30) days after the date of such designation. SAP’s rights to object to the rejection of any of the SAP Contracts or to file a Claim for rejection damages are extended to the date that

is thirty (30) days after the date of entry of this Order or, with respect to an SAP Contract that is designated by the Debtors to be rejected after the date of entry of this Order, thirty (30) days after the date of such designation.

31. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Plan or Confirmation Order, nothing shall modify the rights, if any, of Aero Miami II, LLC (“**Aero Miami**”) to assert any right of setoff or recoupment that Aero Miami may have under applicable bankruptcy or non-bankruptcy law, including, but not limited to (i) the ability, if any, of Aero Miami to setoff or recoup a security deposit held pursuant to the terms of their unexpired lease with the Debtors or any successors to the Debtors, under the Plan; (ii) assertion of rights of setoff or recoupment, if any, in connection with Claims reconciliation; or (iii) assertion of setoff or recoupment, if any, as a defense against any claim, right, or cause of action of the Debtors.

32. The *General Terms Agreement DEG 5105* dated June 29th, 2007 (the “**GTA**”) with Rolls-Royce Plc. and its affiliates (collectively, “**Rolls-Royce**”) shall remain in full force and effect until the date of either (x) the Reorganized Debtors’ and Rolls-Royce’s entry into definitive documentation memorializing each ordinary course transaction as set forth in that certain *Engine Support and TotalCare Life Proposal* with Rolls-Royce or (y) the parties failure to reach agreement on such definitive documentation, which upon such date the GTA is deemed rejected.

33. Airbus S.A.S. (“**Airbus**”) and certain of the Debtors are parties to that certain *A320neo Family Purchase Agreement* (reference CT1307579) (the “**Airbus Purchase Contract**”). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Order, the Plan, or the Plan Supplement, the Debtors may amend the Schedule of Assumed Contracts at any time within forty-five (45) days after the Effective Date (or such later date as agreed by Airbus and the Debtors) to

reject, assume, or assume and assign the Airbus Purchase Contract. Airbus's rights to object to the rejection, assumption, or assumption and assignment of the Airbus Purchase Contract are preserved, except with respect to timeliness under section 365(d)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code. Airbus's rights to object to the assumption, assumption and assignment, and/or a proposed cure amount for the Airbus Purchase Contract are extended to the date that is thirty (30) days after the date on which the Debtors designate the Airbus Purchase Contract for assumption or assumption and assignment. Airbus's rights to object to the rejection of the Airbus Purchase Contract or to file a Claim for rejection damages are extended to the date that is thirty (30) days after the date on which the Debtors designate the Airbus Purchase Contract for rejection.

34. The objection filed by Oracle Colombia Ltda. and Oracle America, Inc. (together, "**Oracle**") at [Docket No. 2232] to the assumption of a "Corporate Pricing Agreement" is preserved to the extent that such "Corporate Pricing Agreement" relates to Oracle's intellectual property. Oracle's rights to file new or modified claims in relation to contracts that are rejected pursuant to the Plan are preserved, as set forth in Article VI.A. of the Plan. For the avoidance of doubt, the applicable Reorganized Debtors shall continue to be bound by the post-petition "Support Renewal Agreement" executed by Oracle and certain of the Debtors, notwithstanding its absence from the Schedule of Assumed Contracts. Pursuant to Articles VI.A and VI.C of the Plan, any objection to the cure amount associated with the "Documento de pedido de licencia ilimitada perpetua y a termino (PULA)" listed on the amended Schedule of Assumed Contracts filed on October 26, 2021, need not be filed until seven (7) days after the date of this Order or such later date as may be agreed by the Debtors and Oracle.

G. New Common Equity and Warrants

35. All of the New Common Equity to be issued or distributed pursuant to the Plan (including New Common Equity issuable upon exercise of the Warrants) shall be (a) duly

authorized, validly issued, fully-paid, and non-assessable consistent with the terms of the New Organizational Documents and (b) not subject to avoidance or recharacterization for any purposes whatsoever and shall not constitute preferential transfers, fraudulent conveyances, or other voidable transactions under the Bankruptcy Code or any applicable non-bankruptcy law.

36. All of the New Common Equity and all Warrants issued or distributed pursuant to the Plan (including New Common Equity issuable upon exercise of the Warrants), whether solely in exchange for Claims or, in the case of certain Tranche B DIP Lenders, in exchange for Tranche B DIP Facility Claims and the Tranche B Equity Contribution, shall be exempt from the registration requirements of Section 5 of the Securities Act and any “Blue Sky” Laws of any U.S. jurisdiction pursuant to section 1145(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, except to the extent that they are subject to the provisions of section 1145(b)(1). The New Common Equity and the Warrants issued or distributed pursuant to the Plan (i) will not be a “restricted security” as defined in Rule 144(a)(3) under the Securities Act and (ii) will, except as provided in the New Organizational Documents and the Shareholders Agreement, be freely transferable by any holder thereof that is not (a) an “affiliate” of the Reorganized Debtors as defined in Rule 144(a)(1) under the Securities Act, (b) has not been such an “affiliate” within 90 days of such transfer, (c) has not acquired the New Common Equity or Warrants from an “affiliate” within one year of such transfer, and (d) is not an “underwriter” as defined in section 1145(b) of the Bankruptcy Code.

H. Certain Governmental Matters

1. Securities and Exchange Commission

37. Notwithstanding any language to the contrary contained in the Disclosure Statement, the Plan, and/or this Confirmation Order, no provision of the Plan or this Confirmation Order shall (i) preclude the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (“SEC”) from enforcing its police or regulatory powers or (ii) enjoin, limit, impair or delay the SEC from

commencing or continuing any claims, causes of action, proceedings, or investigations against any non-Debtor Person or non-Debtor Entity in any forum.

2. *Texas Comptroller; Unclaimed Property Division*

38. On or within one hundred and eighty (180) days after the Effective Date, the Debtors shall review their books and records and turn over to the Texas Comptroller any known Texas Unclaimed Property presumed abandoned before the Petition Date and reflected in property reports delivered by the Debtors to the Texas Comptroller under the Texas Unclaimed Property Laws (the “**Reported Unclaimed Property**”). With respect to such Reported Unclaimed Property, the Texas Comptroller will not seek payment of any interest or penalty by the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors.

39. Notwithstanding section 362 of the Bankruptcy Code and any injunctions in the Plan or Plan Supplements, after the Effective Date, the Texas Comptroller and its agents may commence an audit of the Debtors in accordance with the Texas Unclaimed Property Laws (the “**Texas Unclaimed Property Audit**”) and pursue recovery of any unremitted Texas Unclaimed Property identified pursuant to the Texas Unclaimed Property Audit. The Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors shall fully cooperate with the auditors to enable them to accurately and timely perform the Texas Unclaimed Property Audit by making the entities’ employees, professionals, books, and records available.

40. The Debtors’ rights and defenses with respect to any allegations and claims asserted against the Debtors arising from or relating to the Texas Unclaimed Property Audit are hereby reserved; provided, however, that upon agreement between the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors and the Texas Comptroller or a final non-appealable determination by a court or other tribunal with jurisdiction as to the amount of unremitted Texas Unclaimed Property, if any, that is

due in connection with the Texas Unclaimed Property Audit, the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors shall turn over such unremitted Texas Unclaimed Property to the Texas Comptroller.

41. The Texas Comptroller may file or amend any Proofs of Claim in these Chapter 11 Cases following the Effective Date as a result of the filing of any property reports or in the ordinary course of the Unclaimed Property Audit.

I. United Commercial Arrangement Matters

42. The Second United Omnibus Amendment is approved and ratified and shall vest in, and be binding on, the Reorganized Debtors pursuant to section 1141 of the Bankruptcy Code.

43. The Assumed United Agreements (as defined in the Second United Omnibus Amendment), as amended by section 1 of the Second United Omnibus Amendment, shall be assumed pursuant to sections 365 and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code and vest in, and be binding on, the Reorganized Debtors pursuant to section 1141 of the Bankruptcy Code.

44. The JBA (as defined in the Second United Omnibus Amendment), as amended by section 2 of the Second United Omnibus Amendment and the related agreements referenced in the JBA Letter Agreement, shall be assumed pursuant to sections 365 and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code and vest in, and be binding on, the Reorganized Debtors pursuant to section 1141 of the Bankruptcy Code.

45. The Interline Relationship Agreements (as defined in the United Omnibus Amendment) shall be assumed pursuant to sections 365 and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code and vest in, and be binding on, the Reorganized Debtors pursuant to section 1141 of the Bankruptcy Code as provided in section 3(d) of the United Omnibus Amendment.

46. The Allowed Administrative Expense Claim (as defined in the Second United Omnibus Amendment) payable to United under the Second United Omnibus Amendment shall be paid in full in Cash on the Effective Date.

J. Grupo Aval Settlement and Grupo Aval Exit Facility

47. As set forth in Article V.O of the Plan and the Grupo Aval Settlement Order, the terms, conditions, obligations, covenants, security interests, and agreements set forth in the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement, the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation, and the Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement are hereby ratified and affirmed and shall continue in full force and effect (in each case as amended, restated, supplemented, or otherwise modified from time to time), are valid, effective, and non-avoidable post-petition obligations of the Debtors' Estates and the Reorganized Debtors. The Debtors and Reorganized Debtors are authorized to enter into and perform the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation and Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement, including any amendments and modifications, that may be agreed in writing among the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, on one hand, and the Grupo Aval Entities, on the other hand. The Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement, Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation, and Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement constitute legal, valid, binding, and non-avoidable post-petition obligations of the Debtors and their Estates and the Reorganized Debtors, enforceable against them in accordance with their terms as set forth more fully in in Article V.O of the Plan and in the Grupo Aval Settlement Order. The receivables sold and transferred pursuant to the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation shall include all Contract Rights and Air Travel Receivables and related ATR Collections (as such terms are defined in the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation), whether or not any particular Airline Acquirer Contract (as defined in the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation) is in place at the time the parties enter into the Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement. Any transfers of Contract Rights and Air Travel Receivables and related ATR

Collections from non-Debtor entities to Debtor entities in connection with the implementation of the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation and Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement shall not cause such assets to become property of the Debtors' Estates. Pursuant to the terms of the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement, the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation, and the Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement, the transfer of Contract Rights and Air Travel Receivables and related ATR Collections shall constitute an irrevocable "true sale" and a legal, valid, binding, and non-avoidable transfer and shall not be subject to recharacterization or avoidance. Upon such sale and transfer, such Contract Rights and Air Travel Receivables and related ATR Collections shall be property of the transferee of such Contract Rights and Air Travel Receivables and related ATR Collections in accordance with the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation and the Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement and shall not constitute property of any Debtor, Reorganized Debtor, or their affiliates.

K. Certain Credit-Card Processing Matters

48. Notwithstanding Article IX.G of the Plan, Elavon Financial Services DAC (UK Branch), Elavon Canada Company, U.S. Bank National Association, acting through its Canadian Branch, and U.S. Bank National Association (collectively, and together with any affiliates, "**Elavon**") and Global Collect, B.V. (the "**PSP**") may exercise its normal recoupment, setoff, reserve, and processing procedures in respect of claims and the netting of fees, chargebacks, and other amounts in accordance with the terms and conditions of agreements relating to credit card and debit transactions and processing among Elavon, PSP, and certain of the Debtors assumed by the Reorganized Debtors (as amended, the "**Assumed Credit Card Processing Agreements**"). All obligations of the Debtors and all operations, rights, and remedies of Elavon and PSP, including the netting of prepetition and post-petition sales, refunds, fees, and chargebacks, arising

under and pursuant to the Assumed Credit Card Processing Agreements shall remain fully enforceable against the Reorganized Debtors.

L. Certain Surety-Related Matters

1. Chubb Surety

49. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Plan, the Plan Supplement, the Disclosure Statement, the Confirmation Order, the Exit Facility Documents, any bar date notice or Claim objection, or any agreements or documents relating to the foregoing, including, without limitation, any other order of the Bankruptcy Court (including, without limitation, any provision of the foregoing that purports to be preemptory or supervening, grants an injunction, discharge, or release, or requires a party to opt out of any releases) (collectively, for purposes of this section L of this Order, the “**Plan Documents**”), nothing in the Plan Documents shall in any way prime, discharge, impair, modify, or subordinate the rights of Chubb Seguros Colombia S.A and/or its past, present, or future affiliated sureties (each as surety in their role as an issuer of bonds, individually and collectively referred to herein as “**Chubb Surety**”) including, without limitation, as to: (a) any indemnity or collateral obligations relating to bonds or related instruments issued and/or executed on behalf of or at the request of any of the Debtors and/or their non-Debtor affiliates that were or hereby are assumed as part of the Chapter 11 Cases (each such bond surety guaranties or surety-related products, a “**Bond**”, and, collectively, the “**Bonds**”); (b) any funds Chubb Surety is holding and/or that are being held for Chubb Surety presently or in the future, whether in trust, as security, or otherwise, including any proceeds due or to become due to any of the Debtors or their non-debtor affiliates in relation to contracts or obligations for which Chubb Surety has issued or may in the future issue any bond or related instrument, including any Bond; (c) any substitutions or replacements of said funds including accretions to and interest earned on said funds; (d) any collateral or letter of credit related to any indemnity, collateral trust, Bond,

arrangement, contract or other agreements between or involving Chubb Surety and any of the Debtors and/or their non-debtor affiliates or predecessors that were or hereby are assumed as part of the Chapter 11 Cases; or (e) any rights, remedies and/or defenses Chubb Surety may now or in the future have with respect to any and all Bonds and/or related instruments issued and/or executed by Chubb Surety on behalf of any of the Debtors and/or their non-Debtor affiliates; (f) current or future setoff and/or recoupment rights and/or the lien rights and/or trust fund claims of Chubb Surety or any party to whose rights Chubb Surety has or may be subrogated, and/or any existing or future subrogation or other common law rights of Chubb Surety (notwithstanding the provisions set forth in Article IX.G of the Plan, including clause (IV) thereof); and (g) the Debtors' assumption of any indemnity agreement related to any of the Bonds (collectively, the **"Indemnity Agreements"**), which include, without limitation, those certain promissory notes in blank which provide that upon demand by Chubb Surety, the guarantor will unconditionally repay Chubb Surety for sums paid by Chubb Surety in connection with the applicable Bond(s) and concurrent with the promissory notes, certain letters of direction whereby Chubb Surety is irrevocably authorized to complete the promissory notes (i.e., fill in the blanks) for any disbursements or payments made by Chubb Surety under the applicable Bond(s), which Indemnity Agreements and the related Bonds are hereby assumed.

50. No third party releases in the Plan Documents shall apply to Chubb Surety and/or its Related Parties, or to claims to which Chubb Surety and/or its Related Parties are subrogated, and, to the extent necessary, Chubb Surety and/or its Related Parties shall be deemed to have opted-out of any such releases on behalf of itself/themselves and related to any party to whose rights Chubb Surety and/or its Related Parties has/have or may be subrogated. In addition, notwithstanding anything in the Plan Documents, the rights, claims, and defenses of the Debtors

and of Chubb Surety and/or its Related Parties, including, but not limited to, Chubb Surety's and/or its Related Parties' rights under any properly perfected lien and/or claims and/or claim for equitable rights of subrogation, and rights of the Debtors and of any successors in interest to any of the Debtors and any creditors, to object to any such liens, claims, and/or equitable subrogation and other rights, are fully preserved, and Chubb Surety and/or its Related Parties shall not be required to file an administrative proof of claim, request for payment, or fee application to protect any such claims.

51. Nothing in the Plan Documents is an admission by Chubb Surety or the Debtors, or a determination by the Court, regarding any claims under any Bonds, and Chubb Surety and the Debtors (on behalf of themselves and their successors and creditors) reserve any and all rights, remedies, and defenses in connection therewith.

52. For the avoidance of doubt, Articles VII(D), VII(G), and VIII(I)(1) of the Plan shall not apply to Chubb Surety or any beneficiary of or obligee relating to the Bonds or the claims of Chubb Surety or said beneficiaries and/or obligees. Further, notwithstanding the provisions of Article V(N) of the Plan, the Debtors shall not assert Preference Actions as counterclaims or defenses to the claims of any beneficiary or obligee of the bonds issued by Chubb Surety, including the Bonds.

53. Nothing herein shall limit Chubb Surety from cancelling, terminating, not renewing, or refusing to increase the amount of any bonds, including the Bonds, in accordance with the terms applicable to such bonds and/or as otherwise permitted by law, and nothing herein shall require Chubb Surety to issue new bonds or similar instruments.

54. The Debtors shall reimburse Chubb Surety for any reasonable fees and costs incurred by Chubb Surety with regard to the Chapter 11 Cases through the Effective Date that have not been previously reimbursed.

55. Upon and in strict compliance with the request of Chubb Surety, one or more of the Reorganized Debtors and/or any new entity formed as part of the Restructuring Transactions in connection with the implementation of the Plan shall execute an indemnity agreement in a form that is acceptable to Chubb Surety, in which agreement shall be in favor of Chubb Surety.

56. Notwithstanding any provision in the Plan Documents, upon request, Chubb Surety shall have access to the specific portions of any and all books and records held by the Debtors and/or Reorganized Debtors relating to Chubb Surety's Bonds, and Chubb Surety shall receive no less than thirty (30) days' written notice by the entity holding such books and records prior to destruction or abandonment of any such books and records. Without limitation to any other rights of Chubb Surety, if a claim or claims are asserted against any Bond(s) and/or related instruments, then Chubb Surety shall be granted access to, and may make copies of, the specific portions of any books and records related to such Bonds upon Chubb Surety's request.

2. Crum Surety

57. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Plan Documents, nothing in the Plan Documents shall in any way prime, discharge, impair, modify, or subordinate the rights of United States Fire Insurance Company and/or its past, present, or future affiliated sureties (each as surety in their role as an issuer of bonds, individually and collectively referred to herein as "**Crum Surety**") including, without limitation, as to: (a) any indemnity or collateral obligations relating to bonds or related instruments issued and/or executed on behalf of or at the request of any of the Debtors and/or their non-Debtor affiliates that were or hereby are assumed as part of the

Chapter 11 Cases (each such bond, surety guaranties or surety-related products, a “**Bond**”, and, collectively, the “**Bonds**”); (b) any funds Crum Surety is holding and/or that are being held for Crum Surety presently or in the future, whether in trust, as security, or otherwise, including any proceeds due or to become due to any of the Debtors or their non-Debtor affiliates in relation to contracts or obligations for which Crum Surety has issued or may in the future issue any bond or related instrument, including any Bond; (c) any substitutions or replacements of said funds including accretions to and interest earned on said funds; (d) any collateral or letter of credit related to any indemnity, collateral trust, Bond, arrangement, contract or other agreements between or involving Crum Surety and any of the Debtors and/or their non-debtor affiliates or predecessors that were or hereby are assumed as part of the Chapter 11 Cases; or (e) any rights, remedies and/or defenses Crum Surety may now or in the future have with respect to any and all Bonds and/or related instruments issued and/or executed by Crum Surety on behalf of any of the Debtors and/or their non-Debtor affiliates; (f) current or future setoff and/or recoupment rights and/or the lien rights and/or trust fund claims of Crum Surety or any party to whose rights Crum Surety has or may be subrogated, and/or any existing or future subrogation or other common law rights of Crum Surety (notwithstanding the provisions set forth in Article IX.G of the Plan, including clause (IV) thereof); and (g) the Debtors’ assumption of any indemnity agreement related to any of the Bonds (collectively, the “**Indemnity Agreements**”), which include, without limitation, that certain *General Indemnity Agreement* dated on or about November 25, 2019 in favor of Crum Surety as indemnitee, which Indemnity Agreements and the related Bonds are hereby assumed.

58. No third party releases in the Plan Documents shall apply to Crum Surety and/or its Related Parties, or to claims to which Crum Surety and/or its Related Parties are subrogated, and, to the extent necessary, Crum Surety and/or its Related Parties shall be deemed

to have opted-out of any such releases on behalf of itself/themselves and related to any party to whose rights Crum Surety and/or its Related Parties has/have or may be subrogated. In addition, notwithstanding anything in the Plan Documents, the rights, claims, and defenses of the Debtors and of Crum Surety and/or its Related Parties, including, but not limited to, Crum Surety's and/or its Related Parties' rights under any properly perfected lien and claims and/or claim for equitable rights of subrogation, and rights of the Debtors and of any successors in interest to any of the Debtors and any creditors, to object to any such liens, claims, and/or equitable subrogation and other rights, are fully preserved, and Crum Surety and/or its Related Parties shall not be required to file an administrative proof of claim, request for payment, or fee application to protect any such claims.

59. Nothing in the Plan Documents is an admission by Crum Surety or the Debtors, or a determination by the Court, regarding any claims under any Bonds, and Crum Surety and the Debtors (on behalf of themselves and their successors and creditors) reserve any and all rights, remedies, and defenses in connection therewith.

60. For the avoidance of doubt, Articles VII(D), VII(G), and VIII(I)(1) of the Plan shall not apply to Crum Surety or any beneficiary or obligee relating to the Bonds or the claims of Crum Surety or said beneficiaries and/or obligees. Further, notwithstanding the provisions of Article V(N) of the Plan, the Debtors shall not assert Preference Actions as counterclaims or defenses to the claims of any beneficiary or obligee of the bonds issued by Crum Surety, including the Bonds.

61. Nothing herein shall limit Crum Surety from cancelling, terminating, not renewing, or refusing to increase the amount of any bonds, including the Bonds, in accordance

with the terms applicable to such bonds and/or as otherwise permitted by law, and nothing herein shall require Crum Surety to issue new bonds or similar instruments.

62. The Debtors shall reimburse Crum Surety for any reasonable fees and costs incurred by Crum Surety with regard to the Chapter 11 Cases through the Effective Date that have not been previously reimbursed.

63. Upon and in strict compliance with the request of Crum Surety, one or more of the Reorganized Debtors and/or any new entity formed as part of the Restructuring Transactions in connection with the implementation of the Plan shall execute an indemnity agreement in a form that is acceptable to Crum Surety, in which agreement shall be in favor of Crum Surety.

64. Notwithstanding any provision in the Plan Documents, upon request, Crum Surety shall have access to the specific portions of any and all books and records held by the Debtors and/or Reorganized Debtors relating to Crum Surety's Bonds, and Crum Surety shall receive no less than thirty (30) days' written notice by the entity holding such books and records prior to destruction or abandonment of any such books and records. Without limitation to any other rights of Crum Surety, if a claim or claims are asserted against any Bond(s) and/or related instruments, then Crum Surety shall be granted access to, and may make copies of, the specific portions of any books and records related to such Bonds upon Crum Surety's request.

M. Administrative Expense Bar Date

65. Except as otherwise provided in the DIP Orders, the Claims Bar Date Order, or the Plan, requests for payment of Administrative Expenses, other than claims for Professional Fees, DIP Facility Claims, and DIP Facility Fees and Expenses, must be served on the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors (as applicable), KCC LLC, and the U.S. Trustee by the date that is ninety (90) days following the date of service of the Confirmation Notice. Each request for payment of an Administrative Expense must include, at a minimum, (i) the name of the applicable Debtor that

is purported to be liable for the Administrative Expense and, if the Administrative Expense is asserted against more than one Debtor, the exact amount asserted to be owed by each such Debtor; (ii) the name of the Holder of the purported Administrative Expense; (iii) the asserted amount of the purported Administrative Expense; (iv) the basis of the purported Administrative Expense; and (v) supporting documentation. FAILURE TO TIMELY AND PROPERLY FILE AND SERVE A REQUEST FOR PAYMENT OF AN ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE SHALL RESULT IN SUCH ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE BEING FOREVER BARRED AND DISCHARGED. For the avoidance of doubt, this paragraph shall not apply to the fees and expenses of, or other amounts owed to, the Supporting Tranche B Lenders under the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement, which shall be paid in accordance with the terms thereof and, to the extent not already paid, shall survive unaffected by the deadline for filing Administrative Expenses set forth herein.

N. Exemption from Certain Taxes and Fees

66. To the maximum extent permitted pursuant to section 1146(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, (i) the issuance, transfer, or exchange of any securities, instruments, or documents, (ii) the creation of any Lien, mortgage, deed of trust, or other security interest, (iii) any transfers of property (whether direct or indirect) pursuant to the Plan or the Plan Supplement, including, without limitation, the Restructuring Transactions, (iv) any assumption, assignment, or sale by the Debtors of their interests in Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases pursuant to section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code, (v) the grant of collateral under the Exit Facility Documents, and (vi) the issuance, renewal, conversion, modification, or securing of indebtedness by such means, and the making, delivery, or recording of any deed or other instrument of transfer under, in furtherance of, or in connection with, the Plan, the Plan Supplement, or this Confirmation Order, shall not be subject to any document recording tax, stamp tax, conveyance fee, intangibles or similar tax, mortgage tax, stamp act, real estate transfer tax, sale or use tax, mortgage recording

tax, or other similar tax or governmental assessment, and upon entry of this Confirmation Order, the appropriate governmental officials or agents shall forego the collection of any such tax or governmental assessment and accept for filing and recordation any of the foregoing instruments or other documents pursuant to such transfers of property with the payment of any such tax, recordation fee, or governmental assessment.

O. Miscellaneous

67. The requirements of Bankruptcy Rule 3020(e) that an order confirming a plan is stayed until the expiration of fourteen (14) days after entry are hereby waived. The terms of this Confirmation Order shall be immediately effective and shall not be stayed pursuant to Bankruptcy Rules 3020(e), 6004(h), 6006(d), or 7062.

68. All Assumption Disputes arising from objections timely filed by the Confirmation Hearing in accordance with the Plan (or as otherwise agreed by the Debtors and the counterparty to the relevant Assumed Contract) are hereby adjourned to the omnibus hearing scheduled to be held before the Court on November 18, 2021 at 10:00 A.M. (prevailing Eastern Time), or as may be further adjourned pursuant to the Plan or as otherwise agreed by the Debtors and the counterparty to the relevant Assumed Contract.

69. Except as otherwise provided in the Plan or herein, notice of all pleadings filed in these cases after the Effective Date shall be limited to the following parties: (i) the Reorganized Debtors and their counsel, (ii) the U.S. Trustee, (iii) White & Case LLP, Dechert LLP, Sidley Austin LLP, Hughes Hubbard & Reed LLP, and Cadwalader, Wickersham & Taft LLP, as counsel to the Supporting Tranche B DIP Lenders; (iv) any party known to be directly affected by the relief sought; and (v) any Entity or Person that files a renewed request after the Effective Date to receive documents pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002.

70. The Debtors are authorized to consummate the Plan at any time after the entry of this Confirmation Order subject to satisfaction or waiver (by the required parties) of the conditions precedent to effectiveness set forth in Article X of the Plan.

71. On the Effective Date, the Plan shall be deemed substantially consummated under sections 1101(2) and 1127(b) of the Bankruptcy Code.

72. This Confirmation Order is a Final Order, and the period within which an appeal must be filed commences upon the entry hereof.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: November 2, 2021
New York, New York

/s/ Martin Glenn
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Exhibit A to Confirmation Order

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**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
 FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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In re:)	Chapter 11
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AVIANCA HOLDINGS S.A., <i>et al.</i> ,)	Case No. 20-11133 (MG)
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Debtors. ¹)	(Jointly Administered)
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**FURTHER MODIFIED JOINT CHAPTER 11 PLAN
 OF AVIANCA HOLDINGS S.A. AND ITS AFFILIATED DEBTORS**

Dated: October 24, 2021
 New York, NY

¹ The Debtors in these cases, and each Debtor's federal tax identification number (to the extent applicable), are as follows: Avianca Holdings S.A. (N/A); Aero Transporte de Carga Unión, S.A. de C.V. (N/A); Aeroinversiones de Honduras, S.A. (N/A); Aerovías del Continente Americano S.A. Avianca (N/A); Airlease Holdings One Ltd. (N/A); America Central (Canada) Corp. (00-1071563); America Central Corp. (65-0444665); AV International Holdco S.A. (N/A); AV International Holdings S.A. (N/A); AV International Investments S.A. (N/A); AV International Ventures S.A. (N/A); AV Investments One Colombia S.A.S. (N/A); AV Investments Two Colombia S.A.S. (N/A); AV Taca International Holdco S.A. (N/A); Avianca Costa Rica S.A. (N/A); Avianca Leasing, LLC (47-2628716); Avianca, Inc. (13-1868573); Avianca-Ecuador S.A. (N/A); Aviaservicios, S.A. (N/A); Aviateca, S.A. (N/A); Avifreight Holding Mexico, S.A.P.I. de C.V. (N/A); C.R. International Enterprises, Inc. (59-2240957); Grupo Taca Holdings Limited (N/A); International Trade Marks Agency Inc. (N/A); Inversiones del Caribe, S.A. (N/A); Isleña de Inversiones, S.A. de C.V. (N/A); Latin Airways Corp. (N/A); Latin Logistics, LLC (41-2187926); Nicaragüense de Aviación, Sociedad Anónima (N/A); Regional Express Américas S.A.S. (N/A); Ronair N.V. (N/A); Servicio Terrestre, Aéreo y Rampa S.A. (N/A); Servicios Aeroportuarios Integrados SAI S.A.S. (92-4006439); Taca de Honduras, S.A. de C.V. (N/A); Taca de México, S.A. (N/A); Taca International Airlines S.A. (N/A); Taca S.A. (N/A); Tampa Cargo S.A.S. (N/A); Technical and Training Services, S.A. de C.V. (N/A); AV Loyalty Bermuda Ltd. (N/A); Aviacorp Enterprises S.A. (N/A). The Debtors' principal offices are located at Avenida Calle 26 # 59 – 15 Bogotá D.C., Colombia.

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Each Debtor is a proponent of the Plan within the meaning of section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code. Holders of Claims and Interests may refer to the Disclosure Statement for a discussion of the Debtors' history, businesses, assets, results of operations, historical financial information, and projections of future operations, as well as a summary and description of this Plan.

ARTICLE I
DEFINITIONS, RULES OF INTERPRETATION, COMPUTATION OF TIME, AND
GOVERNING LAW

As used in the Plan, capitalized terms have the meanings set forth below.

1. “*2020 Notes Claims*” means all Claims on account of, arising under, or relating to, the 2020 Notes and the 2020 Notes Indenture.
2. “*2020 Notes*” means AVH’s 8.375% Senior Notes due 2020 issued pursuant to the 2020 Notes Indenture.
3. “*2020 Notes Indenture*” means that certain *Indenture*, dated as of May 10, 2013, by and among AVH, Avianca Leasing, LLC, and Grupo Taca Holdings Limited, as issuers, Citibank, N.A., as trustee, transfer agent, and principal paying agent, and Banque Internationale à Luxembourg S.A., as Luxembourg transfer agent and Luxembourg paying agent, and the guarantors party thereto, as amended, restated, modified, and/or supplemented from time to time.
4. “*2020 Notes Indenture Trustee*” means the Delaware Trust Company, as indenture trustee under the 2020 Notes Indenture, appointed pursuant to the terms thereof, as well as its successors, assigns, or any replacement agent appointed pursuant to the terms of the 2020 Notes Indenture.
5. “*2020 Notes Indenture Trustee Claims*” means Claims for reasonable compensation, fees, expenses, disbursements, indemnification, subrogation, and contribution of the 2020 Notes Indenture Trustee, including, without limitation, internal default fees and reasonable and documented attorneys’, financial advisors’, and agents’ fees, expenses, and

disbursements, incurred by or owed to the 2020 Notes Indenture Trustee, whether prepetition or postpetition, whether prior to or after consummation of the Plan, to the extent provided for under the 2020 Notes Indenture.

6. “2023 Notes Claims” means all Claims on account of, arising under, or relating to, the 2023 Notes and the 2023 Notes Indenture; provided, that 2023 Notes Claims shall not include Claims relating to 2023 Notes that were exchanged for DIP Facility Claims pursuant to the DIP Roll-Up.

7. “2023 Notes” means AVH’s 9.00% Senior Secured Notes due 2023 issued pursuant to the 2023 Notes Indenture.

8. “2023 Notes Indenture” means that certain *Indenture*, dated as of December 31, 2019, by and among AVH, as issuer, Wilmington Savings Fund Society, FSB, as trustee and collateral trustee, Citibank, N.A., as registrar, transfer agent, and principal paying agent, and the guarantors party thereto, as amended, restated, modified, and/or supplemented from time to time.

9. “2023 Notes Indenture Trustee” means the indenture trustee under the 2023 Notes Indenture, its successors, assigns, or any replacement agent appointed pursuant to the terms of the 2023 Notes Indenture.

10. “2023 Notes Indenture Trustee Claims” means Claims for reasonable compensation, fees, expenses, disbursements, indemnification, subrogation, and contribution of the 2023 Notes Indenture Trustee, including, without limitation, internal default fees and reasonable and documented attorneys’, financial advisors’, and agents’ fees, expenses, and disbursements, incurred by or owed to the 2023 Notes Indenture Trustee, whether prepetition or postpetition, whether prior to or after consummation of the Plan, to the extent provided for under the 2023 Notes Indenture.

11. “*Administrative Expense*” means any cost or expense of administration of the Chapter 11 Cases entitled to priority pursuant to sections 503(b), 507(a)(2), or 507(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, including: (a) the actual and necessary costs and expenses incurred after the Petition Date and through the Effective Date of preserving the Estates and operating the Debtors’ businesses; (b) professional compensation and reimbursement awarded or allowed pursuant to sections 330(a) or 331 of the Bankruptcy Code, including the Professional Fees; (c) an administrative expense of the type described in section 503(b)(9) of the Bankruptcy Code; (d) any and all fees and charges assessed against the Estates pursuant to chapter 123 of title 28 of the United States Code; (e) DIP Facility Claims; and (f) DIP Facility Fees and Expenses.

12. “*Aerounión*” means Aero Transporte de Carga Unión, S.A. de C.V.

13. “*Aircraft Lease*” means an Unexpired Lease relating to the use or operation of an aircraft, aircraft engine, or other aircraft parts.

14. “*Allowed*” means, (a) with respect to any Claim, except as otherwise provided herein: (i) a Claim that is evidenced by a Proof of Claim Filed by the Claims Bar Date in accordance with the Claims Bar Date Order (or for which Claim under the Plan, the Bankruptcy

Code or a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court a Proof of Claim is not or shall not be required to be Filed); (ii) a Claim that is listed in the Schedules, if any, as not contingent, not unliquidated, and not disputed, and for which no Proof of Claim, as applicable, has been timely Filed; or (iii) a Claim Allowed pursuant to the Plan or a Final Order, and (b) with respect to any Interest, an Interest that is (x) reflected in the books and records of the transfer agent for the relevant Debtor on the Confirmation Date or (y) Allowed by Final Order; provided, that with respect to a Claim described in clauses (i) and (ii) above, such Claim shall be considered Allowed only after the applicable period of time fixed by this Plan (including pursuant to Article VII.F), the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, or the Bankruptcy Court to file an objection has elapsed, or, if such an objection is so interposed and the Claim, as applicable, shall have been Allowed by a Final Order; provided, that the Reorganized Debtors, in their business judgment and in consultation with the General Unsecured Claims Observer (as applicable), may deem a claim “Allowed” following the Effective Date without further order of the Bankruptcy Court; provided, further, that an Allowed Claim (A) includes a previously Disputed Claim to the extent such Disputed Claim becomes Allowed and (B) shall be net of any setoff amount that may be asserted by any Debtor against the holder of such Claim, which shall be deemed to have been set off in accordance with the provisions of the Plan; provided, further, that notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the Reorganized Debtors shall retain all claims and defenses with respect to Allowed Claims or Interests that are Reinstated or otherwise Unimpaired pursuant to the Plan. “Allow,” “Allowing,” and “Allowance,” shall have correlative meanings.

15. “Article” refers to an article of the Plan.

16. “AVH” means Avianca Holdings S.A.

17. “Avianca Debtors” means each Debtor other than the Unconsolidated Debtors, namely Avianca Holdings S.A.; Aeroinversiones de Honduras, S.A.; Aerovías del Continente Americano S.A. Avianca; Airlease Holdings One Ltd.; America Central (Canada) Corp.; America Central Corp.; AV International Holdco S.A.; AV International Holdings S.A.; AV International Investments S.A.; AV International Ventures S.A.; AV Investments One Colombia S.A.S.; AV Investments Two Colombia S.A.S.; AV Taca International Holdco S.A.; Avianca Costa Rica S.A.; Avianca Leasing, LLC; Avianca, Inc.; Avianca-Ecuador S.A.; Aviaservicios, S.A.; Aviateca, S.A.; C.R. International Enterprises, Inc.; Grupo Taca Holdings Limited; International Trade Marks Agency Inc.; Inversiones del Caribe, S.A.; Isleña de Inversiones, S.A. de C.V.; Latin Airways Corp.; Latin Logistics, LLC; Nicaragüense de Aviación, Sociedad Anónima; Regional Express Américas S.A.S.; Ronair N.V.; Servicio Terrestre, Aéreo y Rampa S.A.; Taca de Honduras, S.A. de C.V.; Taca de México, S.A.; Taca International Airlines S.A.; Taca S.A.; Tampa Cargo S.A.S.; Technical and Training Services, S.A. de C.V.; AV Loyalty Bermuda Ltd.; Aviacorp Enterprises S.A.

18. “Avianca Plan Consolidation” means the deemed consolidation of the estates of the Avianca Debtors, solely for purposes of the Plan.

19. “Avifreight” means Avifreight Holding Mexico S.A.P.I. de C.V.

20. “*Avoidance Actions*” means any and all actual or potential claims and Causes of Action to avoid a transfer of property from, or an obligation incurred by, one or more of the Debtors, that arise under (a) chapter 5 of the Bankruptcy Code, including sections 544, 545, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, and 553(b) of the Bankruptcy Code or (b) similar non-U.S. or state law.

21. “*Ballot*” means a ballot providing for the acceptance or rejection of the Plan and to make an election with respect to the releases set forth in Article IX.E of the Plan and, in the case of Eligible Holders of General Unsecured Avianca Claims, to make an election to receive the Unsecured Creditor Equity Package.

22. “*Bankruptcy Code*” has the meaning specified in the Introduction hereto.

23. “*Bankruptcy Court*” means the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York or any other court having jurisdiction over the Chapter 11 Cases.

24. “*Bankruptcy Rules*” means (a) the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, as amended from time to time and as applicable to the Chapter 11 Cases, promulgated pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2075, and (b) the general, local, and chambers rules of the Bankruptcy Court.

25. “*Business Day*” means any day other than a (a) Saturday or Sunday, (b) “legal holiday” (as defined in Bankruptcy Rule 9006(a)), or (c) day on which commercial banks in New York are required or authorized by law to remain closed.

26. “*Cargo Receivable Facility*” means the credit facility arising under the Cargo Receivable Facility Agreement.

27. “*Cargo Receivable Facility Agreement*” means that certain *Line of Credit Agreement*, dated as of February 26, 2019, by and among Aerounión, as borrower, and Banco Santander (México), S.A., Institución de Banca Múltiple, and Grupo Financiero Santander México, as lenders.

28. “*Cargo Receivable Facility Claims*” means all Claims on account of, under, or related to the Cargo Receivable Facility.

29. “*Cash*” means (a) cash and cash equivalents in U.S. dollars or (b) where non-U.S. currency is specifically referred to, cash and cash equivalents in such non-U.S. currency.

30. “*Cause of Action*” means any action, claim, cause of action, controversy, demand, right, action, remedy, lien, indemnity, guaranty, suit, obligation, liability, damage, judgment, account, defense, offset, power, privilege, license, and franchise of any kind or character whatsoever, whether known or unknown, contingent or non-contingent, matured or unmatured, suspected or unsuspected, liquidated or unliquidated, disputed or undisputed, secured or unsecured, assertable directly or derivatively, arising before, on, or after the Petition Date, in contract or in tort, in law or in equity, or pursuant to any other theory of law. For the avoidance of doubt, “Cause of Action” includes: (a) any right of setoff or counterclaim and any claim for breach of contract or for breach of duties imposed by law or in equity; (b) the right to object to Claims or Interests; (c) any claim pursuant to section 362 or chapter 5 of the Bankruptcy Code,

41. “*Commitment Letters*” means the DIP-to-exit commitment letters annexed as Exhibits B-1 and B-2 to the Debtors’ Motion for Entry of an Order (I) Approving Terms of, and Debtors’ Entry Into and Performance Under, the DIP-to-Exit Facility Commitment Letters and (II) Authorizing Incurrence, Payment and Allowance of Obligations Thereunder as Administrative Expenses [Docket No. 1919].

42. “*Commitment Letters Order*” means the Revised Order (I) Approving Terms of, and Debtors’ Entry Into and Performance Under, the DIP-to-Exit Facility Commitment Letters and (II) Authorizing Incurrence, Payment and Allowance of Obligations Thereunder as Administrative Expenses [Docket No. 1938], as modified by the Final DIP Amendment Order, approving, among other things, the Debtors’ entry into the Commitment Letters.

43. “*Committee*” means the official committee of unsecured creditors, appointed on May 22, 2020 by the U.S. Trustee in the Chapter 11 Cases [Docket No. 154] pursuant to section 1102 of the Bankruptcy Code, as it may be constituted from time to time.

44. “*Confirmation*” means the entry of the Confirmation Order on the docket of the Chapter 11 Cases.

45. “*Confirmation Date*” means the date upon which Confirmation occurs.

46. “*Confirmation Hearing*” means the hearing held by the Bankruptcy Court to consider confirmation of the Plan or, if the Debtors proceed with one or more Sub-Plans, such Sub-Plan(s) pursuant to section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code.

47. “*Confirmation Order*” means the Bankruptcy Court order confirming the Plan or, if the Debtors proceed with one or more Sub-Plans, such Sub-Plan(s) pursuant to section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code, in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Supermajority New Tranche A-1 Lenders the Supermajority New Tranche A-2 Lenders (as defined in the DIP Facility Documents), and the Required Supporting Tranche B Lenders. The Confirmation Order shall be consistent with the Global Plan Settlement and consistent in all respects with the DIP Facility Documents, and the Committee shall have consultation rights with respect to the provisions of the proposed Confirmation Order to the extent such provisions materially impact the rights of holders of General Unsecured Avianca Claims.

48. “*Consenting Noteholders*” means those holders of 2023 Notes and/or Tranche A-1 and Tranche A-2 DIP Facility Claims that are or become party to the Noteholder RSA, together with their respective successors and permitted assigns.

49. “*Consummation*” means the occurrence of the Effective Date.

50. “*Contribution-Based New Common Equity*” means New Common Equity issued to certain holders of Allowed Tranche B DIP Facility Claims in exchange for each such holder’s Tranche B Equity Contribution and/or Tranche B Asset Contribution and on account of the commitment premium set forth in the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement, which shall be subject to dilution by the issuance of Warrant-Based New Common Equity and any Post-Emergence New Common Equity.

51. “*Cure Claim*” means a monetary Claim (unless waived or modified by the applicable counterparty) on account of a Debtor’s defaults under an Executory Contract or an Unexpired Lease assumed by such Debtor under section 365 or 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code, other than (a) a default that is not required to be cured pursuant to section 365(b)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code and (b) a Claim that, by consent of the applicable counterparty, is to be treated as a General Unsecured Claim.

52. “*D&O Policy*” means any Insurance Contract, including tail Insurance Contracts, for directors’, members’, trustees’, and officers’ liability.

53. “*Debtor*” or “*Debtors*” have the meaning specified in the Introduction hereto.

54. “*Description of Restructuring Transactions*” means a summary description of certain Restructuring Transactions, including any changes to the corporate and/or capital structure of the Debtors (to the extent known), to be made on the Effective Date.

55. “*DIP Agent*” means JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., solely in its capacity as administrative agent, Fronting Lender (as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement), arranger, and collateral agent under the DIP Facility Documents, its successors, assigns, or any replacement agent appointed pursuant to the terms of the DIP Credit Agreement.

56. “*DIP Amendment*” means the amendments to the DIP Credit Agreement and other DIP Facility Documents that are contemplated by the DIP Amendment Motion.

57. “*DIP Amendment Motion*” means the *Debtors’ Motion for Entry of a Final Order (I) Authorizing the Debtors to Enter into Amendments to Their Postpetition DIP Credit Documents and Enter into Additional Documents in Furtherance Thereof, (II) Granting and Reaffirming Liens, (III) Granting Superpriority Administrative Expense Claims, (IV) Modifying the Automatic Stay, and (V) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. 1972].

58. “*DIP Credit Agreement*” means that certain *Super-Priority Debtor-in-Possession Term Loan Agreement*, dated as of October 13, 2020, by and among AVH, as borrower, the other Debtors, as guarantors, and the DIP Agent, as administrative agent and collateral agent, and the DIP Lenders, as amended, restated, modified, and/or supplemented from time to time in accordance with the DIP Orders and as amended by the DIP Amendment.

59. “*DIP Credit Parties*” means the DIP Agent, the DIP Lenders, and the DIP Indenture Trustee.

60. “*DIP Facility*” means the debtor-in-possession financing facility provided to the Debtors pursuant to the DIP Credit Agreement, the DIP Facility Indentures, and the DIP Orders and consisting (after giving effect to the DIP Amendment) of the Tranche A-1 DIP Obligations, the Tranche A-2 DIP Obligations, and the Tranche B DIP Obligations.

61. “*DIP Facility Claims*” means all Claims on account of, under, or related to the DIP Facility or DIP Facility Documents held by any DIP Credit Party, including, without limitation, any outstanding principal, accrued and unpaid interest and premiums, fees, reimbursement

obligations, and all other amounts that are outstanding obligations under the DIP Facility Documents.

62. “*DIP Facility Documents*” means the DIP Credit Agreement, the DIP Facility Indentures, the DIP Orders, and any amendments (including the DIP Amendment), modifications, supplements thereto, as well as any related notes, certificates, agreements, security agreements, documents, payoff letters, and instruments (including any amendments, restatements, supplements, or modifications of any of the foregoing) related to or executed in connection with the DIP Credit Agreement, the DIP Facility Indentures, and the DIP Orders.

63. “*DIP Facility Indentures*” means (i) the *Tranche A-1 Notes Indenture* by and among AVH, as issuer, the other Debtors, as guarantors, and the DIP Indenture Trustee, dated as of August 27, 2021; (ii) the *Tranche A-1 Notes Indenture* by and among AVH, as issuer, the other Debtors, as guarantors, and the DIP Indenture Trustee, dated as of September 22, 2021; and (iii) the *Tranche A-2 Notes Indenture* by and among AVH, as issuer, the other DIP Obligors, as guarantors, and the DIP Indenture Trustee, dated as of August 27, 2021.

64. “*DIP Facility Fees and Expenses*” means (i) the “Fee and Expense Reimbursement” as defined in the Commitment Letters Order, (ii) the fees, expenses, and indemnities due and payable pursuant to section 11.04 of the DIP Credit Agreement; (iii) the fees, expenses, and indemnities due and payable pursuant to section 7.06 of the DIP Facility Indentures; (iv) any fees and expenses due and payable under fee and engagement letters with the DIP Agent and DIP Indenture Trustee; and (v) all other fees and expenses due and owing to the DIP Agent and DIP Indenture Trustee pursuant to any DIP Facility Documents.

65. “*DIP Indenture Trustee*” means Wilmington Savings Fund Society, FSB, as notes trustee, solely in its capacity as notes trustee under each of the DIP Facility Indentures, as well as its successors, assigns, and any replacement trustee of each DIP Facility Indenture appointed pursuant to the terms of each DIP Facility Indenture.

66. “*DIP Lenders*” means the lenders party to the DIP Credit Agreement and DIP Facility Indentures from time to time.

67. “*DIP Orders*” means the Final DIP Order and the Final DIP Amendment Order, as amended, modified, or supplemented in accordance with the terms thereof.

68. “*DIP Roll-Up*” means the “roll-up” of \$220 million of the 2023 Notes into the DIP Facility, as approved by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to the Final DIP Order.

69. “*Direct Loan*” means the loan obligations arising under the Direct Loan Promissory Note.

70. “*Direct Loan Claims*” means all Claims on account of, under, or related to the Direct Loan.

71. “*Direct Loan Promissory Note*” means that certain *Promissory Note*, dated as of April 30, 2019, pursuant to which Aerovías del Continente Americano S.A. Avianca promised to

pay to Citibank, N.A., acting through its international banking facility, the principal amount of \$30,000,000, as may be amended, restated, and supplemented from time to time.

72. “*Director*” means a member of the board of directors or board of managers, as applicable, of Reorganized AVH.

73. “*Disallowed*” means any Claim, or any portion thereof, that (i) has been disallowed by Final Order or settlement; (ii) is scheduled at zero or as contingent, disputed, or unliquidated on the Schedules and as to which a Claims Bar Date has been established but no Proof of Claim has been timely filed or deemed timely filed with the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to either the Bankruptcy Code or any Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court, including the Claims Bar Date Order, or otherwise deemed timely filed under applicable law; or (iii) is not scheduled on the Schedules and as to which a Claims Bar Date has been established but no Proof of Claim has been timely filed or deemed timely filed with the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to either the Bankruptcy Code or any Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court, including the Claims Bar Date Order, or otherwise deemed timely filed under applicable law. “*Disallow*” and “*Disallowance*” shall have correlative meanings.

74. “*Disbursing Agent*” means, as applicable, the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors or any Person or Entity that the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors select to make or facilitate distributions in accordance with the Plan.

75. “*Disclosure Statement*” means the Disclosure Statement for this Plan, as approved by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code, together with all exhibits, schedules, supplements, annexes, and attachments to such disclosure statement, as it may be modified or supplemented from time to time.

76. “*Disputed*” means, with respect to a Claim, any Claim that is not yet Allowed or Disallowed.

77. “*Distribution Record Date*” means, other than with respect to publicly held Securities, the Confirmation Date or such other date prior to the Effective Date that is selected by the Debtors. For the avoidance of doubt, no distribution record date shall apply to holders of public Securities.

78. “*DTC*” means the Depository Trust Company.

79. “*Effective Date*” means, with respect to the Plan or, if the Debtors proceed with one or more Sub-Plans, such Sub-Plan(s), the date that is a Business Day selected by the Debtor(s) on which (i) no stay of the Confirmation Order is in effect and (ii) all conditions precedent specified in Article X.A of the Plan have been satisfied or waived in accordance with the Plan or Sub-Plan(s). Without limiting the foregoing, any action to be taken on the Effective Date may be taken on or as soon as reasonably practicable after the Effective Date.

80. “*Electing General Unsecured Claimholder*” means an Eligible Holder of an Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claim that elects to receive the Unsecured Claimholder Equity Package in accordance with Article IIIB.11.b of the Plan.

81. “*Eligible Holder*” means a holder of an Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claim that is eligible to hold the New Common Equity and the Warrants under any applicable non-bankruptcy law that is not exempted by section 1145 of the Bankruptcy Code.

82. “*Engine Loan*” means the loan obligations arising under the Engine Loan Agreement.

83. “*Engine Loan Agreement*” means that certain *Facility Agreement*, dated as of March 13, 2015, by and among Bank of Utah, as owner trustee and borrower, AVH, as owner participant, AVH, Aerovías del Continente Americano S.A. Avianca, and Taca International Airlines, S.A., as guarantors, and Credit Agricole Corporate and Investment Bank, as lender, administrative agent, and lead arranger, as amended, restated, modified, and/or supplemented from time to time.

84. “*Engine Loan Amendment*” means the proposed amendment to the Engine Loan Documents, which shall be included in the Plan Supplement.

85. “*Engine Loan Claims*” means all Claims on account of, under, or related to the Engine Loan.

86. “*Engine Loan Documents*” means the “Basic Documents,” as defined in the Engine Loan Agreement, as amended, restated, modified, and/or supplemented from time to time.

87. “*Entity*” means any “entity,” as such term is defined in section 101(15) of the Bankruptcy Code.

88. “*Estate*” means, with respect to a particular Debtor, the estate created for such Debtor upon commencement of its Chapter 11 Case pursuant to section 541 of the Bankruptcy Code, and the “*Estates*” means every Debtor’s Estate, collectively.

89. “*Exculpated Parties*” means, collectively, and in each case in their capacities as such during the Chapter 11 Cases, (A)(i) the Debtors, (ii) the Reorganized Debtors, (iii) the Committee and its members, and (iv) the General Unsecured Claims Observer; (B) with respect to each of the foregoing Entities and Persons in clause (A), all of such Entities’ and Persons’ Related Parties, solely to the extent such Related Parties are fiduciaries of the Estates or otherwise to the fullest extent provided for pursuant to section 1125(e) of the Bankruptcy Code; (C)(i) the DIP Agent, (ii) the DIP Lenders, (iii) the Consenting Noteholders, (iv) the Supporting Tranche B DIP Lenders, (v) the Exit Facility Indenture Trustee, (vi) the DIP Indenture Trustee, (vii) the Exit Facility Lenders, and (viii) the Secured RCF Agent and the Secured RCF Lenders and (D) with respect to each of the foregoing Entities and Persons in clause (C), all of such Entities’ and Persons’ Related Parties; provided, that, with respect to the Entities and Persons in clauses (C) and (D), any exculpations afforded under the Plan or the Confirmation Order shall be granted only to the extent provided for pursuant to section 1125(e) of the Bankruptcy Code.

90. “*Executory Contract*” means a contract to which one or more of the Debtors is a party that is subject to assumption or rejection under sections 365 or 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code.

Central S.A., and (iii) that certain \$1 million working-capital line of credit dated December 21, 2017, granted by Banco de Bogotá S.A.

125. “*Grupo Aval Lines of Credit Claims*” means all Claims on account of, under, or related to the Grupo Aval Lines of Credit.

126. “*Grupo Aval Promissory Notes*” means, collectively, that certain *Promissory Note*, dated as of March 19, 2019, executed by Aerovías del Continente Americano, S.A. Avianca, as borrower, and AVH, as guarantor, to the order of Banco de Bogotá, S.A., New York Agency, as lender; that certain *Promissory Note*, dated as of February 26, 2019, executed by Taca International Airlines, S.A., as borrower, and AVH, as guarantor, to the order of Banco de Bogotá, S.A., New York Agency, as lender; and that certain *Promissory Note*, dated as of February 6, 2019, executed by Aerovías del Continente Americano, S.A. Avianca, as borrower, and AVH, as guarantor, to the order of Banco de Bogotá, S.A. New York Agency, as lender.

127. “*Grupo Aval Promissory Notes Claims*” means all Claims on account of, under, or related to the Grupo Aval Promissory Notes.

128. “*Grupo Aval Receivable Facility*” means the credit facility arising under the Grupo Aval Receivable Facility Agreement.

129. “*Grupo Aval Receivable Facility Agreement*” means that certain *Credit and Guaranty Agreement*, dated as of June 16, 2015, by and among Taca International Airlines, S.A., as borrower, AVH, as guarantor, Fiduciaria Bogotá S.A., as administrative agent, and the lenders party thereto, as amended, restated, modified, and/or supplement from time to time.

130. “*Grupo Aval Receivable Facility Claims*” means all Claims on account of, under, or related to the Grupo Aval Receivable Facility.

131. “*Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement*” means the settlement of claims between the Debtors and affiliates of Grupo Aval (including Banco de Bogotá S.A.), as set forth in the Grupo Aval Settlement Motion.

132. “*Grupo Aval Settlement Motion*” means the motion filed by the Debtors seeking approval of the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement [Docket No. 2048].

133. “*Grupo Aval Settlement Order*” means the order of the Bankruptcy Court granting the Grupo Aval Settlement Motion.

134. “*Impaired*” means, with respect to a Claim, Interest, or a Class of Claims or Interests, “impaired” within the meaning of such term in section 1124 of the Bankruptcy Code.

135. “*Implied Equity/Warrant Value*” means (a) with respect to the total value of the Claims-Based New Common Equity, if all the holders of Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claims elect to receive the Unsecured Claimholder Equity Package, \$800 million (such that if all the holders of Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claims elect to receive the Unsecured Claimholder Equity Package, then the total value of the Claims-Based New Common Equity to be

received by such holders would be deemed to be either (i) \$14 million or (ii) if Class 11 votes to accept the plan, \$20 million) and (b) with respect to the total value of the Warrants, \$16 million.

136. “*Indemnification Obligation*” means any existing or future obligation of any Debtor to indemnify current and former directors, officers, members, managers, sponsors, agents or employees of any of the Debtors who served in such capacity, with respect to or based upon such service or any act or omission taken or not taken in any of such capacities, or for or on behalf of any Debtor, whether pursuant to agreement, letters, the Debtors’ respective memoranda, articles or certificates of incorporation, corporate charters, bylaws, operating agreements, limited liability company agreements, or similar corporate or organizational documents or other applicable contract or law in effect as of the Effective Date.

137. “*Indenture Trustees*” means the 2020 Notes Indenture Trustee and the 2023 Notes Indenture Trustee.

138. “*Indentures*” means the 2020 Notes Indenture and the 2023 Notes Indenture.

139. “*Ineligible Holder*” means a holder of an Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claim that is ineligible to hold the New Common Equity and the Warrants under any applicable non-bankruptcy law that is not exempted by section 1145 of the Bankruptcy Code.

140. “*Initial General Unsecured Claims Distribution Date*” means a date occurring as soon as reasonably practicable following the Effective Date on which the Disbursing Agent, in consultation with the General Unsecured Claims Observer (as applicable), shall commence distributions to holders of Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claims.

141. “*Insurance Contracts*” means (i) all insurance policies whose term of coverage includes the Effective Date issued to any of the Debtors (or their predecessors) and all agreements, documents, or instruments relating thereto, including but not limited to any agreement with a third party administrator for claims handling, and (ii) the Chubb Insurance Program. Insurance Contracts shall not include surety bonds, surety guaranties, or surety-related products.

142. “*Insurers*” means any Entities or Persons (other than the Debtors) that issued or entered into Insurance Contracts (including any third party administrator for any Insurance Contracts) and any respective predecessors and/or affiliates of any of the foregoing.

143. “*Intercompany Claim*” means any Claim against a Debtor held (a) by another Debtor or (b) by a non-Debtor that is a majority-owned direct or indirect subsidiary of a Debtor, other than Avianca Perú S.A. en Liquidación, Atlantic Aircraft Holding Two Ltd., Airlease Twenty Four Ltd., Airlease Twenty Six Ltd., Airlease Twenty Seven Ltd., Airlease Twenty Eight Ltd., Airlease Thirty Ltd., Airlease Thirty One Ltd., Little Plane Limited, Airlease Thirteen Ltd., Airlease Fourteen Ltd., Atlantic Aircraft Holding Ltd., Airlease Twenty Two Ltd., Airlease Twenty Three Ltd., Airlease Twenty Five Ltd., Airlease Twenty Nine Ltd., Turbo Aviation Three S.A., Airlease Twelve Ltd., Airlease Eleven Ltd, Air Lease One, Air Lease Two, Aviation Leasing Services (ALS) Investments S.A., Tri-Aircraft-Leasing LLC, Tri-Aircraft Leasing II LLC, Octo-Aircraft Leasing LLC, and Uni-Aircraft Leasing LLC.

157. “*PBH Agreements*” means “*PBH Agreements*,” as defined in the Second Stipulations.

159. “*Person*” shall have the meaning set forth in section 101(41) of the Bankruptcy Code.

161. “*Plan*” has the meaning specified in the Introduction hereto.

163. *“Plan Supplement”* means the compilation of documents (or forms thereof), schedules, and exhibits to the Plan, which, with respect to the documents identified in clauses (a) through (g) below, shall be filed no later than fourteen (14) days before the Plan Objection Deadline and, with respect to the documents identified in clauses (h) through (k) below, shall be filed no later than seven (7) days before the Plan Objection Deadline, as each may be amended, supplemented, or modified from time to time in accordance with this Plan, the Bankruptcy Code, and the Bankruptcy Rules, to be filed with the Bankruptcy Court which may include, as applicable: (a) the New Organizational Documents; (b) the Description of Restructuring Transactions; (c) the Schedule of Assumed Contracts (as amended, supplemented, or modified); (d) the Schedule of Retained Causes of Action; (e) the Transaction Steps; (f) the Warrant Agreement; (g) the Secured RCF Amendment; (h) a list of the members of the New Boards (to the extent known); (i) the Exit Facility Indenture(s); (j) the Shareholders Agreement; and (k) such other documents as are necessary or advisable to implement the Restructuring. For the avoidance of doubt, the Debtors shall have the right to amend, supplement, or modify the Plan Supplement through the Effective Date in accordance with this Plan, the Bankruptcy Code, and the Bankruptcy Rules. The

Committee shall have consultation rights with respect to the documents included in the Plan Supplement (including any amendments, supplements, and/or modifications thereto) to the extent such documents materially impact the rights of holders of General Unsecured Avianca Claims; provided, that the Committee's consultation rights with respect to the list of the members of the New Boards shall be limited to consultation regarding the appointment of one independent director to the Reorganized AVH Board, in accordance with Article V.J.1 of the Plan.

164. “*Preference Actions*” means Avoidance Actions arising under section 547 of the Bankruptcy Code.

165. “*Post-Emergence New Common Equity*” means New Common Equity issued by Reorganized AVH from time to time following the Effective Date, including pursuant to any employee or management incentive plans.

166. “*Priority Claim*” means any Priority Non-Tax Claim or Priority Tax Claim.

167. “*Priority Non-Tax Claim*” means any Claim against any Debtor entitled to priority pursuant to section 507(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, other than an Administrative Expense, DIP Facility Claim, or Priority Tax Claim.

168. “*Priority Tax Claim*” means any Claim of a Governmental Unit that is entitled to priority pursuant to section 502(i) or 507(a)(8) of the Bankruptcy Code.

169. “*Privilege Rights*” means, collectively, any attorney-client privilege, attorney work-product protection, or any other similar privilege or protection from disclosure belonging to or operating in favor of the Debtors and their Estates.

170. “*Pro Rata*” means, for the holder of an Allowed Claim or Interest in a particular Class, proportional to the ratio of the amount of such Allowed Claim or Interest to the amount of all Allowed Claims or Allowed Interests (as applicable) in the same Class or, as applicable and as specifically set forth in the Plan, multiple Classes.

171. “*Professional*” means any Person retained by order of the Bankruptcy Court in connection with these Chapter 11 Cases pursuant to sections 327, 328, 330, 331, 503(b), or 1103 of the Bankruptcy Code. “Professional” does not include any professional-service Entity that the Debtors are authorized to employ, compensate, and reimburse in the ordinary course of their businesses.

172. “*Professional Fees*” means the accrued, contingent, and/or unpaid compensation for services rendered (including hourly, transaction, and success fees), and reimbursement for expenses incurred, by Professionals, that: (a) are awardable and allowable pursuant to sections 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 503(b)(4), and/or 1103 of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise rendered allowable prior to the Confirmation Date; (b) have not been denied by the Bankruptcy Court by Final Order; (c) have not been previously paid (regardless of whether a fee application has been filed for any such amount); and (d) remain outstanding after applying any retainer that has been provided to such Professional. To the extent that any amount of the foregoing compensation or

reimbursement is denied or reduced by Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court or any other court of competent jurisdiction, such amount shall no longer constitute Professional Fees.

173. “*Professional Fees Escrow Account*” means the account established on the Effective Date pursuant to Article II.C.2.

174. “*Proof of Claim*” means a proof of Claim filed in the Chapter 11 Cases.

175. “*Related Parties*” means, with respect to (w) any Entity or Person, (x) such Entity’s or Person’s predecessors, successors and assigns, parents, subsidiaries, affiliates, affiliated investment funds or investment vehicles, managed or advised accounts, funds, or other entities, and investment advisors, sub-advisors, or managers, (y) with respect to each of the foregoing in clauses (w) and (x), such Entity’s or Person’s respective current and former officers, directors, principals, members, partners, employees, agents, trustees, advisory board members, financial advisors, attorneys, accountants, actuaries, investment bankers, consultants, representatives, management companies, fund advisors and other professionals; and (z) with respect to each of the foregoing in clauses (w)–(y), such Entity’s or Person’s respective heirs, executors, estates, servants, and nominees.

176. “*Reinstate*,” “*Reinstated*,” or “*Reinstatement*” means leaving a Claim Unimpaired under the Plan.

177. “*Released Parties*” means, collectively, each of the following in their capacity as such: (A)(i) the Debtors, (ii) the Reorganized Debtors, (iii) the Committee and its members, (iv) the DIP Agent, (v) the DIP Lenders, (vi) the Consenting Noteholders, (vii) the Supporting Tranche B DIP Lenders, (viii) the Exit Facility Indenture Trustee, (ix) the DIP Indenture Trustee; (x) the Exit Facility Lenders, (xi) the Indenture Trustees, (xii) the Grupo Aval Entities (as defined in the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement), and (xiii) the Secured RCF Agent and the Secured RCF Lenders, and (B) with respect to each of the foregoing Entities and Persons set forth in clause (A), all of such Entities’ and Persons’ respective Related Parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, (i) any Entity or Person that opts out of the releases set forth in Article IX.E of the Plan on its Ballot shall not be deemed a Released Party; (ii) any director or officer of the Debtors whose term of service lapsed prior to July 1, 2019 and who did not subsequently hold a director or officer position with any of the Debtors after such date shall not be deemed a Released Party; and (iii) any Entity or Person that would otherwise be a Released Party hereunder but is party to one or more Retained Causes of Action shall not be deemed a Released Party with respect to such Retained Causes of Action.

178. “*Releasing Parties*” means, collectively, each of the following in their capacity as such: (i) each of the Released Parties (other than the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors); (ii) all holders of Claims that vote to accept the Plan; (iii) all holders of Claims or Interests that are Unimpaired under the Plan and do not opt out of granting the releases in Article IX.E of the Plan; and (iv) all holders of Claims in Classes that are entitled to vote under the Plan but that (a) vote to reject the Plan or do not vote either to accept or reject the Plan and (b) do not opt out of granting the releases in Article IX.E of the Plan; and (v) with respect to each of the foregoing Entities and Persons set forth in clauses (ii) through (iv), all of such Entities’ and Persons’ respective Related

the Debtors with the Bankruptcy Court to the extent such filing is not waived pursuant to an order of the Bankruptcy Court.

190. “*Schedule of Assumed Contracts*” means the schedule of Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases that shall be assumed by each applicable Debtor as of the Effective Date (or such other date as designated in the schedule), as set forth in the Plan Supplement, including the Cure Claim (if any) for each such assumed Executory Contract and Unexpired Lease; provided, however, that any such Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases may be subject to amendment, modification or rejection in accordance with the terms of the Plan.

191. “*Schedule of PBH Agreement Extensions and Rejection of Aircraft Leases*” means the schedule of Aircraft Leases that shall be rejected by each applicable Debtor as of the date designated in such schedule, and until such date of rejection the relevant Second Stipulation (and applicable PBH Agreement (as defined in the Second Stipulation)) shall remain in effect.

192. “*Schedule of Retained Causes of Action*” means the schedule of certain Retained Causes of Action filed by the Debtors with the Plan Supplement, which shall be reasonably acceptable to the Committee; provided, that the Reorganized Debtors shall retain and may enforce all rights to commence and pursue, as appropriate, any and all Retained Causes of Action, regardless of whether such Retained Causes of Action are specifically enumerated in the Schedule of Retained Causes of Action.

193. “*Second Stipulation*” means the applicable *Second Stipulation and Order Between Debtors and Aircraft Counterparties Concerning Certain Aircraft* filed at [Docket Nos. 391–432, 1052–70].

194. “*Second United Omnibus Amendment*” means the *Second Omnibus Amendment to Certain Commercial Arrangement* (if any), to be entered into prior to the Effective Date, among United, Avianca, and certain of their respective Affiliates.

195. “*Secured Claim*” means any Claim that is secured by a Lien on property in which an Estate has an interest, which Lien is valid, perfected, and enforceable pursuant to applicable law or by reason of a Bankruptcy Court order, or subject to setoff pursuant to section 553 of the Bankruptcy Code, to the extent of the value of the creditor’s interest in the Estate’s interest in such property or to the extent of the amount subject to setoff, as applicable, as determined pursuant to section 506(a) of the Bankruptcy Code.

196. “*Secured RCF*” means the revolving credit facility arising under the Secured RCF Agreement.

197. “*Secured RCF Agent*” means Citibank N.A., solely in its capacity as administrative agent and collateral agent under the Secured RCF Documents, its successors, assigns, or any replacement agent appointed pursuant to the terms of the Secured RCF Agreement.

198. “*Secured RCF Agreement*” means that certain *Credit and Guaranty Agreement*, dated as of August 31, 2018, by and among Aerovías del Continente Americano S.A. Avianca, as borrower, AVH and Tampa Cargo S.A.S., as guarantors, Citibank N.A. as collateral agent and

administrative agent, and the lenders party thereto, as amended, restated, modified, and/or supplemented from time to time.

199. “*Secured RCF Amendment*” means the proposed amendment to the Secured RCF Agreement, which shall be included in the Plan Supplement.

200. “*Secured RCF Claims*” means all Claims on account of, under, or related to the Secured RCF.

201. “*Secured RCF Documents*” means the “Loan Documents” as defined in the Secured RCF Agreement, as amended, restated, modified, and/or supplemented from time to time.

202. “*Secured RCF Fees and Expenses*” means (i) the fees, costs, expenses, and indemnities due and payable (or reimbursable) pursuant to section 10.04 of the Secured RCF Agreement and (ii) all other fees, costs, and expenses due and owing (or reimbursable) to the Secured RCF Agent or any Secured RCF Lender pursuant to any Secured RCF Documents, in each case whether incurred or accrued before or after the Petition Date, including, without limitation, the reasonable fees, costs, and expenses of attorneys, advisors, consultants, or other professionals retained by the Secured RCF Agent or any Secured RCF Lender.

203. “*Secured RCF Lenders*” means the lenders party to the Secured RCF Agreement from time to time.

204. “*Secured RCF Liens*” means all Liens securing the payment of the Secured RCF Claims.

205. “*Securities Act*” means the Securities Act of 1933, 15 U.S.C. §§ 77a–77aa, as amended, together with the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

206. “*Security*” means any security, as defined in section 2(a)(1) of the Securities Act.

207. “*Servicer*” means any Person or Entity that has been empowered to act in the capacity of the Disbursing Agent with respect to a particular Class of Claims.

208. “*Shareholders Agreement*” means a shareholders agreement, equity holders agreement, operating agreement, or other similar agreement for Reorganized AVH governing, among other things, the relative rights of holders of New Common Equity, the form of which shall be included in the Plan Supplement.

209. “*Special Bar Date Entities*” means the Persons and Entities set forth on Exhibit A of the *Notice of Establishment of Special Bar Date* [Docket No. 1706].

210. “*Subordinated Claims*” means Claims that are subject to subordination in accordance with sections 510(b)-(c) of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise.

211. “*Sub-Plan*” means a separate plan of reorganization for any individual Debtor.

212. “*Supporting Tranche B DIP Lenders*” means those Tranche B DIP Lenders that are or become party to the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement, including, without duplication, any Person that has a valid participation interest in the Tranche B DIP Obligations of such Tranche B DIP Lender that executes a joinder agreement, together with their respective successors and permitted assigns.

213. “*Tranche A-1 DIP Facility Claims*” means DIP Facility Claims arising from the Tranche A-1 DIP Obligations.

214. “*Tranche A-1 DIP Obligations*” means, collectively, the “Tranche A Obligations” and “New Tranche A-1 Note Obligations,” each as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement, as amended pursuant to the Final DIP Amendment Order.

215. “*Tranche A-2 DIP Facility Claims*” means DIP Facility Claims arising from the Tranche A-2 DIP Obligations.

216. “*Tranche A-2 DIP Obligations*” means the “New Tranche A-2 Note Obligations,” as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement, as amended pursuant to the Final DIP Amendment Order.

217. “*Tranche B Asset Contribution*” shall mean the contribution of assets to Reorganized AVH, in accordance with the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement.

218. “*Tranche B DIP Facility Claims*” means DIP Facility Claims arising from the Tranche B DIP Obligations.

219. “*Tranche B DIP Lenders*” means holders of Tranche B DIP Facility Claims.

220. “*Tranche B DIP Obligations*” means “Tranche B Obligations,” as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement.

221. “*Tranche B Equity Allocation Schedule*” means the equity allocation schedule annexed to the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement.

222. “*Tranche B Equity Contribution*” shall mean the contribution of Cash and/or assets as part of the Equity Raise (as defined in the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement) in an aggregate amount up to \$200,000,000, pursuant to the terms and subject to the conditions of the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement.

223. “*Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement*” means that certain *Equity Conversion and Commitment Agreement*, dated as of September 1, 2021, by and among AVH, the other Debtors, and the Supporting Tranche B DIP Lenders, as may be amended, restated, modified, and/or supplemented from time to time in accordance with its terms.

224. “*Transaction Steps*” means the steps selected by the Debtors to implement the Restructuring Transactions, which shall be filed as part of the Plan Supplement.

225. “*Unconsolidated Debtors*” means, collectively, Aerounión, Avifreight, and SAI.

226. “*Unexpired Lease*” means a lease to which one or more of the Debtors is a party that is subject to assumption or rejection under sections 365 or 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code.

227. “*Unimpaired*” means, with respect to a Class, Claim, Interest, or a holder of a Claim or Interest, that such Class, Claim, Interest, or holder is not Impaired.

228. “*United Agreements*” means (i) the Assumed United Agreements, as defined in the United Omnibus Amendment, (ii) the JBA, (iii) the Interline Relationship Agreements (as defined in the motion filed at Docket No. 9); (iv) the Commitment Letter Guaranties (as defined in the JBA), (v) the Multilateral Coordination Agreement (as defined in the JBA), and (vi) any other Implementing Agreements (as defined in the JBA).

229. “*United Omnibus Amendment*” means the *Omnibus Amendment to Certain Commercial Arrangement* among United, Avianca, and certain of its Affiliates, dated September 21, 2020.

230. “*Unsecured Claimholder Cash Pool*” means Cash in the amount of \$30,000,000 for purposes of distributions to holders of Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claims in accordance with Article III.B.11.b of the Plan, which shall be reduced in an amount equal to the Implied Equity/Warrant Value of the Claims-Based New Common Equity (on account of Electing General Unsecured Claimholders’ Pro Rata shares of the Unsecured Claimholder Equity Pool) and Warrants to be distributed to Electing General Unsecured Claimholders.

231. “*Unsecured Claimholder Enhanced Cash Pool*” means incremental Cash in the amount of \$6,000,000 for purposes of distributions to holders of Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claims in accordance with Article III.B.11.b of the Plan, which shall be reduced in an amount equal to the Implied Equity/Warrant Value of the Claims-Based New Common Equity (on account of Electing General Unsecured Claimholders’ Pro Rata shares of the Unsecured Claimholder Enhanced Equity Pool) to be distributed to Electing General Unsecured Claimholders.

232. “*Unsecured Claimholder Enhanced Equity Pool*” means an incremental 0.75% of the total Claims-Based New Common Equity, which shall be distributed to holders of Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claims in accordance with Article III.B.11.b of the Plan and shall be reduced in an amount of Claims-Based New Common Equity that has a value equal to the value of the Unsecured Claimholder Enhanced Cash Pool to be distributed to holders of Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claims in accordance with Article III.B.11.b of the Plan based on the Implied Equity/Warrant Value applicable to such Cash distributions that are attributable to Claims-Based New Common Equity that such holders would have received on account of their Pro Rata shares of the Unsecured Claimholder Enhanced Equity Pool if they had elected to receive the Unsecured Claimholder Equity Package.

233. “*Unsecured Claimholder Equity Package*” means, with respect to a holder of an Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claim, such holder’s Pro Rata share of (i)(x) the Unsecured Claimholder Equity Pool and (y) the Unsecured Claimholder Enhanced Equity Pool (if applicable, in accordance with in Article III.B.11.b of the Plan) and (ii) the Warrants, in lieu of any Cash distribution.

234. “*Unsecured Claimholder Equity Pool*” means 1.75% of the total Claims-Based New Common Equity, which shall be distributed to holders of Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claims in accordance with Article III.B.11.b of the Plan and shall be reduced in an amount of Claims-Based New Common Equity that has a value equal to the value of the Unsecured Claimholder Cash Pool to be distributed to holders of Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claims in accordance with Article III.B.11.b of the Plan based on the Implied Equity/Warrant Value applicable to such Cash distributions that are attributable to Claims-Based New Common Equity that such holders would have received on account of their Pro Rata shares of the Unsecured Claimholder Equity Pool if they had elected to receive the Unsecured Claimholder Equity Package.

235. “*U.S. Trustee*” means the Office of the United States Trustee for Region 2.

236. “*USAV Receivable Facility*” means the credit facility arising under the USAV Receivable Facility Agreement.

237. “*USAV Receivable Facility Agreement*” means that certain *Loan Agreement*, dated as of December 2017, by and among USAVflow Limited, as borrower, AVH, Taca International Airlines, S.A., and Avianca Costa Rica S.A., as guarantors, Citibank, N.A. as administrative agent and collateral agent, and the lenders party thereto, as amended, restated, modified, and/or supplemented from time to time.

238. “*USAV Receivable Facility Claims*” means all Claims on account of, under, or related to the USAV Receivable Facility, as amended.

239. “*USAV Settlement Agreement*” means that certain settlement agreement, dated as of February 18, 2021, by and among the Debtors, Avianca Perú S.A. en Liquidación, USAVflow Limited, the lenders party to the USAV Receivable Facility Agreement, Citibank, N.A., as administrative agent and collateral agent under the USAV Receivable Facility Agreement, and Citibank N.A., London Branch, as collateral trustee under the USAV Receivable Facility Agreement, which was approved by the Bankruptcy Court on March 17, 2021 [Docket Nos. 1468, 1480].

240. “*USAV Transaction Documents*” means those certain documents required or necessary to implement the transactions contemplated by the USAV Settlement Agreement, including, but not limited to, the amended and restated Contract Rights and Receivables Sale, Purchase, and Servicing Agreement; the amended and restated Receivables Maintenance Agreement; the amended and restated Cash Management Agreement; and the amended and restated Loan Agreement (each as defined in the USAV Settlement Agreement), in each case as amended, restated, supplemented, or otherwise modified from time to time.

241. “*Voting Deadline*” means October 15, 2021, at 4:00 p.m. (prevailing Eastern Time), or such other date and time as may be set by the Bankruptcy Court.

242. “*Voting Record Date*” means September 9, 2021.

243. “*Warrant Agreement*” means the agreement setting forth the terms and conditions of the Warrants, which shall be reasonably acceptable to the Committee and the Required

Supporting Tranche B Lenders, and the form of which shall be reasonably satisfactory to the Required Supporting Tranche B Lenders and the Committee and filed with the Plan Supplement.

244. “*Warrant-Based New Common Equity*” means New Common Equity issued with respect to the exercise of the Warrants, amounting to 5.0% of the New Common Equity (on a post-dilution basis with respect to the issuance of Claims-Based New Common Equity and Contribution-Based New Common Equity and subject to anti-dilution protection with respect to the issuance of Post-Emergence New Common Equity as set forth in the Warrant Agreement).

245. “*Warrants*” means warrants to purchase Warrant-Based New Common Equity, exercisable on a cashless basis at the Exercise Price for a five (5) year term, on the terms set forth in the Warrant Agreement.

B. *Rules of Interpretation*

For purposes of the Plan and unless otherwise specified herein: (1) each term, whether stated in the singular or the plural, shall include, in the appropriate context, both the singular and the plural; (2) each pronoun stated in the masculine, feminine, or neuter gender shall include, in the appropriate context, the masculine, feminine, and the neuter gender; (3) the words “herein,” “hereof,” and “hereto” refer to the Plan in its entirety rather than to a particular portion of the Plan; (4) the words “include,” “includes,” and “including” are by way of example and not limitation; (5) all references to articles or Articles are references to the Articles hereof; (6) all captions and headings are inserted for convenience of reference only and are not intended to be a part of, or to affect the interpretation of, the Plan; (7) any reference to an Entity as a holder of a Claim or Interest includes that Entity’s successors and assigns; (8) any reference to an existing document, schedule, or exhibit, whether or not filed, having been filed, or to be filed, shall mean that document, schedule or exhibit, as it may thereafter be amended, modified, or supplemented; (9) any reference to an event occurring on a specified date, including on the Effective Date, shall mean that the event will occur on that date or as soon thereafter as reasonably practicable; (10) any reference to a contract, lease, instrument, release, indenture, or other agreement or document being in a particular form or on particular terms and conditions means that the referenced document shall be substantially in that form or substantially on those terms and conditions except as specifically provided herein; (11) all references to statutes, regulations, orders, rules of courts and the like shall mean as amended from time to time and as applicable to the Chapter 11 Cases; (12) subject to the provisions of any contract, certificate of incorporation, bylaw, instrument, release, or other agreement or document entered into in connection with the Plan, the rights and obligations arising pursuant to the Plan shall be governed by, and construed and enforced in accordance with, the applicable federal law, including the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rules; (13) the rules of construction set forth in section 102 of the Bankruptcy Code shall apply; and (14) any term used in capitalized form herein that is not otherwise defined but that is used in the Bankruptcy Code or the Bankruptcy Rules shall have the meaning assigned to that term in the Bankruptcy Code or the Bankruptcy Rules, as the case may be.

C. *Computation of Time*

Unless otherwise specifically stated herein, the provisions of Bankruptcy Rule 9006(a) shall apply in computing any period of time prescribed or allowed herein. If the date on which a transaction may or shall occur pursuant to the Plan is not a Business Day, then such transaction shall instead occur on the next succeeding Business Day.

D. *Governing Law*

Unless federal law (including the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rules) is applicable, and unless specifically stated otherwise, the laws of the State of New York, without giving effect to the principles of conflict of laws that would require application of the law of another jurisdiction, shall govern the rights, obligations, construction, and implementation of the Plan and any agreements, documents, instruments, or contracts executed or entered into in connection with the Plan (except as otherwise set forth in those agreements, in which case the governing law of such agreement shall control); provided, however, that corporate or entity governance matters relating to the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors shall be governed by the laws of the state or country of incorporation or organization of the relevant Debtor or Reorganized Debtor, as applicable.

E. *Reference to Monetary Figures and Exchange Rates*

All references in the Plan to monetary figures, “dollars,” or “\$” refer to the currency of the United States of America, unless otherwise expressly provided. With respect to any Claim filed in these Chapter 11 Cases in a currency other than the currency of the United States of America, the amount of such Claim shall be converted to the currency of the United States of America in accordance with the exchange rates specified by Bloomberg News as of closing on May 8, 2020.

ARTICLE II
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES AND OTHER UNCLASSIFIED CLAIMS

In accordance with section 1123(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code, Administrative Expenses, DIP Facility Claims, and Priority Tax Claims have not been classified and, thus, are excluded from the Classes of Claims and Interests set forth in Article III.

A. *General Administrative Expenses*

Each holder of an Allowed General Administrative Expense, to the extent such Allowed General Administrative Expense has not already been paid during the Chapter 11 Cases and without any further action by such holder, shall receive, in full and final satisfaction of its General Administrative Expense, Cash equal to the Allowed amount of such General Administrative Expense on the Effective Date (or, if payment is not then due, when such payment otherwise becomes due in the applicable Reorganized Debtor’s ordinary course of business without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court), unless otherwise agreed by the holder of such General Administrative Expense and the applicable Debtor or Reorganized Debtor. For the avoidance of doubt, holders of General Administrative Expenses shall not be required to file a request for payment with the Bankruptcy Court.

B. *Restructuring Expenses*

The Restructuring Expenses incurred, or estimated to be incurred, up to and including the Effective Date shall be paid in full in Cash on the Effective Date (to the extent not previously paid during the course of the Chapter 11 Cases) without the requirement to file a fee application with the Bankruptcy Court or comply with the guidelines of the U.S. Trustee, and without any requirement for review or approval by the Bankruptcy Court or any other party. All Restructuring Expenses to be paid on the Effective Date shall be estimated prior to the Effective Date and such estimates shall be delivered to the Debtors at least five (5) Business Days before the anticipated Effective Date; provided, that such estimate shall not be considered an admission or limitation with respect to such Restructuring Expenses. In addition, the Reorganized Debtors (as applicable) shall continue to pay the Restructuring Expenses related to implementation, consummation, and defense of the Plan after the Effective Date when due and payable in the ordinary course, whether incurred before, on or after the Effective Date.

C. *Professional Fees*

1. Final Fee Applications

All final requests for payment of Professional Fees incurred prior to the Effective Date must be filed with the Bankruptcy Court and served on the Reorganized Debtors, the U.S. Trustee, counsel to the Committee, and all other parties that have requested notice in these Chapter 11 Cases by no later than forty-five (45) days after the Effective Date, unless the Reorganized Debtors agree otherwise in writing. Objections to Professional Fees must be filed with the Bankruptcy Court and served on the Reorganized Debtors and the applicable Professional within thirty (30) days after the filing of the applicable final fee application. After notice and a hearing in accordance with the procedures established by the Bankruptcy Code and any prior orders of the Bankruptcy Court in the Chapter 11 Cases, the Allowed amounts of all Professional Fees shall be determined by the Bankruptcy Court and, once approved by the Bankruptcy Court, shall be paid in full in Cash from the Professional Fees Escrow Account as promptly as practicable; provided, however, that if the funds in the Professional Fees Escrow Account are insufficient to pay the full Allowed amounts of the Professional Fees, the Reorganized Debtors shall promptly pay any remaining Allowed amounts from their Cash on hand.

For the avoidance of doubt, the immediately preceding paragraph shall not affect any professional-service Entity that the Debtors are permitted to pay without seeking authority from the Bankruptcy Court in the ordinary course of the Debtors' businesses (and in accordance with any relevant prior order of the Bankruptcy Court), which payments may continue notwithstanding the occurrence of Confirmation and the Effective Date.

2. Professional Fees Escrow Account

Professionals shall estimate their unpaid Claims for Professional Fees incurred in rendering services to the Debtors, their Estates or the Committee (if any), as applicable, as of the Effective Date and shall deliver such estimate to counsel for the Debtors no later than five (5) Business Days before the anticipated Effective Date; provided, that such estimate shall not be deemed to limit the Allowed Professional Fees of any Professional. If a Professional does not provide an estimate, the

Debtors shall estimate the unpaid and unbilled fees and expenses of such Professional for the purposes of funding the Professional Fees Escrow Account.

On the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors shall fund the Professional Fees Escrow Account in an amount equal to all asserted Claims for Professional Fees incurred but unpaid as of the Effective Date (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any reasonable estimates for unbilled amounts provided prior to the Effective Date). The Professional Fees Escrow Account may be an interest-bearing account. Amounts held in the Professional Fees Escrow Account shall not constitute property of the Reorganized Debtors. In the event there is a remaining balance in the Professional Fees Escrow Account following payment to all holders of Allowed Claims for Professional Fees, any such amounts shall be promptly returned to, and constitute property of, the Reorganized Debtors.

3. Post-Effective Date Fees and Expenses

From and after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors may, in the ordinary course of business and without any further notice to or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court, promptly pay in Cash the reasonable legal, professional, or other fees and expenses related to implementation of the Plan and Consummation incurred by the Reorganized Debtors on and after the Effective Date. On the Effective Date, any requirement that professionals comply with sections 327 through 331 and 1103 of the Bankruptcy Code in seeking retention or compensation for services rendered after such date shall terminate, and the Reorganized Debtors may employ and pay any professional in the ordinary course of business without any further notice to or action, order or approval of the Bankruptcy Court.

D. *DIP Facility Claims*

On the Effective Date, the DIP Facility Claims shall be Allowed in the full amount due and owing under the DIP Facility Documents, including, for the avoidance of doubt, (a) the principal amounts outstanding under the DIP Facility on such date; (b) all interest accrued and unpaid thereon through and including the date of payment; and (c) all premiums, fees (including, without limitation, back-end fees and exit fees), expenses, and indemnification obligations payable under the DIP Facility Documents. For the avoidance of doubt, the DIP Facility Claims shall not be subject to any avoidance, reduction, setoff, recoupment, recharacterization, subordination (equitable or contractual or otherwise), counter-claim, defense, disallowance, impairment, objection or any challenges under applicable law or regulation.

On the Effective Date, in full and final satisfaction of the Tranche A-1 DIP Facility Claims, each holder of an Allowed Tranche A-1 DIP Facility Claim shall, in accordance with and subject to the terms of the DIP Facility Documents, receive either (i) at the election of the Debtors, its Pro Rata share of the Exit A-1 Notes, in accordance with and subject to the Exit Facility Documents and the DIP Facility Documents, or (ii) payment in full in Cash. In addition, the Debtors shall pay, on the Effective Date, in full in Cash, all accrued and unpaid DIP Facility Claims arising under section 11.04 of the DIP Credit Agreement and section 7.06 of the DIP Facility Indentures and all accrued and unpaid DIP Facility Fees and Expenses in accordance with Article II.E of the Plan; provided, that if any Tranche A-1 DIP Facility Claims are held by the Fronting Lender (as defined

in the DIP Credit Agreement) on the Effective Date, such Tranche A-1 DIP Facility Claims shall be paid in full in Cash in accordance with the terms of the DIP Facility Documents.

On the Effective Date, in full and final satisfaction of the Tranche A-2 DIP Facility Claims, each holder of an Allowed Tranche A-2 DIP Facility Claim shall, in accordance with and subject to the terms of the DIP Facility Documents, receive either (i) at the election of the Debtors, its Pro Rata share of the Exit A-2 Notes, in accordance with and subject to the Exit Facility Documents and the DIP Credit Agreement, or (ii) payment in full in Cash. In addition, the Debtors shall pay, on the Effective Date, in full in Cash, all accrued and unpaid DIP Facility Claims arising under section 11.04 of the DIP Credit Agreement and section 7.06 of the DIP Facility Indentures, including DIP Facility Fees and Expenses as set forth in Article II.E of the Plan.

On the Effective Date, in accordance with and subject to the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement (unless otherwise provided therein or in the DIP Orders), each holder of an Allowed Tranche B DIP Facility Claim shall receive, in full and final satisfaction of its Tranche B DIP Facility Claim, its respective allocation of New Common Equity (consisting of Claims-Based New Common Equity and, as applicable, Contribution-Based New Common Equity) set forth on the Tranche B Equity Allocation Schedule, in exchange for such holder's Allowed Tranche B DIP Facility Claim and, as applicable, its Tranche B Equity Contribution and/or Tranche B Asset Contribution. In addition, the Debtors shall pay, on the Effective Date, in full in Cash, all accrued and unpaid DIP Facility Claims arising under section 11.04 of the DIP Credit Agreement and section 7.06 of the DIP Facility Indentures, including DIP Facility Fees and Expenses as set forth in Article II.E of the Plan. For the avoidance of doubt, to the extent any holder of an Allowed Tranche B DIP Facility Claim has (a) a Claim for deficiency arising out of, or related to, the Tranche B DIP Obligations or (b) a Claim for adequate protection arising out of, or related to, the Tranche B DIP Obligations against any Debtor, such Claims shall be deemed waived as of the Effective Date, and such holder shall not be entitled to any distributions under the Plan on account of such Claims.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, upon the occurrence of the Effective Date, the DIP Agent and its sub-agents shall be relieved of all further duties and responsibilities under the DIP Facility Documents and shall be deemed to have resigned, pursuant to section 9.05 of the DIP Credit Agreement, on the Effective Date; provided, that any provisions of the DIP Facility Documents that by their terms survive the termination of the DIP Facility Documents shall survive in accordance with the terms of the DIP Facility Documents.

E. *DIP Facility Fees and Expenses*

To the extent not previously paid during the course of the Chapter 11 Cases, the DIP Facility Fees and Expenses incurred, or estimated to be incurred, up to and including the Effective Date, shall be paid in full in Cash on the Effective Date in accordance with, and subject to, the terms of the DIP Facility Documents, without any requirement to file a fee application with the Bankruptcy Court, without the need for itemized time detail, or without any requirement for Bankruptcy Court review or approval. All DIP Facility Fees and Expenses to be paid on the Effective Date shall be estimated prior to and as of the Effective Date, and such estimates shall be delivered to the Debtors at least five (5) Business Days before the anticipated Effective Date;

provided, that such estimates shall not be considered an admission or limitation with respect to such DIP Facility Fees and Expenses. On or as soon as practicable after the Effective Date, final invoices for all DIP Facility Fees and Expenses incurred prior to and as of the Effective Date shall be submitted to the Debtors. In addition, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors (as applicable) shall continue to pay when due pre- and post-Effective Date any DIP Facility Fees and Expenses related to the DIP Facility in accordance with, and subject to, the terms of the DIP Orders and the DIP Facility Documents, whether incurred before, on, or after the Effective Date.

Prior to the Effective Date, the Debtors shall pay DIP Facility Fees and Expenses in accordance with, and subject to, the terms of the DIP Orders and the DIP Facility Documents, within ten (10) calendar days (which time period may be extended by the applicable professional in its discretion) after delivery of an invoice therefor to the Debtors, the Committee, and the U.S. Trustee, subject to the objection procedures set forth below. None of such invoices shall be required to comply with the U.S. Trustee fee guidelines and (i) may be redacted to protect privileged, confidential, or proprietary information and (ii) shall not be required to contain individual time detail. The Debtors, the Committee, and the U.S. Trustee (the “Fee Notice Parties”) shall have ten (10) calendar days following their receipt of such invoices to file objections with the Bankruptcy Court with respect to the reasonableness of the fees and expenses included therein. Within ten (10) calendar days after delivery of such invoices (the “Fee Objection Period”), without further order of, or application to, the Court or notice to any other party, such fees and expenses shall be promptly paid by the Debtors unless a written objection is made by any of the Fee Notice Parties. If a written objection is made by any of the Fee Notice Parties within the Fee Objection Period to the reasonableness of the requested fees and expenses, then only the disputed portion of such fees and expenses shall be withheld until the objection is resolved by the applicable parties in good faith or by order of the Bankruptcy Court, and the undisputed portion shall be promptly paid by the Debtors.

In addition, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors (as applicable) shall continue to pay post-Effective Date, when due and payable in the ordinary course, the DIP Facility Fees and Expenses in accordance with, and subject to, the terms of the DIP Facility Documents. For the avoidance of doubt, such post-Effective Date payments shall not be subject to the review and objection procedures described in this Article II.E of the Plan.

F. *Priority Tax Claims*

Except to the extent that an Allowed Priority Tax Claim has not been previously paid in full or its holder agrees to a less favorable treatment, in full and final satisfaction of each Priority Tax Claim, each holder of an Allowed Priority Tax Claim shall be treated in accordance with the terms set forth in section 1129(a)(9)(C) of the Bankruptcy Code. In the event an Allowed Priority Tax Claim is Allowed as a Secured Claim, it shall be classified and treated as an Allowed Other Secured Claim.

ARTICLE III CLASSIFICATION AND TREATMENT OF CLAIMS AND INTERESTS

A. *Classification of Claims and Interests*

Claims and Interests, except for Administrative Expenses, DIP Facility Claims, and Priority Tax Claims, are classified in the Classes set forth in this Article III. A Claim or Interest is classified in a particular Class only to the extent that the Claim or Interest qualifies within the description of that Class and is classified in other Classes to the extent that any portion of the Claim or Interest qualifies within the description of such other Classes. A Claim or Interest also is classified in a particular Class for the purpose of receiving distributions pursuant to the Plan only to the extent that such Claim is an Allowed Claim or Allowed Interest, as applicable, in that Class. To the extent a specified Class does not include any Allowed Claims or Allowed Interests, as applicable, then such Class shall be deemed not to exist.

The Plan constitutes a separate chapter 11 plan of reorganization for the Avianca Debtors and each Unconsolidated Debtor. Pursuant to section 1122 of the Bankruptcy Code, the classification of Claims and Interests is as follows:

<u>Class</u>	<u>Claims or Interests</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Voting Rights</u>
1	Priority Non-Tax Claims	Unimpaired	Presumed to accept
2	Other Secured Claims	Unimpaired	Presumed to accept
3	Engine Loan Claims	Impaired	<u>Entitled to vote</u>
4	Secured RCF Claims	Impaired	<u>Entitled to vote</u>
5	USAV Receivable Facility Claims	Unimpaired	Presumed to accept
6	Grupo Aval Receivable Facility Claims	Unimpaired	Presumed to accept
7	Grupo Aval Lines of Credit Claims	Impaired	<u>Entitled to vote</u>
8	Grupo Aval Promissory Note Claims	Unimpaired	Presumed to accept
9	Cargo Receivable Facility Claims	Unimpaired	Presumed to accept
10	Pension Claims	Unimpaired	Presumed to accept
11	General Unsecured Avianca Claims	Impaired	<u>Entitled to vote</u>
12	General Unsecured Avifreight Claims	Unimpaired	Presumed to accept
13	General Unsecured Aerounión Claims	Unimpaired	Presumed to accept
14	General Unsecured SAI Claims	Unimpaired	Presumed to accept
15	General Unsecured Convenience Claims	Impaired	<u>Entitled to vote</u>
16	Subordinated Claims	Impaired	Deemed to reject
17	Intercompany Claims	Impaired/ Unimpaired	Deemed to reject/ presumed to accept

18	Existing AVH Non-Voting Equity Interests	Impaired	Deemed to reject
19	Existing AVH Common Equity Interests	Impaired	Deemed to reject
20	Existing Avifreight Equity Interests	Unimpaired	Presumed to accept
21	Existing SAI Equity Interests	Unimpaired	Presumed to accept
22	Other Existing Equity Interests	Impaired	Deemed to reject
23	Intercompany Interests	Impaired/ Unimpaired	Deemed to reject/ presumed to accept

B. *Treatment of Claims and Interests*

1. Class 1 – Priority Non-Tax Claims

- a. *Classification:* Class 1 consists of all Priority Non-Tax Claims.
- b. *Treatment:* Except to the extent previously paid during the Chapter 11 Cases or the holder agrees to less favorable treatment, each holder of an Allowed Priority Non-Tax Claim shall (i) receive from the applicable Reorganized Debtor, in full and final satisfaction of its Priority Non-Tax Claim, payment, in Cash, equal to the Allowed amount of such Claim, on the later of the Effective Date and the date when its Priority Non-Tax Claim becomes due and payable in the ordinary course or (ii) be otherwise rendered Unimpaired.
- c. *Voting:* Class 1 is Unimpaired under the Plan. Holders of Priority Non-Tax Claims are conclusively presumed to have accepted the Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code and, therefore, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

2. Class 2 – Other Secured Claims

- a. *Classification:* Class 2 consists of all Other Secured Claims.
- b. *Treatment:* Except to the extent previously paid during the Chapter 11 Cases or the holder agrees to less favorable treatment, each holder of an Allowed Other Secured Claim, at the option of the Debtors, (a) shall receive Cash in an amount equal to the Allowed amount of such Claim on the later of the Effective Date and the date that is ten (10) Business Days after the date such Other Secured Claim becomes an Allowed Claim; (b) on the Effective Date, such holder's Allowed Other Secured Claim shall be Reinstated; (c) on the Effective Date, such holder shall receive such other treatment sufficient to render such holder's Allowed Other Secured Claim Unimpaired; or (d) on the Effective Date or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter, such holder shall receive delivery of, or shall retain,

the applicable collateral securing any such Claim up to the secured amount of such Claim pursuant to section 506(a) of the Bankruptcy Code and payment of any interest required under section 506(b) of the Bankruptcy Code in satisfaction of the Allowed amount of such Other Secured Claim.

- c. *Voting:* Class 2 is Unimpaired under the Plan. Holders of Other Secured Claims are conclusively presumed to have accepted the Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code and, therefore, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

3. Class 3 – Engine Loan Claims

- a. *Classification:* Class 3 consists of all Engine Loan Claims.
- b. *Allowance:* The Engine Loan Claims shall be Allowed in the aggregate amount of \$52,226,710.78, plus accrued and unpaid interest (at the revised non-default rate) and all applicable fees, costs, expenses, and other amounts due under the terms of the Engine Loan Agreement, subject to reduction for payments made by the Debtors.
- c. *Treatment:* The Engine Loan Agreement will be amended as of the Effective Date in accordance with an amendment to be included in the Plan Supplement. The amendment will provide for, among other things, no reduction in the outstanding amount of principal, payment of accrued interest (at the revised non-default rate) on regular interest payment dates, and an amended amortization schedule. Notwithstanding anything in this Plan to the contrary, the Engine Loan Claims shall remain outstanding and be in full force and effect as of the Effective Date under the amended Engine Loan Agreement and are not satisfied, cancelled, extinguished, discharged, or released by this Plan, the Confirmation Order, or on account of the Confirmation or Consummation of this Plan.
- d. *Voting:* Class 3 is Impaired under the Plan. Holders of Engine Loan Claims are entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

4. Class 4 – Secured RCF Claims

- a. *Classification:* Class 4 consists of all Secured RCF Claims.
- b. *Allowance:* The Secured RCF Claims shall be Allowed Secured Claims in the aggregate principal amount of \$100,000,000, plus accrued and unpaid interest (at the non-default rate), fees, costs, and expenses through the Effective Date and due under the terms of the existing Secured RCF Agreement and any other Secured RCF Document, in each case whether such interest, fees, costs and expenses accrued prior to or after the Petition Date.

- c. *Treatment:* The Secured RCF Agreement will be amended and restated as of the Effective Date in accordance with, and subject to, the terms and conditions of the Secured RCF Amendment. Notwithstanding anything in this Plan to the contrary, the Secured RCF Claims shall remain outstanding and be in full force and effect as of the Effective Date under the amended Secured RCF Agreement and are not satisfied, cancelled, extinguished, discharged, or released by this Plan, the Confirmation Order, or on account of the Confirmation or Consummation of this Plan. Each Secured RCF Lien is stipulated to as valid, perfected, and not avoidable and shall secure the Secured RCF Claims under the amended Secured RCF Agreement, and each such Secured RCF Lien shall, as of the Effective Date, (i) be ratified, reaffirmed, and deemed granted by the Reorganized Debtors, (ii) remain attached to the Reorganized Debtors' respective assets and property to secure payment of the Secured RCF Claims under the amended Secured RCF Agreement, and (iii) not be, and shall not be deemed to be, impaired, discharged or released by this Plan, the Confirmation Order, or on account of the Confirmation or Consummation of this Plan. On the Effective Date, the Debtors shall pay in Cash in full all accrued and unpaid interest under the Secured RCF Agreement; provided, that interest accruing at the default rate under the Secured RCF Agreement during the pendency of the Chapter 11 Cases through the Effective Date shall be waived and shall not be due and payable, subject to the occurrence of the Effective Date.
 - d. *Voting:* Class 4 is Impaired under the Plan. Holders of Secured RCF Claims are entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.
- 5. Class 5 – USAV Receivable Facility Claims
 - a. *Classification:* Class 5 consists of all USAV Receivable Facility Claims.
 - b. *Allowance:* The USAV Receivable Facility Claims shall be Allowed in the aggregate amount of \$66,962,332.85, pursuant to the USAV Settlement Agreement.
 - c. *Treatment:* The USAV Receivable Facility Claims shall be Reinstated, as amended pursuant to the USAV Settlement Agreement.
 - d. *Voting:* Class 5 is Unimpaired under the Plan. Holders of USAV Receivable Facility Claims are conclusively presumed to have accepted the Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code and, therefore, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.
- 6. Class 6 – Grupo Aval Receivable Facility Claims
 - a. *Classification:* Class 6 consists of all Grupo Aval Receivable Facility Claims.

- b. *Allowance:* The Grupo Aval Receivable Facility Claims shall be Allowed in the amount of \$128,552,032, pursuant to the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement.
 - c. *Treatment:* Pursuant to the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement and on the schedule set forth therein, each holder of an Allowed Grupo Aval Receivable Facility Claim shall receive, in full and final satisfaction of its Grupo Aval Receivable Facility Claim, the consideration set forth in the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement, namely: (i) its Pro Rata share of the Grupo Aval Exit Facility; (ii) its Pro Rata share of the Grupo Aval LifeMiles Consideration; and (iii) equal Cash payments on the first Business Day of each month on or after the Effective Date through January 2024, in an amount equal to non-default interest accrued and unpaid under the Grupo Aval Receivable Facility through the Grupo Aval Settlement Date.
 - d. *Voting:* Class 6 is Unimpaired under the Plan. Holders of Grupo Aval Receivable Facility Claims are conclusively presumed to have accepted the Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code and, therefore, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.
- 7. Class 7 – Grupo Aval Lines of Credit Claims
 - a. *Classification:* Class 7 consists of all Grupo Aval Lines of Credit Claims.
 - b. *Allowance:* The Grupo Aval Lines of Credit Claims shall be Allowed in the aggregate amount of \$11,651,000, allocated as \$1,000,000 to Banco de Bogotá S.A. and \$10,651,000 to Banco de América Central S.A. El Salvador.
 - c. *Treatment:* On the Effective Date, pursuant to the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement, each holder of an Allowed Grupo Aval Lines of Credit Claim shall receive, in full and final satisfaction of its Grupo Aval Lines of Credit Claim, (i) its Pro Rata share of the Grupo Aval Exit Facility; (ii) its Pro Rata share of the Grupo Aval LifeMiles Consideration; and (iii) equal Cash payments on the first Business Day of each month on or after the Effective Date through January 2024, in an amount equal to non-default interest accrued and unpaid under the Grupo Aval Lines of Credit through the Effective Date.
 - d. *Voting:* Class 7 is Impaired under the Plan. Holders of Grupo Aval Lines of Credit Claims are entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.
- 8. Class 8 – Grupo Aval Promissory Note Claims
 - a. *Classification:* Class 8 consists of all Grupo Aval Promissory Note Claims.

- b. *Allowance:* The Grupo Aval Promissory Note Claims shall be Allowed in the aggregate amount of \$9,999,997.28.
 - c. *Treatment:* Pursuant to the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement and on the schedule set forth therein, each holder of an Allowed Grupo Aval Promissory Note Claim shall receive, in full and final satisfaction of its Grupo Aval Promissory Note Claim, the consideration set forth in the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement, namely: (i) its Pro Rata share of the New Grupo Aval Promissory Notes, which shall have the same terms and conditions as the Existing Grupo Aval Promissory Notes and (ii) equal Cash payments on the first Business Day of each month on or after the Effective Date through January 2024, in an amount equal to non-default interest accrued and unpaid under the Grupo Aval Promissory Notes through the Grupo Aval Settlement Date.
 - d. *Voting:* Class 8 is Unimpaired under the Plan. Holders of Grupo Aval Promissory Note Claims are conclusively presumed to have accepted the Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code and, therefore, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.
9. Class 9 – Cargo Receivable Facility Claims
- a. *Classification:* Class 9 consists of all Cargo Receivable Facility Claims.
 - b. *Allowance:* The Cargo Receivable Facility Claims shall be Allowed in the aggregate amount of \$3,176,468, plus accrued and unpaid interest (at the applicable non-default rate) due under the terms of the existing Cargo Receivable Facility Agreement.
 - c. *Treatment:* On the Effective Date, all Cargo Receivable Facility Claims shall be Reinstated.
 - d. *Voting:* Class 9 is Unimpaired under the Plan. Holders of Cargo Receivable Facility Claims are conclusively presumed to have accepted the Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code and, therefore, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.
10. Class 10 – Pension Claims
- a. *Classification:* Class 10 consists of all Pension Claims.
 - b. *Treatment:* Except to the extent previously paid during the Chapter 11 Cases or the holder agrees to less favorable treatment, each holder of an Allowed Pension Claim shall be fully Reinstated and continue as an ongoing obligation of the applicable Reorganized Debtor(s) to the extent provided for under the Colombian Pension Regime, the holder of such Claim being unaffected by the Chapter 11 Cases or the Plan. In addition,

on the Effective Date or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter, the Reorganized Debtors shall pay in full in Cash, without application to or approval of the Bankruptcy Court and without a deduction from distributions made to holders of Pension Claims, any and all unpaid CAXDAC Fee Claims.

- c. *Voting:* Class 10 is Unimpaired under the Plan. Holders of Pension Claims are conclusively presumed to have accepted the Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code and, therefore, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

11. Class 11 – General Unsecured Avianca Claims²

- a. *Classification:* Class 11 consists of all General Unsecured Avianca Claims.
- b. *Treatment:* On the Initial General Unsecured Claims Distribution Date (or on the next distribution date following Allowance, if later), each holder of an Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claim shall receive its Pro Rata share of either (A) the Unsecured Claimholder Cash Pool or (B) if such holder is an Eligible Holder and makes a written election on a timely and properly delivered and completed Ballot or other writing reasonably acceptable to the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors to receive the Unsecured Claimholder Equity Package, (1) the Unsecured Claimholder Equity Pool and (2) the Warrants;

provided, that, **if Class 11 votes to accept the Plan**, in addition to the treatment set forth above, each holder of an Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claim shall also receive its Pro Rata Share of either (x) the Unsecured Claimholder Enhanced Cash Pool or (y) if such holder is an Eligible Holder and duly elects to receive the Unsecured Claimholder Equity Package, the Unsecured Claimholder Enhanced Equity Pool

For the avoidance of doubt, if a holder of an Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claim does not duly elect to receive the Unsecured Claimholder

² The DIP Facility is secured, in part, by the same collateral securing the 2023 Notes (the “Shared Collateral”); however, pursuant to the Final DIP Order, DIP Facility Claims shall be satisfied first from proceeds of the Shared Collateral (the “DIP Marshaling Provision”). As a result of the DIP Roll-Up and the DIP Marshaling Provision, no value with respect to the Shared Collateral will be available to satisfy 2023 Notes Claims after DIP Facility Claims are satisfied, thereby rendering the 2023 Notes, as well as any other indebtedness secured by the Shared Collateral on equal footing with the 2023 Notes, effectively unsecured pursuant to section 506(a) of the Bankruptcy Code. Further, pursuant to the Final DIP Order, holders of 2023 Notes Claims (and holders of other indebtedness secured by the Shared Collateral) have no claims against any Debtor for, arising out of, or related to adequate protection (including on account of the priming liens in respect of the Shared Collateral). For the avoidance of doubt, 2023 Notes Claims shall not include any unsecured deficiency claim held by a Consenting Noteholder on account of, arising out of, or relating to the 2023 Notes.

Equity Package or is an Ineligible Holder, such holder shall automatically receive its distribution in Cash (i.e., its Pro Rata share of the Unsecured Claimholder Cash Pool and, as applicable, the Unsecured Claimholder Enhanced Cash Pool).

- c. *Voting:* Class 11 is Impaired under the Plan. Holders of General Unsecured Avianca Claims are entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

12. Class 12 – General Unsecured Avifreight Claims

- a. *Classification:* Class 12 consists of all General Unsecured Avifreight Claims.
- b. *Treatment:* Except to the extent previously paid during the Chapter 11 Cases or the holder agrees to less favorable treatment, each holder of a General Unsecured Avifreight Claim shall (i) receive from Reorganized Avifreight, in full and final satisfaction of its General Unsecured Avifreight Claim, payment, in Cash, equal to the Allowed amount of such Claim, on the later of the Effective Date and the date when its General Unsecured Avifreight Claim becomes due and payable in the ordinary course or (ii) be otherwise rendered Unimpaired.
- c. *Voting:* Class 12 is Unimpaired under the Plan. Holders of General Unsecured Avifreight Claims are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

13. Class 13 – General Unsecured Aerounión Claims

- a. *Classification:* Class 13 consists of all General Unsecured Aerounión Claims.
- b. *Treatment:* Except to the extent previously paid during the Chapter 11 Cases or the holder agrees to less favorable treatment, each holder of a General Unsecured Aerounión Claim shall (i) receive from Reorganized Aerounión, in full and final satisfaction of its General Unsecured Aerounión Claim, payment, in Cash, equal to the Allowed amount of such Claim, on the later of the Effective Date and the date when its General Unsecured Aerounión Claim becomes due and payable in the ordinary course or (ii) be otherwise rendered Unimpaired.
- c. *Voting:* Class 13 is Unimpaired under the Plan. Holders of General Unsecured Aerounión Claims are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

14. Class 14 – General Unsecured SAI Claims

- a. *Classification:* Class 14 consists of all General Unsecured SAI Claims.
- b. *Treatment:* Except to the extent previously paid during the Chapter 11 Cases or the holder agrees to less favorable treatment, each holder of a General Unsecured SAI Claim shall (i) receive from Reorganized SAI, in full and final satisfaction of its General Unsecured SAI Claim, payment, in Cash, equal to the Allowed amount of such Claim, on the later of the Effective Date and the date when its General Unsecured SAI Claim becomes due and payable in the ordinary course or (ii) be otherwise rendered Unimpaired.
- c. *Voting:* Class 14 is Unimpaired under the Plan. Holders of General Unsecured SAI Claims are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

15. Class 15 – General Unsecured Convenience Claims

- a. *Classification:* Class 15 consists of all General Unsecured Convenience Claims.
- b. *Treatment:* Except to the extent previously paid during the Chapter 11 Cases or such holder agrees to less favorable treatment, each holder of an Allowed General Unsecured Convenience Claim shall receive, in full and final satisfaction of its General Unsecured Convenience Claim, Cash in an amount equal to 1.0% of the amount of such Allowed General Unsecured Convenience Claim.
- c. *Voting:* Class 15 is Impaired under the Plan. Holders of General Unsecured Convenience Claims are entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

16. Class 16 – Subordinated Claims

- a. *Classification:* Class 16 consists of all Subordinated Claims, if any.
- b. *Treatment:* All Subordinated Claims, if any, shall be discharged, cancelled, released, and extinguished as of the Effective Date, and will be of no further force or effect, and holders of Subordinated Claims will not receive any distribution on account of such Subordinated Claims.
- c. *Voting:* Class 16 is Impaired under the Plan. Holders of Subordinated Claims are deemed to have rejected the Plan pursuant to section 1126(g) of the Bankruptcy Code and, therefore, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

17. Class 17 – Intercompany Claims

- a. *Classification:* Class 17 consists of all Intercompany Claims.
- b. *Treatment:* No property will be distributed to holders of Intercompany Claims. Each Intercompany Claim will be either Reinstated or released and cancelled, as determined appropriate by the Debtors.
- c. *Voting:* Depending on the treatment accorded, Intercompany Claims are either Unimpaired or Impaired under the Plan. Holders of Intercompany Claims are conclusively presumed to have accepted or deemed to have rejected the Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) or 1126(g) of the Bankruptcy Code and, in either case, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

18. Class 18 – Existing AVH Non-Voting Equity Interests

- a. *Classification:* Class 18 consists of all Existing AVH Non-Voting Equity Interests.
- b. *Treatment:* Holders of Existing AVH Non-Voting Equity Interests shall retain such Interests, which may be cancelled, released, or extinguished, or will receive economically similar treatment, as of the Effective Date or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter, to the extent permitted by applicable law as determined by the Debtors in their business judgment, and holders of Existing AVH Non-Voting Equity Interests shall not receive any distributions on account of such Interests.
- c. *Voting:* Class 18 is Impaired under the Plan. Holders of Existing AVH Non-Voting Equity Interests are deemed to have rejected the Plan pursuant to section 1126(g) of the Bankruptcy Code and, therefore, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

19. Class 19 – Existing AVH Common Equity Interests

- a. *Classification:* Class 19 consists of all Existing AVH Common Equity Interests.
- b. *Treatment:* Holders of Existing AVH Common Equity Interests shall retain such Interests, which may be cancelled, released, or extinguished, or will receive economically similar treatment, as of the Effective Date or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter, to the extent permitted by applicable law as determined by the Debtors in their business judgment, and holders of Existing AVH Common Equity Interests shall not receive any distributions on account of such Interests.
- c. *Voting:* Class 19 is Impaired under the Plan. Holders of Existing AVH Common Equity Interests are deemed to have rejected the Plan pursuant to

section 1126(g) of the Bankruptcy Code and, therefore, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

20. Class 20 –Existing Avifreight Equity Interests

- a. *Classification:* Class 20 consists of all Existing Avifreight Equity Interests.
- b. *Treatment:* Each holder of an Allowed Existing Avifreight Equity Interest shall have its Interest Reinstated.
- c. *Voting:* Class 20 is Unimpaired under the Plan. Holders of Existing Avifreight Equity Interests are conclusively presumed to have accepted the Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code and, therefore, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

21. Class 21 – Existing SAI Equity Interests

- a. *Classification:* Class 21 consists of all Existing SAI Equity Interests.
- b. *Treatment:* Each holder of an Allowed Existing SAI Equity Interest shall have its Interest Reinstated. On the Effective Date, holders of Existing SAI Equity Interests may receive payment of any accrued but unpaid dividends on account of such Existing SAI Equity Interests.
- c. *Voting:* Class 21 is Unimpaired under the Plan. Holders of Existing SAI Equity Interests are conclusively presumed to have accepted the Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code and, therefore, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

22. Class 22 – Other Existing Equity Interests

- a. *Classification:* Class 22 consists of all Other Existing Equity Interests.
- b. *Treatment:* Holders of Other Existing Equity Interests will not receive any distribution on account of such Interests, which will be cancelled, released, extinguished, or receive economically similar treatment as of the Effective Date or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter, to the extent permitted by applicable law as determined by the Debtors in their business judgment, and holders of Other Existing Equity Interests shall not receive or retain any property under the Plan on account of such Other Existing Equity Interests.
- c. *Voting:* Class 22 is Impaired under the Plan. Holders of Other Existing Equity Interests are deemed to have rejected the Plan pursuant to section 1126(g) of the Bankruptcy Code and, therefore, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

23. Class 23 – Intercompany Interests

- a. *Classification:* Class 23 consists of all Intercompany Interests.
- b. *Treatment:* No property will be distributed to holders of Intercompany Interests. Each Intercompany Interest will either be (i) Reinstated solely to the extent necessary to maintain the Reorganized Debtors' corporate structure or (ii) transferred to a newly formed holding entity in conformance with the Transaction Steps.
- c. *Voting:* Depending on the treatment accorded, Intercompany Claims are either Unimpaired or Impaired under the Plan. Holders of Intercompany Interests are conclusively presumed to have accepted or deemed to have rejected the Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) or 1126(g) of the Bankruptcy Code and, in either case, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

C. *Special Provision Governing Unimpaired Claims*

Except as otherwise specifically provided in the Plan, nothing herein shall be deemed to affect, diminish, or impair the Debtors' or the Reorganized Debtors' rights and defenses, both legal and equitable, with respect to any Reinstated Claim or Unimpaired Claim, including legal and equitable defenses to setoffs or recoupment against Reinstated Claims or Unimpaired Claims, and, except as otherwise specifically provided in the Plan, nothing herein shall be deemed to be a waiver or relinquishment of any Claim, Cause of Action, right of setoff, or other legal or equitable defense that the Debtors had immediately prior to the Petition Date against or with respect to any Claim that is Unimpaired by the Plan. Except as otherwise specifically provided in the Plan, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors shall have, retain, reserve, and be entitled to assert all such Claims, Causes of Action, rights of setoff, and other legal or equitable defenses that the Debtors had immediately prior to the Petition Date fully as if the Chapter 11 Cases had not been commenced, and all of the Debtors' and Reorganized Debtors' legal and equitable rights with respect to any Reinstated Claim or Claim that is Unimpaired by this Plan may be asserted after the Confirmation Date and the Effective Date to the same extent as if the Chapter 11 Cases had not been commenced.

D. *Subordination of Claims*

Except as expressly provided herein, the Allowance, classification, and treatment of all Allowed Claims and Interests and the respective distributions and treatments under the Plan take into account and conform to the relative priority and rights of the Claims and Interests in each Class in connection with any contractual, legal, and equitable subordination rights relating thereto, whether arising under general principles of equitable subordination, section 510(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, or otherwise. Pursuant to section 510 of the Bankruptcy Code, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors reserve the right to reclassify any Allowed Claim or Interest in accordance with any contractual, legal, or equitable subordination relating thereto.

ARTICLE IV ACCEPTANCE OR REJECTION OF PLAN

A. *Confirmation Pursuant to Sections 1129(a)(10) and 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code*

Section 1129(a)(10) of the Bankruptcy Code shall be satisfied for purposes of Confirmation by acceptance of the Plan by any Impaired Class of Claims. The Debtors shall seek Confirmation of the Plan pursuant to section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code with respect to any rejecting Class of Claims or Interests.

B. *Voting Classes*

Holders of Claims in the following Classes as of the Voting Record Date are entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan: Classes 2B, 3, 4, 7, 11, and 15.

The Bankruptcy Code defines “acceptance” of a plan by a class of (i) Impaired Claims as acceptance by creditors in that class that hold at least two-thirds ($\frac{2}{3}$) in dollar amount and more than one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) in number of the Claims that cast ballots for acceptance or rejection of the Plan and (ii) Impaired Interests as acceptance by Interest holders in that Class that hold at least two-thirds ($\frac{2}{3}$) in amount of the Interests that cast ballots for acceptance or rejection of the Plan.

C. *Presumed Acceptance by Non-Voting Classes*

If a Class contains Claims or Interests eligible to vote and no holders of Claims or Interests eligible to vote in such Class vote to accept or reject the Plan, the Plan shall be presumed accepted by the holders of such Claims or Interests in such Class.

D. *Presumed Acceptance by Unimpaired Classes*

Classes 1, 2, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 20, 21, and, depending on their respective treatment, Classes 17 and 23, are Unimpaired under the Plan. Holders of Claims or Interests in such Classes are deemed to have accepted the Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code and are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

E. *Elimination of Vacant Classes*

Any Class of Claims or Interests that does not have a holder of an Allowed Claim or Allowed Interest or a Claim or Interest temporarily Allowed by the Bankruptcy Court as of the date of the Confirmation Hearing shall be deemed eliminated from the Plan for purposes of voting to accept or reject the Plan and for purposes of determining acceptance or rejection of the Plan by such Class pursuant to section 1129(a)(8) of the Bankruptcy Code.

F. *Controversy Concerning Impairment*

If a controversy arises as to whether any Claims or Interests, or any Class of Claims or Interests, are Impaired, the Bankruptcy Court shall, after notice and a hearing, determine such controversy on or before the Confirmation Date.

ARTICLE V MEANS FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF PLAN

A. *General Settlement of Claims and Interests*

Pursuant to section 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rule 9019, and in consideration for the classification, distributions, releases, and other benefits provided under the Plan, on the Effective Date, the provisions of the Plan shall constitute an arms' length and good faith compromise and settlement of all Claims and Interests and controversies resolved pursuant to the Plan, and all distributions made to holders of Allowed Claims and Interests in any Class in accordance with the Plan are intended to be, and shall be, final. Among other things, the Plan provides for a global settlement among the Debtors and various creditors of the Debtors (the "Global Plan Settlement"), which provides substantial value to the Debtors' Estates.

B. *Substantive Consolidation*

1. Avianca Plan Consolidation

The Plan serves as a motion seeking, and entry of the Confirmation Order shall constitute, the approval, pursuant to section 105(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, effective as of the Effective Date, of the Avianca Plan Consolidation.

Except as otherwise provided herein, solely for voting, Confirmation, and distribution purposes hereunder, and subject to the following sentence, (i) all assets and all liabilities of the Avianca Debtors shall be treated as though they were merged; (ii) all guarantees of any Avianca Debtor of the payment, performance, or collection of obligations of another Avianca Debtor shall be eliminated and cancelled; (iii) all joint obligations of two or more Avianca Debtors and multiple Claims against such Entities on account of such joint obligations shall be treated and allowed as a single Claim against the consolidated Avianca Debtors; (iv) all Claims between any Avianca Debtors shall be deemed cancelled; and (v) each Claim filed in the Chapter 11 Case of any Avianca Debtor shall be deemed filed against the consolidated Avianca Debtors and a single obligation of the consolidated Avianca Debtors' Estate. The substantive consolidation and deemed merger effected pursuant to this Article V.B shall not affect (other than for purposes of the Plan as set forth in this Article V.B) (i) the legal and organizational structure of the Reorganized Avianca Debtors, except as provided in the Restructuring Transactions; (ii) defenses to any Causes of Action or requirements for any third party to establish mutuality to assert a right of setoff; (iii) the claims, rights, or remedies of the DIP Agent and each of the DIP Lenders under the DIP Facility Documents until the satisfaction and discharge of all obligations under the DIP Facility Documents in accordance with the Plan on the Effective Date; (iv) the Secured RCF Claims or Secured RCF Liens, and (v) distributions out of any Insurance Contracts or any Entity's or Person's rights, if any, to proceeds of such Insurance Contracts.

2. Confirmation in the Event of Partial or No Avianca Plan Consolidation

In the event that the Bankruptcy Court orders partial, or does not order, the Avianca Plan Consolidation, the Debtors reserve the right to (i) proceed with no or partial Avianca Plan Consolidation, (ii) propose one or more Sub-Plans, (iii) proceed with confirmation of one or more

Sub-Plans to the exclusion of other Sub-Plans, (iv) withdraw some or all of the Sub-Plans, or (v) withdraw the Plan. The Debtors' inability to obtain approval of the Avianca Plan Consolidation or confirm any Sub-Plan, or the Debtors' election to withdraw the Avianca Plan Consolidation or any Sub-Plan, shall not impair confirmation or consummation of any other Sub-Plan. In the event that the Bankruptcy Court does not order the Avianca Plan Consolidation, (i) Claims against a particular Debtor shall be treated as Claims against solely such Debtor's Estate for all purposes and administered as provided in the applicable Sub-Plan and (ii) the Debtors shall not be required to resolicit votes with respect to the Plan or the applicable Sub-Plan.

3. Claims Against Avianca Debtors and Unconsolidated Debtors

If one or more Avianca Debtors and one or more Unconsolidated Debtors are obligated on a particular Claim, the holder of such Claim shall be deemed to have no Claim against the Avianca Debtors and one Claim against each applicable Unconsolidated Debtor for purposes of Confirmation and distribution. For the avoidance of doubt, no such holder shall receive distributions totaling an amount in excess of 100% of its Allowed Claim.

C. *Restructuring Transactions*

Prior to, on, or after the Effective Date, subject to and consistent with the terms of their obligations under the Plan, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors shall be authorized to enter into such transactions and take such other actions as may be necessary or appropriate to effect a corporate and other Entity restructuring of their businesses, to otherwise simplify the overall corporate and other Entity structure of the Debtors, and/or to reincorporate or reorganize certain of the Debtors under the laws of jurisdictions other than the laws under which such Debtors currently are incorporated or formed, which restructuring may include one or more mergers, consolidations, dispositions, transfers, assignments, contributions, liquidations or dissolutions, as may be determined by the Debtors to be necessary or appropriate to result in substantially all of the respective assets, properties, rights, liabilities, duties and obligations of certain of the Debtors vesting in one or more surviving, resulting or acquiring entities (collectively, the "Restructuring Transactions"). Subject to the terms of the Plan, in each case in which the surviving, resulting or acquiring Entity in any such transaction is a successor to a Debtor, such surviving, resulting or acquiring Entity shall perform the obligations of such Debtor pursuant to the Plan to pay or otherwise satisfy the Allowed Claims against and Interests in such Debtor, except as provided in any contract, instrument or other agreement or document effecting a disposition to such surviving, resulting or acquiring Entity, which may provide that another Debtor will perform such obligations.

In effecting the Restructuring Transactions, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors shall implement the Transaction Steps and be permitted to: (1) execute and deliver appropriate agreements or other documents of merger, consolidation, restructuring, disposition, liquidation, or dissolution containing terms that are consistent with the terms of the Plan and that satisfy the requirements of applicable non-bankruptcy law and such other terms to which the applicable Entities may agree; (2) form new Entities, execute and deliver appropriate documents in connection therewith containing terms that are consistent with the terms of the Plan and that satisfy the requirements of applicable non-bankruptcy law, and issue equity in such newly formed

Entities; (3) execute and deliver appropriate instruments of transfer, assignment, assumption or delegation of any asset, property, right, liability, duty or obligation on terms consistent with the terms of the Plan and having such other terms to which the applicable Entities may agree and effectuate such transfers, assignments, assumptions, or delegations in accordance with such instruments, including to any Entities formed in accordance with the Restructuring Transactions and the Plan; (4) file appropriate certificates or articles of merger, consolidation or dissolution pursuant to applicable non-bankruptcy law; and (5) take all other actions that the applicable Entities determine to be necessary or appropriate, including making filings or recordings, or vacating previously filed filings or recordings, that may be required by applicable non-bankruptcy law in connection with such transactions. Each agent of the Debtors and other Persons authorized to make filings with respect to the Debtors (including, without limitation, each resident agent) is directed to cooperate with and to take direction from the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors as to the foregoing. To the extent known, any such Restructuring Transactions will be summarized in the Description of Restructuring Transactions, and in all cases, such transactions shall be subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan and any consents or approvals required under the Plan or the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement.

On the Effective Date or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter, all Interests in AVH will be cancelled, released, extinguished, or receive economically similar treatment, to the extent permitted by applicable law as determined by the Debtors in their business judgment.

D. *Sources of Consideration for Plan Distributions*

1. Cash

The Reorganized Debtors shall fund distributions under the Plan required to be paid in Cash, if any, with Cash on hand (including Cash from operations and Cash received under the DIP Facility in accordance with the DIP Facility Documents) and Cash received on the Effective Date (including borrowings under the Exit Facility and the Tranche B Equity Contributions).

2. Exit Facility

On the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors shall be authorized to execute, deliver, and enter into the Exit Facility Documents, subject to the requisite approvals, without further (i) notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, (ii) vote, consent, authorization, or approval of any Person, or (iii) action by the holders of Claims or Interests.

The Reorganized Debtors shall be authorized to convert/repay the Tranche A-1 DIP Obligations and Tranche A-2 DIP Obligations with the Exit Facility and use the proceeds of such borrowings for any purpose permitted thereunder. Without limiting the foregoing, the Reorganized Debtors shall pay, as and when due, all fees, expenses, losses, damages, indemnities, and other amounts, including any applicable refinancing premiums and applicable exit fees, provided under the DIP Facility Documents related to the DIP Facility and/or the Exit Facility Documents relating to such Exit Facility.

The Exit Facility Documents shall constitute legal, valid, binding, and authorized joint and several obligations of the applicable Reorganized Debtors, enforceable in accordance with their

respective terms, and such obligations shall not be enjoined or subject to discharge, impairment, release, avoidance, recharacterization, or subordination (including equitable subordination) for any purposes whatsoever under applicable law, the Plan or the Confirmation Order and shall not constitute preferential transfers, fraudulent conveyances, or other voidable transfers under the Bankruptcy Code or any other applicable non-bankruptcy law. The financial accommodations to be extended pursuant to the Exit Facility Documents are reasonable and are being extended, and shall be deemed to have been extended, in good faith and for legitimate business purposes.

On the Effective Date, all of the Liens to be granted in accordance with the Exit Facility Documents (a) shall be deemed to be approved; (b) shall be legal, binding, and enforceable Liens on the collateral granted under the respective Exit Facility Documents in accordance with the terms thereof; (c)(i) shall be deemed perfected on the Effective Date and (ii) the priorities of such Liens shall be as set forth in the respective Exit Facility Documents, and, in the case of this clause (ii), subject only to such Liens as may be permitted under the Exit Facility Documents; and (d) shall not be subject to avoidance, recharacterization, or subordination (including equitable subordination) for any purposes whatsoever and shall not constitute preferential transfers, fraudulent conveyances or other voidable transfers under the Bankruptcy Code or any applicable non-bankruptcy law. The Reorganized Debtors and the secured parties (and their designees and agents) under such Exit Facility Documents are hereby authorized to make all filings and recordings, and to obtain all governmental approvals and consents, to establish and perfect such Liens under the provisions of the applicable state, provincial, federal, or other law (whether domestic or foreign) that would be applicable in the absence of the Plan and the Confirmation Order (it being understood that perfection of the Liens granted under the Exit Facility Documents shall occur automatically by virtue of the entry of the Confirmation Order and funding on or after the Effective Date, and any such filings, recordings, approvals, and consents shall not be necessary or required), and the Reorganized Debtors and the secured parties (and their designees and agents) under such Exit Facility Documents will thereafter cooperate to make all other filings and recordings that otherwise would be necessary under applicable law to give notice of such Liens to third parties.

To the extent that any holder of a Secured Claim that has been satisfied or discharged pursuant to the Plan, or any agent for such holder, has filed or recorded any Liens to secure such holder's Secured Claim, then on or as soon as practicable after the Effective Date, such holder (or the agent for such holder) shall, at the Debtors' or Reorganized Debtors' sole cost and expense, take any and all steps reasonably requested by the Debtors, Reorganized Debtors, or the Exit Facility Indenture Trustee that are necessary to cancel and/or extinguish such Liens (it being understood that such Liens held by holders of Secured Claims that are satisfied on the Effective Date pursuant to the Plan shall be automatically canceled/or extinguished on the Effective Date by virtue of the entry of the Confirmation Order); provided, that the foregoing shall not apply to the Secured RCF Liens.

3. New Common Equity

Reorganized AVH is authorized to issue or cause to be issued, and shall issue, the New Common Equity without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under

applicable law, regulation, order, or rule, or the vote, consent, authorization, or approval of any Person.

All of the New Common Equity issued and/or distributed pursuant to the Plan shall be duly authorized, validly issued, and, as applicable, fully paid and non-assessable. Each distribution and issuance of the New Common Equity under the Plan shall be governed by the terms and conditions set forth in the Plan applicable to such distribution or issuance and by the terms and conditions of the instruments evidencing or relating to such distribution or issuance, which terms and conditions shall bind each Entity receiving such distribution or issuance.

All of the New Common Equity issued and/or distributed pursuant to the Plan, whether solely in exchange for Claims or, in the case of certain Tranche B DIP Lenders, in exchange for Tranche B DIP Facility Claims and the Tranche B Equity Contribution, shall be exempt from the registration requirements of Section 5 of the Securities Act and any “Blue Sky” Laws of any U.S. jurisdiction pursuant to section 1145(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, except to the extent that they are subject to the provisions of section 1145(b)(1).

4. Warrants

Reorganized AVH is authorized to issue or cause to be issued, and shall issue, the Warrants without further notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court, act or action under applicable law, regulation, order, or rule, or the vote, consent, authorization, or approval of any Person.

The Warrants shall be automatically exercisable upon any scheme of merger, acquisition, reorganization liquidation, dissolution, winding-up, or sale of Reorganized AVH or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of Reorganized AVH where the Exercise Price is achieved. The Warrants shall have standard anti-dilution protection, and the Warrants shall be fully transferable, subject to applicable securities laws and regulations. Holders of Warrants shall have standard information rights during the period prior to the registration of the New Common Equity or listing of the New Common Equity on a global securities exchange.

All of the Warrants issued and/or distributed pursuant to the Plan shall be duly authorized, validly issued, and, as applicable, fully paid and non-assessable. Each distribution and issuance of the Warrants under the Plan shall be governed by the terms and conditions set forth in the Plan applicable to such distribution or issuance and by the terms and conditions of the instruments evidencing or relating to such distribution or issuance, which terms and conditions shall bind each Entity receiving such distribution or issuance.

All of the Warrants issued and/or distributed pursuant to the Plan shall be exempt from the registration requirements of Section 5 of the Securities Act and any “Blue Sky” Laws of any U.S. jurisdiction pursuant to section 1145(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, except to the extent that they are subject to the provisions of section 1145(b)(1).

E. *Corporate Existence*

Except as otherwise provided in the Plan, and despite the Avianca Plan Consolidation, each Debtor and each of its direct and indirect subsidiaries shall continue to exist after the Effective

Date as a separate corporation, limited liability company, limited partnership, or other form, as the case may be, with all the powers of a corporation, limited liability company, limited partnership, or other form, as the case may be, pursuant to the applicable law in the jurisdiction in which each applicable Debtor is incorporated or formed and pursuant to the respective bylaws, limited liability company agreement, operating agreement, limited partnership agreement (or other formation documents) in effect prior to the Effective Date, except to the extent such formation documents are amended under the Plan or otherwise, and to the extent such documents are amended, such documents are deemed to be amended pursuant to the Plan and require no further action or approval (other than any requisite filings required under applicable law); provided, that after the Effective Date, AVH and its direct and indirect subsidiaries may be liquidated, wound up, and/or dissolved in accordance with applicable law and applicable rules of corporate governance.

F. *Vesting of Assets in the Reorganized Debtors*

Except as otherwise provided in the Plan, on the Effective Date, pursuant to sections 1141(b) and (c) of the Bankruptcy Code, all property in each applicable Estate, and any property acquired by the Debtors pursuant to the Plan shall vest in the Reorganized Debtors and, if applicable, any Entity or Entities formed pursuant to the Restructuring Transactions to hold the assets and/or equity of the Reorganized Debtors, free and clear of all Liens, Claims, charges, or other encumbrances. On and after the Effective Date, except as otherwise provided in the Plan, the applicable Reorganized Debtors may operate their businesses and may use, acquire, or dispose of property and compromise or settle any Claims, Interests, or Causes of Action without supervision or approval by the Bankruptcy Court, and free of any restrictions of the Bankruptcy Code or Bankruptcy Rules.

The Plan shall be conclusively deemed to be adequate notice that Liens, Claims, charges or other encumbrances are being extinguished. Any Person having a Lien, Claim, charge or other encumbrance against any of the property vested in accordance with the foregoing paragraph shall be conclusively deemed to have consented to the transfer, assignment and vesting of such property to or in the Reorganized Debtors free and clear of all Liens, Claims, charges or other encumbrances by failing to object to confirmation of the Plan, except as otherwise provided in the Plan.

G. *Cancellation of Loans, Securities, and Agreements*

Except as otherwise provided in the Plan, the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement, the amended Secured RCF Documents, or the amended Engine Loan Documents, on the Effective Date or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter with respect to each Debtor: (1) the DIP Facility Claims, Grupo Aval Receivable Facility Claims, Grupo Aval Lines of Credit Claims, 2020 Notes Claims, 2023 Notes Claims, Direct Loan Claims, Other Existing Equity Interests, and any other certificate, equity security, share, note, purchase right, option, warrant, or other instrument or document directly or indirectly evidencing or creating any indebtedness or obligation of, or ownership interest in, the Debtors giving rise to any Claim or Interest (except such certificates, notes, or other instruments or documents evidencing indebtedness or obligation of, or ownership interest in, the Debtors that are Reinstated or otherwise retained by holders thereof pursuant to the Plan), shall, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, be deemed cancelled, released, surrendered, extinguished, and discharged as to the Debtors without any need for further action or

approval of the Bankruptcy Court or any holder thereof or any other Person or Entity, and the Reorganized Debtors shall not have any continuing obligations thereunder or in any way related thereto; and (2) the obligations of the Debtors pursuant, relating, or pertaining to any agreements, indentures, certificates of designation, bylaws or certificate or articles of incorporation, or similar documents governing the shares, certificates, notes, purchase rights, options, warrants, or other instruments or documents evidencing or creating any indebtedness or obligation of, or ownership interest in, the Debtors (except such agreements, certificates, notes or other instruments evidencing indebtedness or obligation of or ownership interest in the Debtors that are specifically Reinstated pursuant to the Plan or otherwise retained by holders thereof pursuant to the Plan) shall be deemed satisfied in full, released, and discharged without any need for further action or approval of the Bankruptcy Court or any holder thereof or any other Person or Entity.

Notwithstanding such cancellation and discharge, the DIP Credit Agreement, the DIP Facility Indentures, the other DIP Facility Documents, the Direct Loan Promissory Note, the 2020 Notes Indenture, and the 2023 Notes Indenture shall continue in effect to the extent necessary (i) to allow the holders of Claims to receive distributions under the Plan; (ii) to allow the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors, and the agents and Indenture Trustees under such documents to take other actions pursuant to the Plan on account of Claims; (iii) to allow holders of Claims to retain their respective rights and obligations vis-à-vis other holders of Claims pursuant to such documents; (iv) to allow the agents, including the DIP Agent, and Indenture Trustees under such documents to enforce their rights, claims, causes of action and interests under such documents against any party other than the Debtors, including, but not limited to, any rights with respect to priority of payment and/or to exercise charging liens; (v) to preserve any rights of the agents, including the DIP Agent, and Indenture Trustees under such documents to payment of fees, expenses, and indemnification obligations under such documents, including any rights to priority of payment and/or to exercise charging liens; (vi) to allow the agents, including the DIP Agent, and Indenture Trustees under such documents to enforce any obligations owed to them under the Plan; (vii) to allow the agents, including the DIP Agent, and Indenture Trustees under such documents to exercise rights and obligations relating to the interests of creditors under such documents; (viii) to allow the agents, including the DIP Agent, and Indenture Trustees under such documents to appear in the Chapter 11 Cases or in any proceeding in the Bankruptcy Court or any other court relating to the such documents; provided, that nothing in this Article V.G shall affect the discharge of Claims pursuant to the Plan.

Notwithstanding any provision in the Plan to the contrary, the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors shall promptly pay in Cash in full the reasonable and documented 2020 Notes Indenture Trustee Claims, subject to an aggregate cap of \$875,000, without the filing of fee applications with or approval by the Bankruptcy Court; provided, that the 2020 Notes Indenture Trustee and its counsel shall provide the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors (as applicable) and the Committee with invoices (or other documentation as the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors (as applicable) may reasonably request) for which it seeks payment within five (5) Business Days after the entry of the Confirmation Order, provided, further, that, to the extent that the Debtors and the Committee have no objection to such fees and expenses, such fees and expenses shall be paid within five (5) Business Days of the Effective Date. To the extent that the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors (as applicable) or the Committee objects to any of the fees and expenses of the 2020 Notes Indenture Trustee or its advisors, the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors (as applicable) shall not

be required to pay any disputed portion of such fees and expenses until a resolution of such objection is agreed to by the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors (as applicable), the Committee, and the 2020 Notes Indenture Trustee or upon further order of the Bankruptcy Court upon a motion filed by the 2020 Notes Indenture Trustee.

Except for the foregoing, upon the occurrence of the Effective Date, the agents and indenture trustees under the DIP Facility Documents, the DIP Facility Indentures, the Direct Loan Promissory Note, the 2020 Notes Indenture, and the 2023 Notes Indenture shall be relieved of all further duties and responsibilities related to such documents; provided, that any provisions of such documents that by their terms survive their termination shall survive in accordance with their terms.

Upon the full payment or other satisfaction of an Allowed Other Secured Claim, or promptly thereafter, the holder of such Allowed Other Secured Claim shall deliver to the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, any collateral or other property of a Debtor held by such holder, together with any termination statements, instruments of satisfaction, or releases of all security interests with respect to its Allowed Other Secured Claim that may be reasonably required to terminate any related financing statements, mortgages, mechanics' or other statutory Liens, or lis pendens, or similar interests or documents and take all other steps reasonably requested by the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors, or the Exit Facility Indenture Trustee that are necessary to cancel and/or extinguish Liens securing such holder's Claim.

H. *Corporate and Other Entity Action*

On the Effective Date, all actions contemplated under the Plan (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the Plan Supplement) shall be deemed authorized and approved in all respects, including, with respect to the applicable Reorganized Debtors: (1) appointment of the New Boards pursuant to Article V.J and any other managers, directors, or officers for the Reorganized Debtors identified in the Plan Supplement; (2) the issuance and distribution of the New Common Equity by Reorganized AVH; (3) entry into the New Organizational Documents; (4) entry into the Exit Facility Documents; (5) implementation of the Restructuring Transactions (which, pursuant to Article V.C of the Plan, may be implemented prior to, on, or after the Effective Date); (6) transfer of intellectual property to a stand-alone subsidiary of Reorganized Avianca; and (7) all other actions contemplated under the Plan (whether to occur before, on, or after the Effective Date). All matters provided for in the Plan involving the corporate or other Entity structure of the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, and any corporate or other Entity action required by the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors in connection with the Plan, shall be deemed to have occurred and shall be in effect, without any requirement of further action by the security holders, managers, or officers of the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors. On or before the Effective Date, the appropriate officers of the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, shall be authorized and (as applicable) directed to issue, execute, and deliver the agreements, documents, securities, and instruments contemplated under the Plan (or necessary or desirable to effectuate the transactions contemplated under the Plan) in the name, and on behalf, of the Reorganized Debtors, including any and all agreements, documents, securities, and instruments relating to the foregoing. The authorizations and approvals contemplated by this Article V.H shall be effective notwithstanding any requirements under applicable non-bankruptcy law.

I. *New Organizational Documents*

On or prior to the Effective Date or as soon thereafter as is practicable, the applicable Reorganized Debtors shall, if so required under applicable local law, file their New Organizational Documents with the applicable Secretaries of State and/or other applicable authorities in their respective states or countries of incorporation in accordance with the corporate laws of the respective states or countries of incorporation or formation. Pursuant to section 1123(a)(6) of the Bankruptcy Code, the New Organizational Documents will prohibit the issuance of non-voting equity securities, but only to the extent required by section 1123(a)(6) of the Bankruptcy Code. After the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors may amend and restate their respective New Organizational Documents and other constituent documents as permitted by the laws of their respective states or countries of incorporation or formation, and their respective New Organizational Documents, without further order of the Bankruptcy Court.

J. *Directors and Officers of Reorganized Debtors*

1. Reorganized AVH Board

On the Effective Date, the Reorganized AVH Board shall consist of at least nine (9) directors, one (1) of whom shall be the Reorganized Debtors' then-serving Chief Executive Officer, one (1) of whom shall be designated by each Principal Investor³ for so long as such holder of New Common Equity is a Principal Investor, and four (4) of whom shall be independent directors; one (1) of such independent directors will be selected in consultation with the Committee. The identities of the other directors will, to the extent known, be disclosed in the Plan Supplement. The composition of the boards of directors or managers, as applicable, of each other Reorganized Debtor will be identified no later than the hearing on Confirmation. Except to the extent that a member of a Debtor's board of directors or managers, as applicable, continues to serve as a director or manager of the corresponding Reorganized Debtor after the Effective Date, the members of the Debtors' boards of directors or managers, as applicable, shall have no continuing obligations to the Reorganized Debtors on or after the Effective Date in their capacities as such, and each such director or manager shall be deemed to have resigned or shall otherwise cease to be a director or manager of the applicable Debtor on the Effective Date. Commencing on the Effective Date, each of the directors or managers, as applicable, of the Reorganized Debtors shall serve pursuant to the terms of the applicable New Organizational Documents and may be replaced or removed in accordance with such documents.

³ "Principal Investors" means (i) each Tranche B DIP Lender that, collectively with its affiliates, holds, in the aggregate, 10% or more of the New Common Equity outstanding as of emergence (the "**Original Principal Investors**"), together with (ii) two (2) unaffiliated holders of New Common Equity that are appointed by the Original Principal Investors holding, in the aggregate, a majority of the New Common Equity held by the Original Principal Investors. The Debtors expect that there will be four (4) Principal Investors as of the Effective Date.

2. Officers of Reorganized Debtors

Except as otherwise provided in the Plan Supplement, the officers of the Debtors immediately before the Effective Date shall serve as the initial officers of each of the respective Reorganized Debtors on and after the Effective Date. After the Effective Date, the selection of officers of the Reorganized Debtors shall be as provided by their respective organizational documents.

3. New Subsidiary Boards

On the Effective Date, the applicable New Subsidiary Boards shall be appointed in accordance with the applicable New Organizational Documents.

K. *Effectuating Documents; Further Transactions*

On and after the Effective Date, the applicable Reorganized Debtors and the officers and members of the boards of directors thereof are authorized to, and may issue, execute, deliver, file, or record, such contracts, securities, instruments, releases, and other agreements or documents and take such actions as may be necessary or appropriate to effectuate, implement, and further evidence the terms and conditions of the Plan, and the securities issued pursuant to the Plan in the name, and on behalf, of the Reorganized Debtors, without the need for any approvals, authorization, or consents, except for those expressly required pursuant to the Plan or the New Organizational Documents.

L. *Section 1146 Exemption*

Pursuant to section 1146 of the Bankruptcy Code, (a) the issuance, transfer or exchange of any securities, instruments or documents, (b) the creation of any lien, mortgage, deed of trust or other security interest, (c) the making or assignment of any lease or sublease or the making or delivery of any deed or other instrument of transfer under, pursuant to, in furtherance of, or in connection with the Plan, including, without limitation, any deeds, bills of sale or assignments executed in connection with any of the transactions contemplated under the Plan or the reinvesting, transfer or sale of any real or personal property of the Debtors pursuant to, in implementation of or as contemplated in the Plan (whether to one or more of the Reorganized Debtors or otherwise), (d) the grant of collateral under the Exit Facility Documents, and (e) the issuance, renewal, modification or securing of indebtedness by such means, and the making, delivery or recording of any deed or other instrument of transfer under, in furtherance of, or in connection with, the Plan, including, without limitation, the Confirmation Order, shall not be subject to any document recording tax, stamp tax, conveyance fee or other similar tax, mortgage tax, real estate transfer tax, mortgage recording tax, Uniform Commercial Code filing or recording fee, regulatory filing or recording fee, sales tax, use tax or other similar tax or governmental assessment. Consistent with the foregoing, each recorder of deeds or similar official for any county, city or governmental unit in which any instrument hereunder is to be recorded shall, pursuant to the Confirmation Order, be ordered and directed to accept such instrument without requiring the payment of any filing fees and expenses, documentary stamp tax, deed stamps, stamp tax, transfer tax, intangible tax or similar tax.

M. *Authorization and Issuance of New Common Equity*

On the Effective Date, Reorganized AVH shall issue the New Common Equity in accordance with the terms of the Transaction Steps, the Plan, and the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement. All of the New Common Equity, when so issued, shall be duly authorized, validly issued, and, in the case of the New Common Equity, fully paid, and non-assessable.

N. *Preservation of Causes of Action*

In accordance with section 1123(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, but subject in all respects to Article IX.D of the Plan, the Reorganized Debtors shall retain and may enforce all rights to commence and pursue, as appropriate, any and all Retained Causes of Action (and all Privilege Rights with respect thereto), whether arising before or after the Petition Date, including, without limitation, any actions specifically enumerated in the Schedule of Retained Causes of Action, and the Reorganized Debtors' rights to commence, prosecute, or settle such Retained Causes of Action shall be preserved notwithstanding the occurrence of the Effective Date; provided, that the Reorganized Debtors waive their rights to assert Preference Actions against holders of General Unsecured Claims (but reserve the right to assert any such Preference Actions solely as counterclaims or defenses to Claims asserted against the Debtors; provided, that any such assertion may solely be defensive, without any right to seek or obtain an affirmative recovery on account of any such counterclaim). The Reorganized Debtors may pursue such Retained Causes of Action, as appropriate, in accordance with the best interests of the Reorganized Debtors in their discretion.

No Person or Entity may rely on the absence of a specific reference in the Plan, the Plan Supplement, or the Disclosure Statement to any Retained Cause of Action against them as any indication that the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors will not pursue any and all available Retained Causes of Action against them. Unless any Retained Cause of Action against a Person is expressly waived, relinquished, exculpated, released, compromised, or settled in the Plan or a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court, the Reorganized Debtors expressly reserve all Retained Causes of Action, for later adjudication, and, therefore no preclusion doctrine, including the doctrines of res judicata, collateral estoppel, issue preclusion, claim preclusion, estoppel (judicial, equitable, or otherwise), or laches, shall apply to such Causes of Action upon, after, or as a consequence of the confirmation of the Plan or the occurrence of the Effective Date.

O. *Grupo Aval Settlement*

Capitalized terms used and not otherwise defined in this Article V.O shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement.

1. *Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement*

The terms, conditions, obligations, covenants, and agreements set forth in the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement and the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation, all of which will be ratified and affirmed and shall continue in full force and effect (in each case as amended, restated, supplemented, or otherwise modified from time to time), are valid, effective, and non-avoidable post-petition obligations of the Debtors' Estates. The Debtors are authorized to enter into and

perform the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation, including any amendments and modifications that may be agreed in writing among the Debtors and the Grupo Aval Entities.

The Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement and Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation constitute legal, valid, binding, and non-avoidable post-petition obligations of the Debtors and their estates, enforceable against them in accordance with their terms.

Effective as of the Effective Date, the admissions, agreements, and releases contained in the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation relating to the restructuring of the Working Capital Lines of Credit, including the Working Capital Lines of Credit Definitive Documentation (each as defined in the Term Sheet), shall be binding upon the Settling Parties, the Debtors' Estates, and any and all other parties in interest, including, without limitation, the Committee and any other person or entity acting or seeking to act on behalf of the Debtors' Estates, including any chapter 7 or chapter 11 trustee or examiner appointed or elected for any of the Debtors, in all circumstances and for all purposes.

Effective as of the Settlement Effective Date, any liens and security interests granted pursuant to the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement and the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation are (a) deemed approved, (b) legal, valid, binding, and enforceable liens on, and security interests in, the collateral granted thereunder in accordance with the terms of the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement and the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation and with the priorities established in respect thereof under applicable non-bankruptcy law and (c) deemed perfected as of the earlier of the Settlement Effective Date and the date of perfection of liens in connection with any transaction among the Settling Parties prior to the Settlement Effective Date, subject only to such liens and security interests as may be permitted under the Settlement and the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation. Any guarantees, mortgages, deeds of trust, pledges, liens, and other security interests granted pursuant to or in connection with the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement and the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation, the payment of fees contemplated thereunder, and the execution and consummation of the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement and the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation have been and are being undertaken in good faith, for good and valuable consideration, for reasonably equivalent value and for legitimate business purposes as an inducement to lenders to extend credit thereunder and are reasonable and shall be, and hereby are, deemed not to constitute a preferential transfer, fraudulent conveyance, fraudulent transfer, or other voidable transfer and shall not otherwise be subject to avoidance, recharacterization, or subordination for any purpose whatsoever under the Bankruptcy Code or any other applicable non-bankruptcy law, and the priorities of such liens and security interests will be as set forth in the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement and the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation.

2. Grupo Aval Exit Facility

On or prior to the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors shall be authorized to execute, deliver, and enter into the Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement, subject to the requisite approvals, without further (i) notice to or order of the Bankruptcy Court; (ii) vote, consent, authorization, or approval of any Person; or (iii) action by the holders of Claims or Interests.

The Reorganized Debtors shall pay, as and when due, all fees, expenses, losses, damages, indemnities, and other amounts, including any applicable refinancing premiums and applicable exit fees, provided under the Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement related to the Grupo Aval Exit Facility.

The Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement shall constitute legal, valid, binding, and authorized joint and several obligations of the applicable Reorganized Debtors, enforceable in accordance with their respective terms, and such obligations shall not be enjoined or subject to discharge, impairment, release, avoidance, recharacterization, or subordination (including equitable subordination) for any purposes whatsoever under applicable law, the Plan, or the Confirmation Order and shall not constitute preferential transfers, fraudulent conveyances, or other voidable transfers under the Bankruptcy Code or any other applicable non-bankruptcy law. The financial accommodations to be extended pursuant to the Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement are reasonable and are being extended, and shall be deemed to have been extended, in good faith and for legitimate business purposes.

The sale and transfer of any Grupo Aval Credit Card Receivables (as defined in the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement) as contemplated in the Grupo Aval Exit Facility (the “**Restructured Credit Card Securitization Facility**”) will constitute a valid, final, definitive, enforceable, irrevocable, indefeasible, and non-avoidable “true sale” and transfer, enforceable against the Debtors, their Estates, and all third parties, and not a lending transaction or any other economic arrangement other than a true sale, will confer upon the applicable Grupo Aval Entity good and valid title to all of the rights and receivables (and all collections derived therefrom) arising under all Credit Card Processing Agreements, and vests the applicable Grupo Aval Entity with the definitive and indefeasible ownership thereof (whether or not such rights and receivables are in existence as of the Settlement Effective Date).

As of the Settlement Effective Date, all of the Liens to be granted in accordance with the Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement (a) shall be deemed to be approved; (b) shall be legal, binding, and enforceable Liens on the collateral granted under the respective Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement documents in accordance with the terms thereof; (c)(i) shall be deemed perfected as of the earlier of the Settlement Effective Date and the date of perfection of liens in connection with the Credit Card Securitization (as defined in the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement) prior to the Settlement Effective Date and (ii) the priorities of such Liens shall be as set forth in the respective Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement documents, and, in the case of this clause (ii), subject only to such Liens as may be permitted under the Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement; and (d) shall not be subject to avoidance, recharacterization, or subordination (including equitable subordination) for any purposes whatsoever and shall not constitute preferential transfers, fraudulent conveyances, or other voidable transfers under the Bankruptcy Code or any applicable non-bankruptcy law. The Reorganized Debtors and the secured parties (and their designees and agents) under such Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement are hereby authorized to make all filings and recordings, and to obtain all governmental approvals and consents, to establish and perfect such Liens under the provisions of the applicable state, provincial, federal, or other law (whether domestic or foreign) that would be applicable in the absence of the Plan and the Confirmation Order (it being understood that perfection of the Liens granted under the Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement shall occur automatically by virtue of the entry of the Confirmation Order and funding

on or after the Effective Date, and any such filings, recordings, approvals, and consents shall not be necessary or required), and the Reorganized Debtors and the secured parties (and their designees and agents) under such Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement will thereafter cooperate to make all other filings and recordings that otherwise would be necessary under applicable law to give notice of such Liens to third parties.

P. *Secured RCF Fees and Expenses*

The Debtors shall, on and promptly after the Effective Date and to the extent invoiced, pay the Secured RCF Fees and Expenses (in each case whether accrued prepetition or postpetition and to the extent not otherwise paid during the Chapter 11 Cases), without application by any such parties to the Bankruptcy Court, and without notice and a hearing pursuant to section 1129(a)(4) of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise; provided, however, that if the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors and any such Entity cannot agree with respect to the reasonableness of the fees and expenses (incurred prior to the Effective Date) to be paid to such party, the reasonableness of any such fees and expenses shall be determined by the Bankruptcy Court and promptly paid thereafter (with any undisputed amounts to be paid by the Debtors on the Effective Date). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Plan, the fees and expenses described in this paragraph shall not be subject to the Administrative Claims Bar Date.

ARTICLE VI **TREATMENT OF EXECUTORY CONTRACTS** **AND UNEXPIRED LEASES**

A. *Assumption and Rejection of Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases*

Except as otherwise provided herein, each Executory Contract and Unexpired Lease shall be deemed rejected, without the need for any further notice to or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court, as of the Effective Date, pursuant to section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code, unless such Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease (a) was previously assumed or rejected; (b) previously expired or terminated pursuant to its own terms; (c) is the subject of a motion or notice to reject, assume, or assume and assign filed on or before the Effective Date; (d) is designated specifically as an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease on the Schedule of Assumed Contracts; or (e) is designated specifically as an Aircraft Lease on the Schedule of PBH Agreement Extensions and Rejection of Aircraft Leases; provided, that the Debtors reserve the right to seek, following the Effective Date, assumption of an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease that was deemed rejected. The amendment of an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease after the Petition Date shall not, by itself, constitute the assumption of such Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease. The assumption of Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases hereunder may include the assignment of certain of such contracts to Affiliates. Unless previously approved by the Bankruptcy Court, the Confirmation Order will constitute an order of the Bankruptcy Court approving the above-described rejections, assumptions, and assumptions and assignments, all pursuant to sections 365(a) and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code and effective on the occurrence of the Effective Date and in accordance with the terms and conditions specified in the Plan Supplement in respect of the Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases set forth in the Plan Supplement.

Unless otherwise provided by an order of the Bankruptcy Court or as otherwise provided herein, at least twenty-one (21) days prior to the Confirmation Hearing or such other date set by the Bankruptcy Court, the Debtors shall file, or cause to be filed, the Schedule of Assumed Contracts, which may be amended through the Effective Date. Any objection to the assumption of an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease under the Plan (other than those Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases that were previously assumed by the Debtors or are the subject of a motion or notice to assume or assume and assign filed on or before the Confirmation Date) must be Filed, served, and actually received by the Debtors no later than seven (7) days prior to the Confirmation Hearing; provided, that, if the Debtors file an amended Schedule of Assumed Contracts (the “**Amended Schedule of Assumed Contracts**”) prior to the Confirmation Hearing, then, with respect to any lessor or counterparty affected by such Amended Schedule of Assumed Contracts, objections to the assumption of the relevant Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease must be filed by the earlier of (i) seven (7) days from the date the Amended Schedule of Assumed Contracts is filed and (ii) the Confirmation Hearing; provided, further, that if the Debtors file an Amended Schedule of Assumed Contracts after the Confirmation Hearing, but prior to the Effective Date, then, with respect to any lessor or counterparty affected by such Amended Schedule of Assumed Contracts, objections to the assumption of the relevant Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease must be filed by seven (7) days from the date the Amended Schedule of Assumed Contracts is filed; provided, further, that the Debtors may file an Amended Schedule of Assumed Contracts after the Effective Date with the consent of the lessors or counterparties affected by such Amended Schedule of Assumed Contracts. Any counterparty to an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease that fails to timely object to the proposed assumption of any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease will be deemed to have consented to such assumption.

With respect to Aircraft Leases that were not previously assumed, had not previously expired or terminated pursuant to their terms, or are not subject to a motion to assume or assume and assign filed on or before the Effective Date, the Debtors are assuming only those Aircraft Leases and related Executory Contracts that are designated specifically as an Unexpired Lease or Executory Contract on the Schedule of Assumed Contracts. For the avoidance of doubt, with respect to Aircraft Leases that are being assumed pursuant to the Plan and designated on Schedule E-4 of the Plan Supplement in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth therein, the Debtors are assuming Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases that are ancillary to Aircraft Leases solely to the extent that such ancillary Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases were previously assumed, are subject to a motion to assume or assume and assign filed on or before the Effective Date, or are designated specifically as an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease on the Schedule of Assumed Contracts in accordance with the terms and conditions of Schedule E-4 of the Plan Supplement. No provision in an assumed or assumed and assigned Aircraft Lease shall restrict, limit, or prohibit the assumption, assignment, or sale of such assumed Aircraft Lease (including any “change of control” provision), and any such anti-assignment provision shall be unenforceable in connection with the assumption or assumption and assignment of such Aircraft Lease pursuant to section 365(f) of the Bankruptcy Code. For any rejected Aircraft Lease, the relevant property shall be disposed of in accordance with agreement of the parties or, in the absence of such agreement, in accordance with the terms of the applicable Second Stipulation; otherwise, in the absence of such agreement or an applicable Second Stipulation, such property shall be deemed abandoned.

With respect to Aircraft Leases that are subject to a motion to assume or assume and assign filed on or before the Effective Date or are designated specifically as an Unexpired Lease or Executory Contract on the Schedule of Assumed Contracts but that are subject to ongoing negotiations with respect to definitive documentation relating to the amendment of such Aircraft Leases, the terms of the relevant Second Stipulation (including the relevant PBH Agreement) shall remain in effect until the earliest of (x) the Debtors' or the Reorganized Debtors' entry into, and the satisfaction or waiver of all conditions precedent to the effectiveness of, definitive documentation with respect to the amendment of such Aircraft Lease) and the concurrent assumption of the amended Aircraft Lease, (y) in the event that the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors are unable to reach an agreement with respect to definitive documentation relating to the amendment of such Aircraft Lease or the conditions precedent to the effectiveness of such definitive documentation are not satisfied or waiver, the rejection of such Aircraft Lease in accordance with relevant Second Stipulation or any other applicable order of the Bankruptcy Court authorizing rejection, or (z) December 15, 2021, at which date such Aircraft Lease shall be deemed rejected, or as otherwise agreed by the parties to such Aircraft Lease, pursuant to the conditions, if any, set forth in the relevant Second Stipulation or any other applicable order of the Bankruptcy Court. The provisions of the relevant Second Stipulation associated with each Aircraft Lease pending entry into definitive documentation that conflict or are otherwise inconsistent with the entry into definitive documentation shall be unenforceable so long as the Debtors continue to perform in accordance with the Second Stipulation, as further set forth in the Schedule of Assumed Contracts.

With respect to each Aircraft Leases designated on the Schedule of PBH Agreement Extensions and Rejection of Aircraft Leases, the terms of the relevant Second Stipulation (including the relevant PBH Agreement) shall remain in effect until the date of rejection designated on such schedule, subject to the terms and conditions set forth on such schedule and any conditions set forth in such Second Stipulation with respect to rejection or any other applicable order of the Bankruptcy Court authorizing rejection.

With respect to aircraft that were subject to an Aircraft Lease that (x) previously was or will be rejected by the Debtors but that (y) are subject to a new lease executed by the Debtors pursuant to the Plan or a separate order of the Bankruptcy Court (each, a "**New Aircraft Lease**"), the end of the Stipulation Period (as such period is defined in the relevant Second Stipulation) shall be deemed the date of entry into the New Aircraft Lease, solely to the extent provided by the order of the Bankruptcy Court approving such New Aircraft Lease. For the avoidance of doubt, such New Aircraft Leases shall be listed in the Schedule of Assumed Contracts.

Except as otherwise provided herein or agreed to by the Debtors and the applicable counterparty, each Executory Contract and Unexpired Lease assumed pursuant to this Article VI.A or by any order of the Bankruptcy Court, which has not been assigned to a third party prior to the Effective Date, shall revert in, be fully enforceable by, and constitute binding obligations of the applicable Reorganized Debtor in accordance with its terms (including any amendments to any Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases that were entered into after the Petition Date), except as such terms are modified by the provisions of the Plan or any order of the Bankruptcy Court authorizing and providing for its assumption under applicable federal law. To the extent that the terms of an Aircraft Lease assumed pursuant to this Article VI.A, the Engine Loan Amendment,

or any order of the Bankruptcy Court require the obligations of a Reorganized Debtor thereunder to be guaranteed by the relevant Reorganized Debtor's ultimate parent, Reorganized AVH shall contractually assume such guarantee obligations. To the maximum extent permitted by law, to the extent that any provision in any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease assumed or assumed and assigned pursuant to the Plan restricts or prevents, or purports to restrict or prevent, or is breached or deemed breached by, the assumption or assumption and assignment of such Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease (including any "change of control" provision), then such provision shall be deemed modified or stricken such that the transactions contemplated by the Plan shall not entitle the non-Debtor that is party thereto to terminate such Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease or to exercise any other default-related rights with respect thereto.

Except as otherwise provided herein or in the Confirmation Order or Plan Supplement, all Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases that are not expressly assumed shall be deemed rejected as of the Effective Date or such other date as may be agreed between the Debtors and the applicable counterparty. Unless otherwise provided by an order of the Bankruptcy Court that is entered after Confirmation, Proofs of Claim with respect to Claims arising from the rejection of Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases, if any, must be filed with the Bankruptcy Court no later than thirty (30) days from the latest of (i) the date of entry of an order of the Bankruptcy Court approving such rejection, (ii) entry of the Confirmation Order, and (iii) the effective date of the rejection of such Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease. **Any Claims arising from the rejection of an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease not filed within such time shall be Disallowed, forever barred from assertion, and shall not be enforceable against the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, or property thereof, without the need for any objection by the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors or further notice to, or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court or any other Entity.** Claims arising from the rejection of the Debtors' Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases shall be classified as General Unsecured Claims, as applicable, and may be objected to in accordance with the provisions of Article VI.C of the Plan and applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rules.

B. Cure of Defaults for Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases Assumed

Except as set forth below, any Cure Claims shall be satisfied for the purposes of section 365(b)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code, by payment in Cash, on the Effective Date or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter, of the cure amount set forth on the Schedule of Assumed Contracts for the applicable Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease, or on such other terms as the parties to such Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases and the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, may otherwise agree. Any Cure Claim shall be deemed fully satisfied, released, and discharged upon the payment of the Cure Claim. The Debtors may settle any Cure Claim without any further notice to or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court.

Assumption of any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease pursuant to the Plan shall result in the full release and satisfaction of any Claims or defaults, whether monetary or nonmonetary, including defaults of provisions restricting the change in control or ownership interest composition or other bankruptcy-related defaults, arising under any such Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease at any time before the date that the Debtors assume or assume and assign such Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease. Subject to the resolution of any timely objections in accordance

with Article VI.C below, any Proofs of Claim filed with respect to an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease that has been assumed or assumed and assigned shall be deemed Disallowed and expunged, without further notice to or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court.

C. *Dispute Resolution*

In the event of a timely filed objection regarding (i) the amount of any Cure Claim; (ii) the ability of the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors to provide “adequate assurance of future performance” (within the meaning of section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code) under an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease to be assumed; or (iii) any other matter pertaining to assumption or the cure of defaults required by section 365(b)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code (each, an “**Assumption Dispute**”), such dispute shall be resolved by a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court (which may be the Confirmation Order) or as may be agreed upon by the Debtors and the counterparty to the Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease. During the pendency of an Assumption Dispute, the applicable counterparty shall continue to perform under the applicable Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease.

To the extent an Assumption Dispute relates solely to the amount of a Cure Claim, the Debtors may assume and/or assume and assign the applicable Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease prior to the resolution of such Assumption Dispute; provided, that the Debtors reserve Cash in an amount sufficient to pay the Cure Claim asserted by the counterparty pending resolution of the Assumption Dispute. To the extent that the Assumption Dispute is resolved or determined unfavorably to the Debtors, the Debtors may reject the applicable Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease after such determination.

For the avoidance of doubt, if the Debtors are unable to resolve an Assumption Dispute relating solely to the amount of a Cure Claim prior to the Confirmation Hearing, such Assumption Dispute may be scheduled to be heard by the Bankruptcy Court after the Confirmation Hearing (an “**Adjourned Cure Dispute**”); provided, that the Reorganized Debtors may settle any Adjourned Cure Dispute after the Effective Date without any further notice to any party or any action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court.

D. *Insurance Policies & Indemnification Obligations*

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Plan, the Plan Supplement, the Exit Facility Documents, the Confirmation Order, any bar date notice or Claim objection, any other document related to any of the foregoing, or any other order of the Bankruptcy Court (including, without limitation, any other provision that purports to be preemptory or supervening; grants an injunction, discharge, or release; confers Bankruptcy Court jurisdiction; or requires a party to opt out of any releases):

(1) each of the Insurance Contracts, including all D&O Policies, are deemed to be and treated as Executory Contracts under the Plan, and on and after the Effective Date, the Debtors shall be deemed to have assumed all Insurance Contracts, including all D&O Policies, pursuant to sections 105 and 365 of the Bankruptcy Code such that the Reorganized Debtors shall become and remain liable in full for all of their and the Debtors’ obligations under the Insurance Contracts, regardless of whether such obligations arise on, before, or after the Effective Date, without the

requirement or need for any Insurer to file a Proof of Claim, an Administrative Expense Claim, or a Cure Claim, provided, that the Reorganized Debtors shall not indemnify officers, directors, equity holders, agents, or employees, as applicable, of the Debtors for any claims or Causes of Action arising out of or relating to any act or omission that is a criminal act or constitutes intentional fraud, gross negligence, or willful misconduct;

(2) nothing shall alter, modify, amend, waive, release, discharge, prejudice or impair in any respect (a) the terms and conditions of any Insurance Contract, (b) any rights or obligations of the Debtors (or, after the Effective Date, of the Reorganized Debtors) or Insurers thereunder, whether arising before or after the Effective Date, or (b) the duty, if any, of Insurers to pay claims covered by the Insurance Contracts or the right to seek payment or reimbursement from the Debtors (or, after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors) or to draw on any collateral or security therefor;

(3) the automatic stay of section 362(a) of the Bankruptcy Code and the injunctions set forth in Article IX.G of the Plan, if and to the extent applicable, shall be deemed lifted without further order of the Bankruptcy Court, solely to permit: (a) claimants with valid workers' compensation claims or direct action claims against an Insurer under applicable non-bankruptcy law to proceed with their claims; (b) the Insurers to administer, handle, defend, settle, and/or pay, in the ordinary course of business and without further order of this Bankruptcy Court, (i) workers' compensation claims, (ii) claims where a claimant asserts a direct claim against any Insurer under applicable non-bankruptcy law, or an order has been entered by the Bankruptcy Court granting a claimant relief from the automatic stay or the injunctions set forth in Article IX.G of the Plan to proceed with its claim, and (iii) all costs in relation to each of the foregoing; (c) the Insurers to collect from any or all of the collateral or security provided by or on behalf of the Debtors (or the Reorganized Debtors) at any time and to hold the proceeds thereof as security for the obligations of the Debtors (or the Reorganized Debtors) and/or apply such proceeds to the obligations of the Debtors (or the Reorganized Debtors) under the applicable Insurance Contracts, in such order as the applicable Insurer may determine; and (d) the Insurers to cancel any Insurance Contracts, and take other actions relating to the Insurance Contracts (including effectuating a setoff), to the extent permissible under applicable non-bankruptcy law and the terms of the Insurance Contracts.

In addition, after the Effective Date, all current and former officers, directors, agents, or employees who served in such capacity at any time before the Effective Date shall be entitled to the full benefits of any D&O Policy (including any "tail" policy) for the full term of such policy regardless of whether such officers, directors, agents, and/or employees remain in such positions after the Effective Date, in each case, solely to the extent set forth in such D&O Policies and subject to any terms and conditions thereof. In addition, after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors shall not terminate or otherwise reduce the coverage under any D&O Policy (including any "tail policy") in effect as of the Petition Date; provided, that, for the avoidance of doubt, any Insurance Contract, including tail insurance policies, for directors', members', trustees', and officers' liability to be purchased or maintained by the Reorganized Debtors after the Effective Date shall be subject to the ordinary-course corporate governance of the Reorganized Debtors.

Notwithstanding anything in the Plan, any Indemnification Obligation to indemnify current and former officers, directors, members, managers, agents, sponsors, or employees with respect to

all present and future actions, suits, and proceedings against the Debtors or such officers, directors, members, managers, agents, or employees based upon any act or omission for or on behalf of the Debtors shall (i) remain in full force and effect, (ii) not be discharged, impaired, or otherwise affected in any way, including by the Plan, the Plan Supplement, or the Confirmation Order, (iii) not be limited, reduced or terminated after the Effective Date, and (iv) survive unimpaired and unaffected irrespective of whether such Indemnification Obligation is owed for an act or event occurring before, on or after the Petition Date; provided, that the Reorganized Debtors shall not indemnify officers, directors, members, or managers, as applicable, of the Debtors for any claims or Causes of Action that are not indemnified by such Indemnification Obligation. All such obligations shall be deemed and treated as executory contracts to be assumed by the Debtors under the Plan and shall continue as obligations of the Reorganized Debtors, and, if necessary to effectuate such assumption under local law, Reorganized AVH shall contractually assume such obligations. Any claim based on the Debtors' obligations under the Plan shall not be a Disputed Claim or subject to any objection, in either case, by reason of section 502(e)(1)(B) of the Bankruptcy Code.

For the avoidance of doubt, and notwithstanding anything in the Plan, the Reorganized Debtors shall retain all Interests in Avianca Enterprises, LLC after the Effective Date. The Reorganized Debtors shall be prohibited from liquidating, winding up, dissolving, or taking any other similar action with respect to Avianca Enterprises, LLC for a period of seven (7) years after the Effective Date.

E. *Modifications, Amendments, Supplements, Restatements, or Other Agreements*

Unless otherwise provided in the Plan, each Executory Contract and Unexpired Lease that is assumed and, if applicable, assigned to the Reorganized Debtors, shall include all modifications, amendments, supplements, restatements, or other agreements that in any manner affect such Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease, including all easements, licenses, permits, rights, privileges, immunities, options, rights of first refusal, and any other interests, unless any of the foregoing agreements has been previously terminated or is otherwise not in effect.

Modifications, amendments, supplements, and restatements to prepetition Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases that have been executed by the Debtors during the Chapter 11 Cases shall not be deemed to alter the prepetition nature of the Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease, or the validity, priority, or amount of any Claims that may arise in connection therewith.

F. *Reservation of Rights*

Nothing contained in the Plan shall constitute an admission by the Debtors that any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease is, in fact, an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease or that the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors has any liability thereunder.

G. *Contracts and Leases Entered into after Petition Date*

Contracts and leases entered into after the Petition Date by any Debtor, will be performed by the applicable Debtor or Reorganized Debtor, as the case may be, liable thereunder in the ordinary course of its business or as authorized by the Bankruptcy Court. Accordingly, such

contracts and leases (including any assumed Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases) will survive and remain unaffected by entry of the Confirmation Order, and, on the Effective Date, shall revest in and be fully enforceable by the applicable Reorganized Debtor in accordance with its terms, except as such terms may have been modified by order of the Bankruptcy Court.

H. *Compensation and Benefits Plans*

All employment, confidentiality, and non-competition agreements, collective bargaining agreements, offer letters (including any severance set forth therein), bonus, gainshare and incentive programs, vacation, holiday pay, severance, retirement, supplemental retirement, indemnity, executive retirement, pension, deferred compensation, medical, dental, vision, life and disability insurance, flexible spending account, and other health and welfare benefit plans, programs, agreements and arrangements, and all other wage, compensation, employee expense reimbursement, and other benefit obligations (including, for the avoidance of doubt, letter agreements with respect to certain employees' rights and obligations in the event of certain terminations of their employment in connection with and following the implementation of the Restructuring Transactions) (collectively, the "Compensation and Benefits Plans") are deemed to be, and shall be treated as, Executory Contracts under the Plan and, on the Effective Date, shall be deemed assumed (or, in the event that AVH is party to such agreements or arrangements, assumed and assigned to Reorganized AVH) pursuant to sections 365 and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code (in each case, as amended prior to or on the Effective Date); provided, that no employee equity or equity-based incentive plans, or any provisions set forth in any Compensation and Benefits Plans that provide for rights to acquire equity interests in any of the Debtors, including, without limitation, Existing AVH Equity Interests, shall be assumed, or deemed assumed, by the Reorganized Debtors, or assumed and assigned, or deemed to be assumed and assigned, to Reorganized AVH.

I. *USAV Transaction Documents and USAV Settlement Agreement*

Without limiting the procedures relating to the assumption and assumption and assignment of Executory Contracts set forth in this Article VI of the Plan, in order to comply with the Debtors' obligations under the USAV Settlement Agreement, Reorganized AVH will assume all obligations of AVH under the USAV Transaction Documents on the Effective Date pursuant to sections 365 and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code. For the avoidance of doubt, the USAV Settlement Agreement and any amended and restated transaction documents related thereto shall survive consummation of the Plan.

J. *United Agreements*

In order to comply with the Debtors' obligations under the United Omnibus Amendment, the Second United Omnibus Amendment, and the JBA Letter Agreement, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Article VI of the Plan, on the Effective Date, the United Agreements, as amended or modified pursuant to the United Omnibus Amendment, the Second Omnibus Amendment, and the JBA Letter Agreement, as applicable, shall be assumed pursuant to sections 365 and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code, and the United Agreements as so amended shall

vest in the Reorganized Debtors pursuant to Article V.F of the Plan and be binding obligations on the Reorganized Debtors.

K. *Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement*

Without limiting the procedures relating to the assumption and assumption and assignment of Executory Contracts set forth in this Article VI of the Plan, in order to comply with the Debtors' obligations under the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement, Reorganized AVH will assume all obligations of AVH under the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement and the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation on the Effective Date pursuant to sections 365 and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code. For the avoidance of doubt, the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement and the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation shall survive consummation of the Plan. For the avoidance of doubt, the Visa Colombia Processing Agreement and the Master Agreement (each as defined and as amended pursuant to the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement) shall be deemed assumed pursuant to the Grupo Aval Settlement Order.

**ARTICLE VII
PROCEDURES FOR RESOLVING
CONTINGENT, UNLIQUIDATED, AND DISPUTED CLAIMS**

A. *Allowance of Claims and Interests*

Except as expressly provided in the Plan or in any order entered in the Chapter 11 Cases before the Effective Date (including the Confirmation Order), no Claim shall become an Allowed Claim unless and until such Claim is deemed Allowed pursuant to the Plan or a Final Order (including the Confirmation Order) Allowing such Claim. On and after the Effective Date, each of the Reorganized Debtors shall have and retain any and all rights and defenses the corresponding Debtor had with respect to any Claim immediately before the Effective Date.

B. *Claims Administration Responsibilities*

Except as otherwise expressly provided in the Plan and notwithstanding any requirements that may be imposed pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 9019, after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors shall have the authority (i) to file, withdraw, or litigate to judgment objections to Claims or Interests; (ii) to settle or compromise any Disputed Claim without any further notice to or action, order, or approval by the Bankruptcy Court; and (iii) to administer and adjust the Claims Register to reflect any such settlements or compromises without any further notice to or action, order, or approval by the Bankruptcy Court. For the avoidance of doubt, except as otherwise provided herein, from and after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors shall have and retain any and all rights and defenses the Debtors had immediately prior to the Effective Date with respect to any Disputed Claim, including the Retained Causes of Action.

C. *General Unsecured Claims Observer*

The Committee may appoint, as of the Effective Date, a General Unsecured Claims Observer with duties limited to consulting with the Reorganized Debtors with respect to the Allowance of General Unsecured Avianca Claims in excess of \$10,000,000; provided, that the

General Unsecured Claims Observer shall have standing to appear before the Bankruptcy Court with respect to matters arising out of or related to reconciliation, Allowance, and settlement of any General Unsecured Avianca Claims, as well as any objections thereto.

The General Unsecured Claims Observer may employ, without further order of the Bankruptcy Court, professionals to assist in carrying out the duties as limited above, and the General Unsecured Claims Observer Costs, including reasonable professional fees and expenses, shall be reimbursed by the Reorganized Debtors in the ordinary course of business in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$250,000 as soon as reasonably practicable after invoiced.

Upon the death, resignation or removal of the General Unsecured Claims Observer, the Reorganized Debtors shall appoint a successor General Unsecured Claims Observer with approval of the Bankruptcy Court. Upon the resolution of all Disputed General Unsecured Avianca Claims, the General Unsecured Claims Observer shall be released and discharged of and from further authority, duties, responsibilities, and obligations relating to and arising from and in connection with the Chapter 11 Cases.

D. *Estimation of Claims*

Before or after the Effective Date, the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, may at any time request the Bankruptcy Court to estimate any Claim that is contingent or unliquidated pursuant to section 502(c) of the Bankruptcy Code for any reason, regardless of whether any party previously has objected to such Claim or whether the Bankruptcy Court has ruled on any such objection, and the Bankruptcy Court shall retain jurisdiction to estimate any such Claim, including during the litigation of any objection to any Claim or during the appeal relating to such objection. In the event that the Bankruptcy Court estimates any contingent or unliquidated Claim, that estimated amount shall constitute either the Allowed amount of such Claim or a maximum limitation on such Claim for all purposes under the Plan. If the estimated amount constitutes a maximum limitation of the amount of such Claim, the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, may elect to pursue any supplemental proceedings to object to any ultimate Allowance of such Claim. Notwithstanding section 502(j) of the Bankruptcy Code, in no event shall any holder of a Claim that has been estimated pursuant to section 502(c) of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise be entitled to seek reconsideration of such estimation unless such holder has filed a motion requesting the right to seek such reconsideration on or before 21 days after the date on which such Claim is estimated. All of the aforementioned objection, estimation, and resolution procedures are cumulative and not exclusive of one another. Claims and Interests may be estimated and subsequently compromised, settled, withdrawn, or resolved by any mechanism approved by the Bankruptcy Court.

E. *Adjustment to Claims Register Without Objection*

Any duplicate Claim or any Claim that has been paid or otherwise satisfied, or any Claim that has been amended or superseded, may be adjusted or expunged on the claims register by the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors upon stipulation between the parties without an objection to such Claim having to be filed and without any further notice or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court.

F. *Time to File Objections to Claims*

The Debtors and Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, shall be entitled to object to Claims. After the Effective Date, except as expressly provided herein to the contrary, the Reorganized Debtors shall have and retain any and all rights and defenses that the Debtors had with regard to any Claim to which they may object, except with respect to any Claim that is Allowed. Any objections to Proofs of Claim shall be served and filed on or before the later of (a) 180 days after the Effective Date, and (b) on such later date as may be fixed by the Bankruptcy Court, after notice and a hearing, upon a motion by the Reorganized Debtors that is filed before the date that is 180 days after the Effective Date. The expiration of such period shall not limit or affect the Debtors' rights to dispute Claims asserted in the ordinary course of business other than through a Proof of Claim.

G. *Disallowance of Claims*

Any Claims held by Persons from whom property is recoverable under sections 542, 543, 550, or 553 of the Bankruptcy Code or that is a transferee of a transfer avoidable under sections 522(f), 522(h), 544, 545, 547, 548, or 549 of the Bankruptcy Code, shall be deemed Disallowed pursuant to section 502(d) of the Bankruptcy Code, and holders of such Claims shall not receive any distributions on account of such Claims until such time as the applicable Cause of Action against that Person has been settled or a Bankruptcy Court order with respect thereto has been entered and, if such Cause of Action has been resolved in favor of the applicable Debtor or Estate, all sums due from that Person have been turned over or paid to the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable. All Claims filed on account of an indemnification obligation to a director, officer, or employee shall be deemed satisfied and may be expunged from the Claims Register as of the Effective Date to the extent such indemnification obligation is assumed (or honored or reaffirmed, as the case may be) pursuant to the Plan, without any further notice to or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court.

H. *Amendments to Claims*

On and after the Effective Date, a Claim may not be amended without the prior authorization of the Reorganized Debtors or order of the Bankruptcy Court.

I. *No Distributions Pending Allowance*

If an objection, motion to estimate, or other challenge to a Claim is filed, or if the time to object to a Claim has not elapsed and the Claim has not been Allowed by the Plan or by Final Order, then no payment or distribution shall be made on account of such Claim unless and until (and only to the extent that) such Claim becomes an Allowed Claim.

J. *Distributions After Allowance*

As soon as reasonably practicable after the date that the order or judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction allowing any Disputed Claim becomes a Final Order, the Reorganized Debtors shall provide to the holder of such Claim the distribution (if any) to which such holder is

entitled under the Plan as of the Effective Date, without any interest, dividends, or accruals to be paid on account of such Claim unless required under applicable non-bankruptcy law.

K. *Disputed Claims Reserve*

Any amounts or property that would be distributable in respect of any Disputed General Unsecured Avianca Claim had such Disputed General Unsecured Avianca Claim been Allowed on the Effective Date, together with all earnings thereon (net of any taxes imposed thereon or otherwise payable by the Disputed Claims Reserve), as applicable, shall be deposited in the Disputed Claims Reserve. The amount of, or the amount of property constituting, the Disputed Claims Reserve shall be determined prior to the Confirmation Hearing, based on the Debtors' good faith estimates or an order of the Bankruptcy Court estimating such Disputed Claims, and shall be established on or about the Effective Date.

Subject to definitive guidance from the IRS or a court of competent jurisdiction to the contrary, or the receipt of a determination by the IRS, the Disbursing Agent shall treat the Disputed Claims Reserve as a "disputed ownership fund" governed by Treasury Regulation section 1.468B-9 and to the extent permitted by applicable law, report consistently with the foregoing for state and local income tax purposes. All parties (including the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors, the Disbursing Agent, and the holders of Disputed General Unsecured Avianca Claims) shall be required to report for tax purposes consistently with the foregoing.

The Disputed Claim Reserve shall be responsible for payment, out of the assets of the Disputed Claim Reserve, of any taxes imposed on the Disputed Claim Reserve or its assets. In the event, and to the extent, any Cash in the Disputed Claim Reserve is insufficient to pay the portion of any such taxes attributable to the taxable income arising from the assets of such reserve (including any income that may arise upon the distribution of the assets in such reserve), assets of the Disputed Claim Reserve may be sold to pay such taxes.

To the extent that a Disputed General Unsecured Avianca Claim becomes an Allowed Claim after the Effective Date, the Disbursing Agent shall distribute to the holder thereof out of the Disputed Claims Reserve any amount or property to which such holder is entitled hereunder (net of any allocable taxes imposed thereon or otherwise incurred or payable by the Disputed Claims Reserve, including in connection with such distribution). No interest shall be paid with respect to any Disputed Claim that becomes an Allowed Claim after the Effective Date.

In the event the remaining assets of the Disputed Claims Reserve are insufficient to satisfy all the Disputed General Unsecured Avianca Claims that have become Allowed, such Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claims shall be satisfied pro rata from such remaining assets. After all assets have been distributed from the Disputed Claims Reserve, no further distributions shall be made in respect of Disputed General Unsecured Avianca Claims. At such time as all Disputed General Unsecured Avianca Claims have been resolved, any remaining assets in the Disputed Claims Reserve shall be distributed Pro Rata to all holders of Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claims.

The Disbursing Agent may request an expedited determination of taxes under section 505(b) of the Bankruptcy Code for all returns filed for or on behalf of the Disputed Claims Reserve for all taxable periods through the date on which final distributions are made.

L. *Claims Resolution Procedures Cumulative*

All of the objection, estimation, and resolution procedures with respect to Disputed Claims are cumulative and not exclusive of one another. Claims may be estimated and subsequently compromised, settled, withdrawn, or resolved in accordance with this Plan without further notice or Bankruptcy Court approval.

**ARTICLE VIII
PROVISIONS GOVERNING DISTRIBUTIONS**

A. *Timing and Calculation of Amounts to Be Distributed*

Unless otherwise provided in the Plan or paid pursuant to a prior Bankruptcy Court order, including, but not limited to, the Foreign Creditors Order, on the Effective Date or, with respect to General Unsecured Avianca Claims, the Initial General Unsecured Claims Distribution Date, or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter (or, if a Claim is not an Allowed Claim on the Effective Date or, with respect to General Unsecured Avianca Claims, the Initial General Unsecured Claims Distribution Date, on the date that such Claim becomes Allowed or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter), each holder of an Allowed Claim or Allowed Interest shall receive the full amount of the distributions that the Plan provides for Allowed Claims or Allowed Interests in the applicable Class. In the event that any payment or act under the Plan is required to be made or performed on a date that is not a Business Day, then the making of such payment or the performance of such act may be completed on the next succeeding Business Day.

For the avoidance of doubt, the Reorganized Debtors shall retain the ability to pay Claims pursuant to a prior Bankruptcy Court order, including, but not limited to, the Foreign Creditors Order, after the Effective Date. The Debtors and Reorganized Debtors shall be entitled to withhold distributions on any Claim that they intend to pay pursuant to such an order.

B. *Disbursing Agent*

All distributions under the Plan shall be made by the Disbursing Agent on the Effective Date or the Initial General Unsecured Claims Distribution Date, as applicable, or (in each case) as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter. If the Disbursing Agent is one or more of the Reorganized Debtors, the Disbursing Agent shall not be required to give any bond or surety or other security for the performance of its duties unless otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court. Additionally, in the event that the Disbursing Agent is so otherwise ordered, all costs and expenses of procuring any such bond or surety shall be borne by the Reorganized Debtors.

C. *Rights and Powers of Disbursing Agent*

1. Powers of the Disbursing Agent

Without further order of the Bankruptcy Court, the Disbursing Agent shall be empowered to: (a) effect all actions and execute all agreements, instruments, and other documents necessary to perform its duties under the Plan; (b) make all distributions contemplated hereby; (c) employ professionals and incur reasonable fees and expenses to represent it with respect to its responsibilities; and (d) exercise such other powers as may be vested in the Disbursing Agent by order of the Bankruptcy Court, pursuant to the Plan, or as deemed by the Disbursing Agent to be necessary and proper to implement the provisions hereof.

2. Incurred Expenses

Except as otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court, the amount of any reasonable fees and documented expenses incurred by the Disbursing Agent on or after the Effective Date (including taxes and reasonable attorney fees and expenses) in connection with making distributions shall be paid in Cash by the Reorganized Debtors.

D. *Delivery of Distributions and Undeliverable or Unclaimed Distributions*

1. Delivery of Distributions by Disbursing Agent or Servicer

The Disbursing Agent shall make all distributions required under the Plan, except that with respect to distributions to holders of Allowed Claims governed by a separate agreement (which shall include the DIP Facility, the Secured RCF, and the Indentures), and administered by a Servicer (which shall include the DIP Agent, the Secured RCF Agent, and the Indenture Trustees), the Disbursing Agent, the Debtor, and the applicable Servicer shall exercise commercially reasonable efforts to implement appropriate mechanics governing such distributions in accordance with the Plan. All reasonable and documented fees and expenses of the Servicers (including the reasonable and documented fees and expenses of its counsel and agents) incurred after the Effective Date in connection with making distributions shall be paid by the Reorganized Debtors. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Plan or the Confirmation Order, the DIP Agent shall not make any distributions or act as the Disbursing Agent in respect of the Exit Facility or any securities of the Reorganized Debtors.

2. Delivery of Distributions in General

Except as otherwise provided in the Plan or prior Bankruptcy Court order or the Secured RCF, the Disbursing Agent shall make distributions to holders of Allowed Claims as of the Distribution Record Date at the address for each such holder as indicated on the proofs of Claims (or, if no Proof of Claim has been filed, the Debtors' records as of the date of any such distribution); provided, however, that the manner of such distributions shall be determined at the discretion of Reorganized Debtors.

the holders of 2023 Notes Claims; (ii) any requirement to file a fee application with the Bankruptcy Court, (iii) the need for itemized time detail, or (iv) any requirement for Bankruptcy Court review.

4. Minimum Distributions

No (A) fractional New Common Equity or Warrants (as applicable) or (B) Cash payment of less than \$25 shall be distributed to a holder of an Allowed Claim on account of such Allowed Claim. When any distribution pursuant to the Plan would otherwise result in the issuance of a number of shares of New Common Equity or Warrants (as applicable) that is not a whole number, the actual distribution of such New Common Equity or Warrants (as applicable) shall be rounded as follows: (a) fractions of greater than one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) shares of New Common Equity or Warrants (as applicable) shall be rounded to the next higher whole number and (b) fractions of one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) or less of New Common Equity or Warrants (as applicable) shall be rounded to the next lower whole number with no further payment therefor. The total number of authorized shares of New Common Equity or Warrants (as applicable), as applicable, to be distributed to holders of Allowed Claims may be adjusted as necessary to account for the foregoing rounding.

5. Undeliverable Distributions and Unclaimed Property

In the event that any distribution to any holder is returned as undeliverable, no distribution to such holder shall be made unless and until the Disbursing Agent has determined the then-current address of such holder, at which time such distribution shall be made to such holder without interest; provided, however, that such distributions shall be deemed unclaimed property under section 347(b) of the Bankruptcy Code at the expiration of one year from the date on which such distribution was attempted to be made; provided, further, that the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, shall use reasonable efforts to locate a holder if any distribution is returned as undeliverable. After such date, all unclaimed property or interests in property shall revert to Reorganized Debtors automatically and without need for a further order by the Bankruptcy Court (notwithstanding any applicable federal, provincial, or state escheat, abandonment, or unclaimed property laws to the contrary), and the claim of any holder to such property or interest in property shall be discharged and forever barred; provided, that all distributions of Cash from the Unsecured Claimholder Cash Pool and, as applicable, the Unsecured Claimholder Enhanced Cash Pool (after giving effect to the reduction of the amounts of the Unsecured Claimholder Cash Pool and, as applicable, the Unsecured Claimholder Enhanced Cash Pool as set forth in Article I.A.230 and Article I.A.231, respectively) that are unclaimed by holders of Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claims shall be distributed on a Pro Rata basis to the holders of Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claims whose distributions were not returned as undeliverable.

E. *Exemption from Securities Laws*

(a) The offer, issuance, and distribution under the Plan of the New Common Equity and the Warrants shall be exempt, without further act or actions by any Entity, from registration under the Securities Act and any other applicable securities laws to the fullest extent permitted by section 1145 of the Bankruptcy Code, except with respect to an Entity that is an “underwriter” with respect to such securities, as that term is defined in section 1145(b) of the Bankruptcy Code. Subject to the transfer provisions, if any, and other applicable provisions set

forth in the New Organizational Documents, these securities may be resold without registration under the Securities Act or other federal securities laws pursuant to the exemption provided by section 4(a)(1) of the Securities Act, unless the holder is an “underwriter” with respect to such securities, as that term is defined in section 1145(b) of the Bankruptcy Code. In addition, subject to the transfer provisions, if any, and other applicable provisions set forth in the New Organizational Documents, such section 1145 exempt securities generally may be resold without registration under state securities laws pursuant to various exemptions provided by the respective laws of the several states.

(b) The offer, sale, issuance, and distribution under the Plan of any New Common Equity and Warrants issued to an Entity that is an “underwriter” with respect to such securities, as that term is defined in section 1145(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, shall be exempt from registration under the Securities Act and any other applicable securities laws in reliance on the exemption from registration set forth in Section 4(a)(2) under the Securities Act and/or Regulation D promulgated thereunder and on equivalent state law registration exemptions or, solely to the extent such exemptions are not available, other available exemptions from registration under the Securities Act. Such securities will be considered “restricted securities” and may not be transferred except pursuant to an effective registration statement or under an available exemption from the registration requirements of the Securities Act, such as, under certain conditions, the resale provisions of Rule 144 of the Securities Act, subject to, in each case, the transfer provisions, if any, and other applicable provisions set forth in the New Organizational Documents.

(c) Each holder of New Common Equity shall be deemed to be a party to, and shall be bound to the terms of, the Shareholders Agreement from and after the Effective Date, even if not a signatory thereto.

F. *Compliance with Tax Requirements*

In connection with the Plan, to the extent applicable, the Reorganized Debtors and the Disbursing Agent shall comply with all tax withholding and reporting requirements imposed on them by any Governmental Unit, and all distributions pursuant to the Plan shall be subject to such withholding and reporting requirements. Notwithstanding any provision in the Plan to the contrary, the Reorganized Debtors and the Disbursing Agent shall be authorized to take all actions necessary or appropriate to comply with such withholding and reporting requirements, including withholding distributions pending receipt of information necessary to facilitate such distributions or establishing any other mechanisms they believe are reasonable and appropriate. The Reorganized Debtors reserve the right to allocate all distributions made under the Plan in compliance with all applicable wage garnishments, alimony, child support and other spousal awards, liens, and encumbrances. Notwithstanding the above, each holder of an Allowed Claim or Allowed Interest that is to receive a distribution under the Plan shall have the sole and exclusive responsibility for the satisfaction and payment of any tax obligations imposed on such holder by any governmental unit, including income, withholding and other tax obligations, on account of such distribution. The Debtors have the right, but not the obligation, to not make a distribution until such holder has made arrangements satisfactory to any issuing or disbursing party for payment of any such tax obligations. The Debtors may require, as a condition to receipt of a

distribution, that the holder of an Allowed Claim complete and return a Form W-8 or W-9 or similar form, as applicable to each such holder.

G. *No Postpetition Interest on Claims and Interests*

Unless otherwise specifically provided for in the Plan, the Confirmation Order, or other Bankruptcy Court order, postpetition interest shall not accrue or be paid on any Claims or Interests, and no holder of a Claim or Interest shall be entitled to interest accruing on or after the Petition Date on any such Claim or Interest.

H. *Setoffs and Recoupment*

Except for Claims that are expressly Allowed hereunder, the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors may, but shall not be required to, set off against any Claim or Interest (for purposes of determining the Allowed amount of such Claim or Interest on which distribution shall be made), any claims of any nature whatsoever that the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors may have against the holder of such Claim or Interest; provided, that neither the failure to do so nor the allowance of any Claim or Interest hereunder shall constitute a waiver or release by the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors of any such claim the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors may have against the holder of such Claim or Interest.

I. *Claims Paid or Payable by Third Parties*

1. *Claims Paid by Third Parties*

The Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, shall reduce in full a Claim, and such Claim shall be disallowed without an objection having to be filed and without any further notice to or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court, to the extent that the holder of such Claim receives payment (before or after the Effective Date) on account of such Claim from a party that is not a Debtor or Reorganized Debtors; provided, however, if such holder is required to repay all or any portion of a Claim (either by contract or by order of a court of competent jurisdiction) to the party that is not a Debtor or Reorganized Debtor, and such holder in fact repays all or a portion of the Claim to such third party, the repaid amount of such Claim shall remain subject to the applicable treatment set forth in the Plan and the respective rights and defenses of the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, and the holder of such Claim. To the extent a holder of a Claim receives a distribution on account of such Claim under the Plan and receives payment from a party that is not a Debtor or the Reorganized Debtor on account of such Claim, such holder shall, within ten (10) days of receipt thereof, repay or return the distribution to the applicable Debtor or Reorganized Debtor, to the extent the holder's total recovery on account of such Claim from the third party and under the Plan exceeds the amount of such Claim as of the date of any such distribution under the Plan. The failure of such holder to timely repay or return such distribution shall result in the holder owing the applicable Reorganized Debtor annualized interest at the federal judgment rate, as in effect as of the Petition Date, on such amount owed for each Business Day after the 10-day grace period specified above until the amount is repaid.

2. Claims Payable by Third Parties

To the extent that one or more of the Debtors' Insurers, in its role as an insurer (but not in any role as the issuer of surety bonds or similar instruments or as a guarantor of payment), agree to satisfy in full or in part a Claim (if and to the extent adjudicated by a court of competent jurisdiction or otherwise settled), then immediately upon such Insurers' payment thereof, the applicable portion of such Claim may be expunged without an objection having to be filed and without any further notice to or action, order or approval of the Bankruptcy Court; provided, however, if such holder is required to repay all or any portion of a Claim (either by contract or by order of a court of competent jurisdiction) to a Debtor's Insurer, and such holder in fact repays all or a portion of the Claim to such Insurer, the repaid amount of such Claim shall remain subject to the applicable treatment set forth in the Plan and the respective rights and defenses of the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, and the holder of such Claim.

3. Applicability of Insurance Contracts

Except as otherwise provided in the Plan, distributions to holders of Claims covered by Insurance Contracts shall be in accordance with the provisions of any applicable Insurance Contract. Except as otherwise expressly set forth in the Plan, nothing herein shall constitute or be deemed a waiver of any Cause of Action that the Debtors or any Entity, including any holders of Claims, may hold against any other Entity under any Insurance Contract, including against Insurers or any insured, nor shall anything contained herein constitute or be deemed a waiver by such Insurers of any rights or defenses, including coverage defenses, held by such Insurers.

J. *Allocation Between Principal and Accrued Interest*

Except as otherwise provided in the Plan, the aggregate consideration paid to holders with respect to their Allowed Claims shall be treated pursuant to the Plan as allocated first to the principal amount of such Allowed Claims (to the extent thereof) and, thereafter, to the interest, if any, accrued through the Effective Date.

ARTICLE IX SETTLEMENT, RELEASE, INJUNCTION, AND RELATED PROVISIONS

A. *Compromise and Settlement*

The Confirmation Order will constitute the Bankruptcy Court's finding and determination that the settlements reflected in the Plan are (1) in the best interests of the Debtors, their Estates, and all holders of Claims, (2) fair, equitable, and reasonable, (3) made in good faith, and (4) approved by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to applicable bankruptcy law. In addition, the allowance, classification, and treatment of any Allowed Claims of a Released Party take into account any Causes of Action, whether under the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise under applicable non-bankruptcy law, that may exist between the Debtors and any Released Party and, as of the Effective Date, any and all such Causes of Action are settled, compromised, and released as set forth in the Plan except as specified on the Schedule of Retained Causes of Action. The Confirmation Order shall authorize and approve the releases by all Entities of all such contractual,

legal, and equitable subordination rights and Causes of Action that are satisfied, compromised, and settled pursuant hereto except as specified on the Schedule of Retained Causes of Action. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, nothing in the Plan shall compromise or settle, in any way whatsoever, (i) any Causes of Action that the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, may have against any Entity that is not a Released Party, (ii) any Causes of Action that are preserved pursuant to Article V.N, (iii) any Causes of Action included on the Schedule of Retained Causes of Action, or (iv) any Claims or Interests in Unimpaired Classes.

In accordance with the provisions of the Plan, and pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 9019, without any further notice to, or action, order, or approval of, the Bankruptcy Court, after the Effective Date, the applicable Reorganized Debtors may, in their sole and absolute discretion, compromise and settle (1) Claims (including Causes of Action) against and Interests in the Debtors not previously Allowed (if any) and (2) claims (including Causes of Action) against other Entities.

B. *Discharge of Claims and Termination of Interests*

Except as otherwise provided in the Plan, effective as of the Effective Date of each applicable Debtor: (a) the rights afforded in the Plan and the treatment of all Claims and Interests shall be in exchange for and in complete satisfaction, discharge, and release of all claims and interests of any nature whatsoever, including any interest accrued on such claims from and after the Petition Date, against the applicable Debtors or any of their assets, property or estates; (b) the Plan shall bind all holders of Claims against and Interests in such Debtors, notwithstanding whether any such holders failed to vote to accept or reject the Plan or voted to reject the Plan; (c) all Claims and Interests shall be satisfied, discharged and released in full, and such Debtors' liability with respect thereto shall be extinguished completely, including any liability of the kind specified under section 502(g) of the Bankruptcy Code; and (d) all entities shall be precluded from asserting against such Debtors, such Debtors' estates, the applicable Reorganized Debtors, their successors and assigns and their assets and properties any other Claims or Interests based upon any documents, instruments or any act or omission, transaction or other activity of any kind or nature that occurred before the Effective Date.

C. *Release of Liens*

Except as otherwise expressly provided in the Plan or the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement, or in any contract, instrument, release, or other agreement or document that is created, amended, ratified, entered into, or Reinstated pursuant to the Plan (including the Exit Facility Documents, the Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement, the USAV Receivable Facility Agreement, the Engine Loan Agreement, and the Secured RCF Documents), on the Effective Date, and concurrently with the applicable distributions made pursuant to the Plan and the effectiveness of the Exit Facility Documents, the amended Engine Loan Agreement, and the amended Secured RCF Agreement, all mortgages, deeds of trust, Liens, pledges, or other security interests against any property of the Estates shall be fully released and discharged, and all of the right, title, and interest of any holder of such mortgages, deeds of trust, Liens, pledges, or other security interests shall revert to the Reorganized Debtors and each of their successors and assigns, and the Exit Facility Indenture Trustee, the DIP Agent, Indenture Trustees, and Citibank, N.A. (as "Bank" under

the Direct Loan, but not as Secured RCF Agent) shall be directed to release any such mortgages, deeds of trust, Liens, pledges or other security interests held by such holder and to take such actions as may be requested by the Reorganized Debtors to evidence the release of such mortgages, deeds of trust, Liens, pledges or other security interests, including the execution, delivery and filing or recording of any related releases or discharges as may be requested by the Reorganized Debtors or may be required in order to effectuate the foregoing, in each case, at the Reorganized Debtors' sole cost and expense. On and after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors (and any of their respective agents, attorneys or designees) shall be authorized to execute and file on behalf of creditors Form UCC-3 termination statements, intellectual property assignments, mortgage or deed of trust releases, or such other forms or release documents in any jurisdiction as may be necessary or appropriate to evidence such releases and implement the provisions of this Article IX.C, including, for the avoidance of doubt, with respect to the DIP Facility.

D. *Releases by the Debtors*

Notwithstanding anything contained in the Plan to the contrary, pursuant to section 1123(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, for good and valuable consideration, on and after the Effective Date, to the maximum extent permitted by applicable law, the applicable Debtors and the Estates are deemed to have conclusively, absolutely, unconditionally, irrevocably, and forever released, waived, and discharged each Released Party from, and covenanted not to sue on account of, any and all claims, interests, obligations (contractual or otherwise), rights, suits, damages, Causes of Action (including Avoidance Actions), remedies, and liabilities whatsoever, including any derivative claims assertable by or on behalf of a Debtor, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, fixed or contingent, matured or unmatured, disputed or undisputed, liquidated or unliquidated, existing or hereafter arising, in law, equity, or otherwise, that the Debtors or the Estates would have been legally entitled to assert in their own right (whether individually or collectively) or on behalf of the holder of any Claim or Interest or other Entity (including any Debtor), based on or relating to, or in any manner arising from, in whole or in part, the Debtors; the Chapter 11 Cases; the DIP Facility; the issuance, distribution, purchase, sale, or rescission of the purchase or sale of any security of the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors; the assumption, rejection, or amendment of any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease; the subject matter of, or the transactions or events giving rise to, any Claim or Interest that receives treatment pursuant to the Plan; the business or contractual arrangements between any Debtor and any Released Party; the restructuring of Claims and Interests before or during the Chapter 11 Cases; and the negotiation, formulation, preparation, consummation, or dissemination of (i) the Plan (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the Plan Supplement), (ii) the Exit Facility Documents, (iii) the Disclosure Statement, (iv) the Noteholder RSA, (v) the DIP Facility Documents, or (vi) related agreements, instruments, or other documents, upon any other act or omission, transaction, agreement, event, or other occurrence taking place on or before the Effective Date, other than claims or liabilities arising out of or relating to any act or omission of a Released Party that is determined by a Final Order of a court of competent jurisdiction to have constituted willful misconduct, intentional fraud, or gross negligence. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the foregoing, (1) the releases set forth above do not release any post-Effective Date obligations of any party or Entity under the Plan, the

Exit Facility, or any assumed Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease; and (2) the releases set forth above do not release any claims or Causes of Action of the Debtors against parties to the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement for any breach of the provisions thereof; and (3) the releases set forth above shall be effective with respect to a Released Party if and only if the releases granted by such Released Party pursuant to Article IX.E of the Plan are enforceable in the jurisdiction(s) in which the Released Claims may be asserted under applicable law.

Entry of the Confirmation Order shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's approval, pursuant to applicable bankruptcy law, of the releases described in this Article IX.D and shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's finding that such releases (1) are an essential means of implementing the Plan; (2) are an integral and non-severable element of the Plan and the transactions incorporated herein; (3) confer substantial benefits on the Debtors' Estates; (4) are in exchange for the good and valuable consideration provided by the Released Parties; (5) are a good-faith settlement and compromise of the Claims and Causes of Action released by this Article IX.D of the Plan; (6) are in the best interests of the Debtors, their Estates, and all holders of Claims and Interests; (7) are fair, equitable, and reasonable; and (8) are given and made after due notice and opportunity for hearing. The releases described in this Article IX.D shall, on the Effective Date, have the effect of *res judicata* (a matter adjudged), to the fullest extent permissible under applicable laws of the Republic of Colombia and any other jurisdiction in which the Debtors operate.

E. *Releases by Holders of Claims or Interests*

Except as otherwise expressly provided in the Plan, pursuant to section 1123(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, for good and valuable consideration, on and after the Effective Date, to the maximum extent permitted by applicable law, each Releasing Party shall be deemed to have conclusively, absolutely, unconditionally, irrevocably, and forever released, waived, and discharged the Released Parties from, and covenanted not to sue on account of, any and all claims, interests, obligations (contractual or otherwise), rights, suits, damages, Causes of Action, remedies, and liabilities whatsoever, including any derivative claims assertable by or on behalf of a Debtor, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, fixed or contingent, matured or unmatured, disputed or undisputed, liquidated or unliquidated, existing or hereafter arising, in law, equity or otherwise, that such Releasing Party would have been legally entitled to assert in its own right (whether individually or collectively) or on behalf of the holder of any Claim or Interest or other Entity (including any Debtor), based on or relating to, or in any manner arising from, in whole or in part, the Debtors; the Chapter 11 Cases; the DIP Facility; the issuance, distribution, purchase, sale, or rescission of the purchase or sale of any security of the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors; the assumption, rejection or amendment of any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease; the subject matter of, or the transactions or events giving rise to, any Claim or Interest that received treatment pursuant to the Plan; the business or contractual arrangements between any Debtor and any Released Party; the restructuring of Claims and Interests before or during the Chapter 11 Cases; and the negotiation, formulation, preparation, consummation, or dissemination of (i) the Plan (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the Plan Supplement), (ii) the Exit Facility Documents, (iii) the Disclosure Statement, (iv) the Noteholder RSA, (v) the Tranche B Equity

Conversion Agreement, (vi) the DIP Facility Documents, or (vii) related agreements, instruments, or other documents, upon any other act or omission, transaction, agreement, event, or other occurrence taking place on or before the Effective Date, other than claims or liabilities arising out of or relating to any act or omission of a Released Party that is determined by a Final Order of a court of competent jurisdiction to have constituted willful misconduct, intentional fraud, or gross negligence (collectively, the “Released Claims”). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the foregoing, (i) the releases set forth above do not release any post-Effective Date obligations of any party or Entity under the Plan, any assumed Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease, or agreement or document that is created, amended, ratified, entered into, or Reinstated pursuant to the Plan (including the Exit Facility Documents, the Grupo Aval Exit Facility Agreement, the USAV Receivable Facility Agreement, the Engine Loan Agreement, and the Secured RCF Documents) and (ii) the releases set forth above do not release any post-Effective Date obligations of the Debtors under the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement, the United Agreements, or the JBA Letter Agreement, or any Claims or Causes of Action for breach that any party to the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement, the United Agreements, or the JBA Letter Agreement may have against any other party to those agreements.

Entry of the Confirmation Order shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court’s approval, pursuant to applicable bankruptcy law, of the releases described in this Article IX.E and shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court’s finding that such releases (a) are an essential means of implementing the Plan; (b) are an integral and non-severable element of the Plan and the transactions incorporated therein; (c) confer substantial benefits on the Debtors’ Estates; (d) are in exchange for the good and valuable consideration provided by the Released Parties; (e) are a good-faith settlement and compromise of the Claims and Causes of Action released by this Article IX.E of the Plan; (f) are in the best interests of the Debtors, their Estates, and all holders of Claims and Interests; (g) are fair, equitable, and reasonable; (h) are given and made after due notice and opportunity for hearing; and (i) are a bar to any of the parties deemed to grant the releases contained in this Article IX.E of the Plan asserting any Claim or Cause of Action released by the releases contained in this Article IX.E of the Plan against any of the Released Parties.

The releases described in this Article IX.E shall, on the Effective Date, have the effect of *res judicata* (a matter adjudged), to the fullest extent permissible under applicable laws of the Republic of Colombia and any other jurisdiction in which the Debtors operate.

F. *Exculpation*

Without affecting or limiting the releases set forth in Article IX.D and Article IX.E of the Plan, and notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, no Exculpated Party shall have or incur, and each Exculpated Party shall be released and exculpated from, any claim or Cause of Action in connection with or arising out of the administration of the Chapter 11 Cases; the negotiation and pursuit of the DIP Facility, the Exit Facility, the Disclosure Statement, any settlement or other acts approved by the Bankruptcy Court, the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement, the Restructuring Transactions, the Secured RCF Documents, and the Plan, or the solicitation of votes for, or

confirmation of, the Plan; the funding of the Plan; the occurrence of the Effective Date; the administration and implementation of the Plan or the property to be distributed under the Plan; the issuance or distribution of securities under or in connection with the Plan; the issuance, distribution, purchase, sale, or rescission of the purchase or sale of any security of the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors under or in connection with the Plan; or the transactions in furtherance of any of the foregoing; other than claims or liabilities arising out of or relating to any act or omission of an Exculpated Party that is determined by a Final Order of a court of competent jurisdiction to have constituted willful misconduct, intentional fraud, or gross negligence, but in all respects such Exculpated Parties shall be entitled to reasonably rely upon the advice of counsel with respect to their duties and responsibilities. The Exculpated Parties have, and upon implementation of the Plan, shall be deemed to have, participated in good faith and in compliance with the applicable laws with regard to the solicitation of, and distribution of, consideration pursuant to the Plan and, therefore, are not, and on account of such distributions shall not be, liable at any time for the violation of any applicable law, rule, or regulation governing the solicitation of acceptances or rejections of the Plan or such distributions made pursuant to the Plan. This exculpation shall be in addition to, and not in limitation of, all other releases, indemnities, exculpations, and any other applicable laws, rules, or regulations protecting such Exculpated Parties from liability. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the foregoing, the exculpation set forth above does not exculpate any post-Effective Date obligations of any party or Entity under the Plan, the Exit Facility, the Secured RCF Documents, or any assumed Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease.

G. *Injunction*

UPON ENTRY OF THE CONFIRMATION ORDER, ALL HOLDERS OF CLAIMS AND INTERESTS AND OTHER PARTIES IN INTEREST, ALONG WITH THEIR RESPECTIVE PRESENT OR FORMER EMPLOYEES, AGENTS, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, PRINCIPALS, AFFILIATES, AND RELATED PARTIES SHALL BE ENJOINED FROM TAKING ANY ACTIONS TO INTERFERE WITH THE IMPLEMENTATION OR CONSUMMATION OF THE PLAN IN RELATION TO ANY CLAIM EXTINGUISHED, DISCHARGED, OR RELEASED PURSUANT TO THE PLAN.

EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN THE PLAN OR THE CONFIRMATION ORDER, ALL ENTITIES THAT HAVE HELD, HOLD, OR MAY HOLD CLAIMS AGAINST OR INTERESTS IN THE DEBTORS AND OTHER PARTIES IN INTEREST, ALONG WITH THEIR RESPECTIVE PRESENT OR FORMER EMPLOYEES, AGENTS, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, PRINCIPALS, AFFILIATES, AND RELATED PARTIES ARE PERMANENTLY ENJOINED, FROM AND AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE, FROM TAKING ANY OF THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS AGAINST THE DEBTORS, THE REORGANIZED DEBTORS, THE RELEASED PARTIES, OR THE EXCULPATED PARTIES (TO THE EXTENT OF THE EXCULPATION PROVIDED PURSUANT TO ARTICLE IX.F OF THE PLAN WITH RESPECT TO THE EXCULPATED PARTIES): (I) COMMENCING OR CONTINUING IN ANY MANNER ANY ACTION OR OTHER PROCEEDING OF ANY KIND ON ACCOUNT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH OR WITH RESPECT TO ANY SUCH CLAIMS OR INTERESTS;

(II) ENFORCING, ATTACHING, COLLECTING, OR RECOVERING BY ANY MANNER OR MEANS ANY JUDGMENT, AWARD, DECREE, OR ORDER AGAINST SUCH ENTITIES ON ACCOUNT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH OR WITH RESPECT TO ANY SUCH CLAIMS OR INTERESTS; (III) CREATING, PERFECTING, OR ENFORCING ANY LIEN OR ENCUMBRANCE OF ANY KIND AGAINST SUCH ENTITIES OR THE PROPERTY OR THE ESTATES OF SUCH ENTITIES ON ACCOUNT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH OR WITH RESPECT TO ANY SUCH CLAIMS OR INTERESTS; (IV) ASSERTING ANY RIGHT OF SETOFF, SUBROGATION, OR RECOUPMENT OF ANY KIND AGAINST ANY OBLIGATION DUE FROM SUCH ENTITIES OR AGAINST THE PROPERTY OF SUCH ENTITIES ON ACCOUNT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH OR WITH RESPECT TO ANY SUCH CLAIMS OR INTERESTS UNLESS SUCH ENTITY HAS TIMELY ASSERTED SUCH SETOFF RIGHT IN A DOCUMENT FILED WITH THE BANKRUPTCY COURT EXPLICITLY PRESERVING SUCH SETOFF, AND NOTWITHSTANDING AN INDICATION OF A CLAIM OR INTEREST OR OTHERWISE THAT SUCH ENTITY ASSERTS, HAS, OR INTENDS TO PRESERVE ANY RIGHT OF SETOFF PURSUANT TO APPLICABLE LAW OR OTHERWISE; AND (V) COMMENCING OR CONTINUING IN ANY MANNER ANY ACTION OR OTHER PROCEEDING OF ANY KIND ON ACCOUNT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH OR WITH RESPECT TO ANY SUCH CLAIMS OR INTERESTS RELEASED OR SETTLED PURSUANT TO THE PLAN.

BY ACCEPTING DISTRIBUTIONS PURSUANT TO THE PLAN, EACH HOLDER OF AN ALLOWED CLAIM OR INTEREST EXTINGUISHED, DISCHARGED, OR RELEASED PURSUANT TO THE PLAN WILL BE DEEMED TO HAVE AFFIRMATIVELY AND SPECIFICALLY CONSENTED TO BE BOUND BY THE PLAN, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, THE INJUNCTIONS SET FORTH IN THIS ARTICLE IX.G.

THE INJUNCTIONS IN THIS ARTICLE IX.G SHALL EXTEND TO ANY SUCCESSORS OF THE DEBTORS, THE REORGANIZED DEBTORS, THE RELEASED PARTIES, AND THE EXCULPATED PARTIES AND THEIR RESPECTIVE PROPERTY AND INTERESTS IN PROPERTY.

H. *Subordination Rights*

The classification and manner of satisfying all Claims and Interests under the Plan take into consideration all subordination rights, whether arising under general principles of equitable subordination, contract, section 510(c) of the Bankruptcy Code, or otherwise, that a holder of a Claim or Interest may have against other Claim or Interest holders with respect to any distribution made pursuant to the Plan. Except as provided in the Plan, all subordination rights that a holder of a Claim may have with respect to any distribution to be made pursuant to the Plan shall be discharged and terminated, and all actions related to the enforcement of such subordination rights shall be permanently enjoined.

ARTICLE X CONDITIONS TO EFFECTIVE DATE

A. *Conditions to Effective Date*

The following are conditions to each Debtor's Effective Date that shall have been satisfied or waived in accordance with Article X.B:

1. all transactions and other documents to effectuate the Restructuring shall contain terms and conditions consistent in all material respects with the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement;
2. the DIP Facility shall remain in full force and effect and shall not have been terminated;
3. the Bankruptcy Court shall have entered the Confirmation Order and such order shall not have been reversed, stayed, or vacated;
4. all authorizations, consents, regulatory approvals, rulings, or documents required by applicable law to implement and effectuate the Plan, including any approvals required in connection with the transfer, change of control, or assignment of permits and licenses held by the applicable Debtor, unless such permits or licenses are abandoned, shall have been obtained from any appropriate regulatory agencies and not subject to any appeal;
5. the Debtors shall have obtained all governmental and regulatory approvals, consents, authorizations, rulings, or other documents that are legally required for the consummation of the Restructuring shall have been obtained, not be subject to unfulfilled conditions, and be in full force and effect, and all applicable waiting periods under the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976 (as amended) or applicable review periods under non-U.S. antitrust law shall have expired;
6. except as otherwise expressly provided herein, all documents to be executed, delivered, assumed, or performed upon or in connection with Consummation, including, without limitation, the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation, as to the applicable Debtor, shall have been (i) executed, delivered, assumed, or performed, as the case may be, (ii) to the extent required, filed with the applicable Governmental Units in accordance with applicable law, (iii) any conditions contained in such documents (other than Consummation or notice of Consummation) shall have been satisfied or waived in accordance therewith, including all documents included in the Plan Supplement, and (iv) shall be consistent with the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement and the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement, including, without limitation, any consent rights included therein;
7. there shall not be in effect any (a) order, opinion, ruling, or other decision entered by any court or other Governmental Unit or (b) U.S. or other applicable law staying, restraining, enjoining, prohibiting, or otherwise making illegal the implementation of any of the transactions contemplated by the Plan;

8. subject to the terms of the DIP Facility Documents and the DIP Orders, either (x) the conditions precedent to the effectiveness of the Exit Facility (as set forth in the DIP Facility Documents and the Exit Facility Documents, as applicable) shall have been satisfied or duly waived in writing in accordance with the terms of the DIP Facility Documents and the Exit Facility Documents, as applicable, and the Exit Facility Documents shall be in full force and effect as of the Effective Date, or (y) all Tranche A-1 DIP Facility Claims and Tranche A-2 DIP Facility Claims have been paid in full in Cash;

9. the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement shall be in full force and effect and shall not have been terminated, and all conditions to closing thereunder shall have been satisfied (or will be satisfied contemporaneously with the Effective Date) or waived in accordance with its terms;

10. all conditions to the transfer and/or issuance of the New Common Equity shall have occurred, including the creation of Reorganized AVH;

11. the Debtors shall have paid in full in Cash all DIP Facility Fees and Expenses incurred, or reasonably estimated to be incurred, through the Effective Date in accordance with Article II.E of the Plan;

12. the Debtors shall have paid in full in Cash all Restructuring Expenses incurred, or reasonably estimated to be incurred, through the Effective Date, in each case that have been invoiced at least three (3) Business Days prior to the Effective Date;

13. the Professional Fees Escrow Account shall have been established and funded in full, in Cash, in accordance with, and in the amounts required by, the Plan;

14. the Grupo Aval Settlement Agreement shall be in full force and effect and shall not have been terminated, all conditions to closing thereunder shall have been satisfied or waived in accordance with its terms, and the Debtors shall have paid all amounts due thereunder as of the Effective Date; and

15. the Restructuring to be implemented on the Effective Date shall be consistent with the Plan and the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement.

B. *Waiver of Conditions*

The conditions to the Effective Date set forth in this Article X may be waived, without notice, leave, or order of the Bankruptcy Court, only by the Debtors together with (i) the reasonable consent of the Committee (to the extent such waiver materially and adversely impacts the rights of holders of General Unsecured Avianca Claims), (ii) the reasonable consent of the Required Supporting Tranche B Lenders, and (iii) the reasonable consent of the Grupo Aval Entities (to the extent such waiver materially and adversely impacts the rights of the Grupo Aval Entities pursuant to the Grupo Aval Settlement); provided, that the conditions set forth in Article X.A.2 and Article X.A.8 may only be waived with the written consent of the Required Designated A-1 DIP Lenders and the Supermajority New Tranche A-2 Lenders (each as defined in the DIP Facility Documents). If any such condition precedent is waived pursuant to this section and the Effective Date occurs,

each party agreeing to waive such condition precedent shall be estopped from withdrawing such waiver after the Effective Date or otherwise challenging the occurrence of the Effective Date on the basis that such condition was not satisfied, the waiver of such condition precedent shall benefit from the “equitable mootness” doctrine, and the occurrence of the Effective Date shall foreclose any ability to challenge the Plan in any court. If the Plan is confirmed for fewer than all of the Debtors, only the conditions applicable to the Debtor or Debtors for which the Plan is confirmed must be satisfied or waived for the Effective Date to occur.

ARTICLE XI MODIFICATION, REVOCATION OR WITHDRAWAL OF PLAN

A. *Modification and Amendments*

Effective as the date hereof, the Debtors reserve the right to modify the Plan in consultation with the Committee, to the extent such modification impacts the rights of holders of General Unsecured Avianca Claims, whether such modification is material or immaterial and seek Confirmation consistent with the Bankruptcy Code. After entry of the Confirmation Order, the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, may, upon order of the Bankruptcy Court, amend or modify the Plan, in accordance with section 1127(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, remedy any defect or omission, reconcile any inconsistency in the Plan (including, for the avoidance of doubt, with respect to Article VI.A and the schedules referenced therein) in such manner as may be necessary to carry out the purpose and intent of the Plan consistent with the terms of the Restructuring, or withdraw or revoke the Plan. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, shall not amend or modify the Plan or waive conditions to the Effective Date in a manner inconsistent with the Global Plan Settlement or the consenting rights (if any) set forth in the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement or the DIP Facility Documents.

B. *Effect of Confirmation on Modifications*

Entry of a Confirmation Order shall mean that all modifications or amendments to the Plan since the solicitation thereof are approved pursuant to section 1127(a) of the Bankruptcy Code and do not require additional disclosure or resolicitation under Bankruptcy Rule 3019.

C. *Revocation or Withdrawal of Plan*

The Debtors reserve the right to revoke or withdraw the Plan, in consultation with the Committee, with respect to any or all of the Debtors prior to the Confirmation Date and to file subsequent plans of reorganization. If the Debtors revoke or withdraw the Plan or Confirmation does not occur, then: (1) the Plan shall be null and void in all respects; (2) any settlement or compromise embodied in the Plan (including the fixing or limiting to an amount certain of any Claim or Class of Claims), assumption of Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases effected under the Plan, and any document or agreement executed pursuant to the Plan, shall be deemed null and void; and (3) nothing contained in the Plan shall: (a) constitute a waiver or release of any Claims or Interests; (b) prejudice in any manner the rights of such Debtor or any other Entity; or (c) constitute an admission, acknowledgement, offer, or undertaking of any sort by such Debtor or any other Entity. For the avoidance of doubt, except as provided in the Tranche B Equity

Conversion Agreement, nothing in the Plan shall be construed as requiring termination or avoidance of the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement due to non-occurrence of the Effective Date (subject to any consent, termination, or other rights of the Supporting Tranche B DIP Lenders under the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement).

ARTICLE XII RETENTION OF JURISDICTION

Notwithstanding the entry of the Confirmation Order and the occurrence of the Effective Date, on and after the Effective Date, the Bankruptcy Court shall retain jurisdiction over all matters arising out of, or related to, the Chapter 11 Cases and the Plan pursuant to sections 105(a) and 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code, including jurisdiction to:

1. allow, disallow, determine, liquidate, classify, estimate, or establish the priority, Secured or Unsecured status, or amount of any Claim or Interest, including (a) the resolution of any request for payment of any Administrative Expense and (b) the resolution of any objections to the Secured or Unsecured status, priority, amount, or allowance of Claims or Interests;
2. decide and resolve all matters related to the granting and denying, in whole or in part, of any applications for allowance of compensation or reimbursement of expenses to Professionals pursuant to the Bankruptcy Code or the Plan;
3. resolve any matters related to: (a) the assumption, assumption and assignment, or rejection of any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease to which the Debtors are party or with respect to which the Debtors may be liable, and to hear, determine, and, if necessary, liquidate, any Claims arising therefrom, including Claims for rejection damages or Cure Claims pursuant to section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code; (b) any potential contractual obligation under any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease that is assumed, or assumed and assigned; and (c) any dispute regarding whether a contract or lease is or was executory or expired;
4. ensure that distributions to holders of Allowed Claims and Allowed Interests are accomplished pursuant to the provisions of the Plan;
5. adjudicate, decide, or resolve any motions, adversary proceedings, contested, or litigated matters, and any other matters, and grant or deny any applications involving the Debtors that may be pending on the Effective Date;
6. adjudicate, decide, or resolve any and all matters related to sections 1141 and 1146 of the Bankruptcy Code;
7. enter and implement such orders as may be necessary or appropriate to execute, implement, or consummate the provisions of the Plan and all contracts, instruments, releases, indentures, and other agreements or documents created in connection with the Plan or the Disclosure Statement;
8. enter and enforce any order for the sale or transfer of property pursuant to sections 363, 1123, or 1146(a) of the Bankruptcy Code;

9. resolve any cases, controversies, suits, disputes, or Causes of Action that may arise in connection with the Consummation, interpretation, or enforcement of the Plan or any Entity's obligations incurred in connection with the Plan;

10. issue injunctions, enter, and implement other orders or take such other actions as may be necessary or appropriate to restrain interference by any Entity with Consummation or enforcement of the Plan and ensure compliance with the Plan;

11. resolve any cases, controversies, suits, disputes, or Causes of Action with respect to the releases, injunctions, and other provisions contained in Article IX, and enter such orders as may be necessary or appropriate to implement or enforce such releases, injunctions, and other provisions;

12. resolve any cases, controversies, suits, disputes, or Causes of Action with respect to the repayment or return of distributions and the recovery of additional amounts owed by the holder of a Claim or Interest for amounts not timely repaid pursuant to Article VIII.I.1;

13. enter and implement such orders as are necessary or appropriate if the Confirmation Order is for any reason modified, stayed, reversed, revoked or vacated;

14. determine any other matters that may arise in connection with, or relate to, the Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the Confirmation Order, or any contract, instrument, release, indenture, or other agreement or document created in connection with the Plan or the Disclosure Statement;

15. enter an order or final decree concluding or closing the Chapter 11 Cases;

16. adjudicate any and all disputes arising from or relating to distributions under the Plan;

17. consider any modifications of the Plan, to cure any defect or omission, or to reconcile any inconsistency in any Bankruptcy Court order, including the Confirmation Order;

18. determine requests for the payment of Claims and Interests entitled to priority pursuant to section 507 of the Bankruptcy Code;

19. hear and determine disputes arising in connection with the interpretation, implementation, or enforcement of the Plan or the Confirmation Order, including disputes arising under agreements, documents, or instruments executed in connection with the Plan;

20. hear and determine matters concerning state, local, federal taxes and fees in accordance with sections 346, 505, and 1146 of the Bankruptcy Code;

21. hear and determine all disputes involving the existence, nature, scope, or enforcement of any exculpations, discharges, injunctions, and releases granted in the Plan, including under Article IX, regardless of whether such termination occurred before or after the Effective Date;

22. determine whether and in what amount a Claim or Interest is Allowed;
23. to hear and determine matters related to the DIP Facility and the DIP Orders;
24. recover all assets of the Debtors and property of the Estates, wherever located;
25. resolve any disputes concerning whether an Entity had sufficient notice of the Chapter 11 Cases, the Disclosure Statement, any solicitation conducted in connection with the Chapter 11 Cases, any bar date established in the Chapter 11 Cases, or any deadline for responding or objecting to the amount of a cure, in each case, for the purpose of determining whether a Claim or Interest is discharged hereunder or for any other purpose;
26. hear and determine any rights, claims, or Causes of Action held by, or accruing to, the Debtor pursuant to the Bankruptcy Code or pursuant to any federal statute or legal theory, including, but not limited to, those set forth on the Schedule of Retained Causes of Action;
27. enforce all orders previously entered by the Bankruptcy Court; and
28. hear any other matter as to which the Bankruptcy Court has jurisdiction.

provided, however, that documents contained in the Plan Supplement shall be governed in accordance with applicable jurisdictional, forum selection or dispute resolution clauses in such documents; provided, further, that, as of the Effective Date, the Exit Facility Documents, the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation, the Secured RCF Documents, and any other documents related to either the Exit Facility Documents, the Grupo Aval Definitive Documentation, or the Secured RCF shall be governed by the jurisdictional provisions contained therein, and the Bankruptcy Court shall not retain jurisdiction with respect thereto.

ARTICLE XIII MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

A. *Immediate Binding Effect*

Subject to Article X.A and notwithstanding Bankruptcy Rules 3020(e), 6004(h), or 7062 or otherwise, upon Consummation, the terms of the Plan shall be immediately effective and enforceable and deemed binding upon the Debtors, the Reorganized Debtors, and any and all holders of Claims or Interests (irrespective of whether such Claims or Interests are deemed to have accepted the Plan), all Entities that are party, or subject, to the settlements, compromises, releases, discharges, and injunctions described in the Plan, each Entity acquiring property under the Plan, and any and all of the Debtors' counterparties to Executory Contracts, Unexpired Leases, and any other prepetition agreements.

B. *Additional Documents*

On or before the Effective Date, the Debtors may enter into any such agreements and other documents as may be necessary or appropriate to effectuate and further evidence the terms and conditions of the Plan. The Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors, as applicable, and all holders of

Claims or Interests receiving distributions pursuant to the Plan and all other parties in interest may, from time to time, prepare, execute, and deliver any agreements or documents and take any other actions as may be necessary or advisable to effectuate the provisions and intent of the Plan.

C. *Payment of Statutory Fees*

All fees due and payable pursuant to section 1930 of Title 28 of the U.S. Code (“Quarterly Fees”) prior to the Effective Date shall be paid by the applicable Debtors in these cases on such Effective Date. After the Effective Date, the applicable Reorganized Debtors shall be jointly and severally liable to pay any and all Quarterly Fees when due and payable. The Debtors shall file all quarterly reports due prior to the Effective Date when they become due, in a form reasonably acceptable to the U.S. Trustee. After the Effective Date, the applicable Reorganized Debtors shall file with the Bankruptcy Court quarterly reports when they become due, in a form reasonably acceptable to the U.S. Trustee. Each and every one of the Debtors and the Reorganized Debtors shall remain obligated to pay Quarterly Fees to the Office of the U.S. Trustee until the earliest of that particular Debtor’s case being closed, dismissed or converted to a case under Chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing herein shall prohibit the Reorganized Debtors (or the Disbursing Agent on behalf of the Reorganized Debtors) from paying any Quarterly Fees that become due and payable.

D. *Reservation of Rights*

Except as expressly set forth in the Plan, the Plan shall have no force or effect unless the Bankruptcy Court enters the Confirmation Order, and the Confirmation Order shall have no force or effect as to a Debtor if the Effective Date does not occur as to such Debtor. None of the filing of the Plan, any statement or provision contained in the Plan, or the taking of any action by any Debtor with respect to the Plan, the Disclosure Statement, or the Plan Supplement shall be or shall be deemed to be an admission or waiver of any rights of any Debtor with respect to the holders of Claims or Interests before Consummation.

E. *Successors and Assigns*

The rights, benefits, and obligations of any Entity named or referred to in the Plan shall be binding on, and shall inure to the benefit of any heir, executor, administrator, successor or assign, affiliate, officer, director, agent, representative, attorney, beneficiaries, or guardian, if any, of each Entity.

F. *Notices*

Any pleading, notice, or other document required by the Plan to be served on or delivered to the Debtors or the Committee shall be served on:

If to the Debtors, to:

Avianca Holdings S.A.
Avenida Calle 26 # 59 – 15
Bogotá D.C., Colombia
Attn: Richard Galindo Sanchez
Email: Richard.Galindo@Avianca.com

with copies to:

Milbank LLP
55 Hudson Yards
New York, NY 10001
Attention: Gregory A. Bray, Esq.
Evan Fleck, Esq.
Benjamin M. Schak, Esq.
Kyle R. Satterfield, Esq.
Email: GBray@Milbank.com
EFleck@Milbank.com
BSchak@Milbank.com
KSatterfield@Milbank.com

If to the Committee:

Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP
787 Seventh Avenue
New York, NY 10019
Attention: Brett Miller, Esq.
Todd Goren, Esq.
Email: bmiller@willkie.com
tgoren@willkie.com

If to the Supporting Tranche B DIP Lenders, to the addresses set forth following each such Lender's signature page to the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement with copies to their respective counsel.

In the Notice of Entry of Confirmation Order, the Debtors shall notify all Entities that, in order to continue to receive documents after the Effective Date pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002, such Entity (excluding the United States Trustee) must file a renewed request to receive documents pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002. After service of the Notice of Entry of Confirmation and the occurrence of the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors shall be authorized to limit the list of Entities receiving documents pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002 to the Reorganized Debtors, the United States Trustee and those Entities who have filed renewed requests.

G. *Term of Injunctions or Stays*

Unless otherwise provided in the Plan or in the Confirmation Order, all injunctions or stays in effect in the Chapter 11 Cases pursuant to sections 105 or 362 of the Bankruptcy Code or any order of the Bankruptcy Court, and existing on the Confirmation Date (excluding any injunctions or stays contained in the Plan or the Confirmation Order) shall remain in full force and effect until the Effective Date. For the avoidance of doubt, (i) upon the Effective Date, the automatic stay pursuant to Bankruptcy Code section 362 of any litigation proceedings against or involving the applicable Debtors shall terminate and (ii) all injunctions or stays contained in the Plan or the Confirmation Order shall remain in full force and effect in accordance with their terms.

H. *Entire Agreement*

Except as otherwise indicated, the Plan (including the Plan Supplement) supersedes all previous and contemporaneous negotiations, promises, covenants, agreements, understandings, and representations on such subjects, all of which have become merged and integrated into the Plan.

I. *Exhibits*

All exhibits, schedules, supplements, and appendices to the Plan (including any other documents to be executed, delivered, assumed, or performed in connection with the occurrence of the Effective Date) are incorporated into and are a part of the Plan as if set forth in full in the Plan. To the extent any exhibit or document is inconsistent with the terms of the Plan, unless otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court, the Plan shall control; provided, however, that, in the event of any inconsistency between the Plan and the DIP Orders, the DIP Credit Agreement, or the DIP Facility Indenture, the DIP Orders, the DIP Credit Agreement, or the DIP Facility Indenture, as applicable, shall control.

J. *Nonseverability of Plan Provisions*

Before Confirmation, if any term or provision of the Plan is held by the Bankruptcy Court to be invalid, void, or unenforceable, the Bankruptcy Court shall have the power to alter and interpret such term or provision to make it valid or enforceable to the maximum extent practicable, consistent with the original purpose of the term or provision held to be invalid, void, or unenforceable, and such term or provision shall then be applicable as altered or interpreted. Notwithstanding any such holding, alteration, or interpretation, the remainder of the terms and provisions of the Plan will remain in full force and effect and will in no way be affected, impaired, or invalidated by such holding, alteration, or interpretation. Confirmation shall constitute a judicial determination and shall provide that each term and provision of the Plan, as it may have been altered or interpreted in accordance with the foregoing, is: (1) valid and enforceable pursuant to its terms; (2) integral to the Plan and may not be deleted or modified without consent of the Debtors; and (3) nonseverable and mutually dependent.

K. *Votes Solicited in Good Faith*

Upon Confirmation, the Debtors shall be deemed to have solicited votes on the Plan in good faith and in compliance with the Bankruptcy Code and, pursuant to section 1125(e) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Debtors and their respective affiliates, agents, representatives, members, principals, shareholders, officers, directors, employees, advisors, and attorneys shall be deemed to have participated in good faith and in compliance with the Bankruptcy Code in the offer, issuance, sale, and purchase of securities offered and sold under the Plan and any previous plan, and, therefore, none of any such parties or individuals or the Reorganized Debtors will have any liability for the violation of any applicable law, rule or regulation governing the solicitation of votes on the Plan or the offer, issuance, sale, or purchase of the securities offered and sold under the Plan and any previous plan.

L. *Document Retention*

On and after the Effective Date, the applicable Reorganized Debtors may maintain documents in accordance with its current document retention policy, as may be altered, amended, modified, or supplemented by such Reorganized Debtors.

M. *Conflicts*

In the event of a conflict between the Plan and the Disclosure Statement, the terms of the Plan shall control in all respects. In the event of a conflict between the Plan and the Plan Supplement, the terms of the relevant document in the Plan Supplement shall control (unless stated otherwise in such Plan Supplement document or in the Confirmation Order); provided, that, in the event any such conflict is a material conflict of the type that would require the Debtors to re-solicit the votes of holders of Claims against the Debtors under section 1127 of the Bankruptcy Code, the Plan shall control solely with respect to such provision giving rise to such material conflict. In the event of a conflict between the Confirmation Order and the Plan, the Confirmation Order shall control.

N. *Dissolution of Committee*

On the Effective Date with respect to the Plan or all Sub-Plans, the Committee (and any other statutory committee) shall be deemed to have been dissolved, and the members thereof, and their respective officers, employees, counsel, advisors and agents, shall be released and discharged of and from all further authority, duties, responsibilities, and obligations related to and arising from and in connection with the Chapter 11 Cases, except with respect to any continuing confidentiality obligations and for the limited purpose of, if applicable, appointing the initial General Unsecured Claims Observer; prosecuting requests for allowances of compensation and reimbursement of expenses incurred prior to the Effective Date; and, in the event that the Bankruptcy Court's entry of the Confirmation Order is appealed, participating in such appeal. From and after the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtors shall continue to pay, when due and payable in the ordinary course of business, the reasonable and documented fees and expenses of the Committee's professionals solely to the extent arising out of or related to the foregoing without further order of the Bankruptcy Court.

Dated: October 24, 2021
Bogotá, Colombia

Avianca Holdings S.A. on behalf of itself
and each of its Debtor affiliates

By: /s/ Adrian Neuhauser
Name: Adrian Neuhauser
Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

Exhibit B to Confirmation Order

Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
 SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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In re:	:	Chapter 11
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AVIANCA HOLDINGS S.A., <i>et al.</i> , ¹	:	Case No. 20-11133 (MG)
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Debtors.	:	(Jointly Administered)
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**FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW RELATING TO OBJECTIONS
 TO CONFIRMATION OF THE JOINT CHAPTER 11 PLAN OF
AVIANCA HOLDINGS S.A. AND ITS AFFILIATED DEBTORS**

I. BACKGROUND—FINDINGS OF FACT²

1. Avianca is the second-largest airline group in Latin America and the most important carrier in the Republic of Colombia and the Republic of El Salvador. Decl. of Adrian Neuhauser in Supp. of Chap. 11 Pets. and First Day Pleadings (“First-Day Decl.”) ¶ 3.³ Despite an effective debt re-profiling executed in the second half of 2019, a significant improvement in Avianca’s liquidity position in early 2020, and the successful 2019 launch of the “Avianca 2021” transformation plan, the Debtors were compelled to file these Chapter 11 Cases on May 10, 2020,⁴

¹ The Debtors in these Chapter 11 Cases, and each Debtor’s federal tax identification number (to the extent applicable), are as follows: Avianca Holdings S.A. (N/A); Aero Transporte de Carga Unión, S.A. de C.V. (N/A); Aeroinversiones de Honduras, S.A. (N/A); Aerovías del Continente Americano S.A. Avianca (N/A); Airlease Holdings One Ltd. (N/A); America Central (Canada) Corp. (00-1071563); America Central Corp. (65-0444665); AV International Holdco S.A. (N/A); AV International Holdings S.A. (N/A); AV International Investments S.A. (N/A); AV International Ventures S.A. (N/A); AV Investments One Colombia S.A.S. (N/A); AV Investments Two Colombia S.A.S. (N/A); AV Loyalty Bermuda Ltd. (N/A); AV Taca International Holdco S.A. (N/A); Aviacorp Enterprises S.A. (N/A); Avianca Costa Rica S.A. (N/A); Avianca Leasing, LLC (47-2628716); Avianca, Inc. (13-1868573); Avianca-Ecuador S.A. (N/A); Aviaservicios, S.A. (N/A); Aviateca, S.A. (N/A); Avifreight Holding Mexico, S.A.P.I. de C.V. (N/A); C.R. Int’l Enterprises, Inc. (59-2240957); Grupo Taca Holdings Limited (N/A); International Trade Marks Agency Inc. (N/A); Inversiones del Caribe, S.A. (N/A); Isleña de Inversiones, S.A. de C.V. (N/A); Latin Airways Corp. (N/A); Latin Logistics, LLC (41-2187926); Nicaragüense de Aviación, Sociedad Anónima (N/A); Regional Express Américas S.A.S. (N/A); Ronair N.V. (N/A); Servicio Terrestre, Aéreo y Rampa S.A. (N/A); Servicios Aeroportuarios Integrados SAI S.A.S. (92-4006439); Taca de Honduras, S.A. de C.V. (N/A); Taca de México, S.A. (N/A); Taca International Airlines S.A. (N/A); Taca S.A. (N/A); Tampa Cargo S.A.S. (N/A); Technical and Training Services, S.A. de C.V. (N/A). The Debtors’ principal offices are located at Avenida Calle 26 # 59 – 15 Bogotá, Colombia.

² Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein bear the meanings ascribed to them in the *Further Modified Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Avianca Holdings S.A. and its Affiliated Debtors* [ECF No. 2259] (the “Plan”).

³ The First-Day Declaration was incorporated into the *Declaration of Adrian Neuhauser in Support of Confirmation of Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Avianca Holdings S.A. and its Affiliated Debtors* [ECF No. 2263] (the “Neuhauser Decl.”) ¶ 4.

⁴ Two Debtors (Aviacorp Enterprises S.A. and AV Loyalty Bermuda Ltd.) subsequently filed petitions on September 21, 2020.

for one principal reason: the COVID-19 pandemic. First-Day Decl. ¶ 6. At the time, the Debtors had suspended all passenger flights for over six weeks, with no known date for resumption. First-Day Decl. ¶ 7.

2. During the early stages of these cases, the Debtors' greatest challenge was to raise the postpetition financing they needed to survive their restructuring process. That challenge was intensified by the absence of material unencumbered assets following the 2019 out-of-court restructuring. In order to partially address this challenge, the creditors negotiated with an ad hoc group of 2023 holders, who offered to allow a DIP facility to prime their prepetition collateral and to backstop at least \$200 million of Tranche A DIP loans. *See* Decl. of John E. Luth [ECF No. 966] ¶ 19.

3. Despite the many serious hurdles, the Debtors succeeded in obtaining postpetition financing. *See generally* 10/26/21 Hr'g Tr. (hereinafter, "Tr.") at 118:21-120:18 (testimony of Mr. Neuhauser).

4. The Debtors filed a motion to approve their postpetition financing on September 21, 2020. *See Debtors' Motion for Entry of an Order (I) Authorizing the Debtors to (A) Obtain Postpetition Financing and (B) Grant Liens and Superpriority Administrative Expense Claims, (II) Modifying the Automatic Stay, and (III) Granting Related Relief* [ECF No. 964] (the "DIP Motion"). The motion was heard on regular notice, on October 5, 2020. *See id.* One formal objection was filed, on behalf of certain sureties, *see* ECF No. 987, and it was resolved prior to the hearing. *See* ECF Nos. 995, 996 (withdrawing objection); ECF No. 1001 (revised form of order). On October 5, 2020, the Court entered the *Final Order (I) Authorizing the Debtors to (A) Obtain Postpetition Financing, and (B) Grant Liens and Superpriority Administrative Expense Claims, (II) Modifying the Automatic Stay, and (III) Granting Related Relief* [ECF No. 1031] (the "Final

DIP Order”), which became effective immediately. *See* Final DIP Order ¶ 54. No appeals of the Final DIP Order or motions for relief from the Final DIP Order have been filed. *See* ECF Docket. Following entry of the Final DIP Order, all holders (the “2023 Noteholders”) of 9.00% Senior Secured Notes due 2023 (the “2023 Notes”) were given an opportunity to participate in the roll-up that had been approved pursuant to the Final DIP Order, through a notice disseminated by the ad hoc group. *See* Burlingame Objection (as defined herein) at Ex. A (the “Bondholder Roll-Up Notice”). Ultimately, holders of approximately 75% of the 2023 Notes participated in the roll-up on the terms set forth by the ad hoc group’s Bondholder Roll-Up Notice. *See Third Amended Disclosure Statement for Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Avianca Holdings S.A. and its Affiliated Debtors [Solicitation Version]* [ECF No. 2131] (the “Disclosure Statement”) § II.D.1.d.

5. The Debtors subsequently filed a motion to approve their refinanced and expanded postpetition financing on August 5, 2021. *See* ECF No. 1972. The motion was heard on regular notice, on August 18, 2021. *See id.* (noting date and time of hearing). No formal objections were filed, and all informal comments were resolved prior to the hearing. *See* ECF Nos. 1998, 2024 (revised forms of order). Among other things, the refinanced and expanded postpetition financing increased the Tranche A DIP Obligations by approximately \$170 million. *See Debtors’ Motion for Entry of a Final Order (I) Authorizing the Debtors to Enter into Amendments to their Postpetition DIP Credit Documents and Enter Into Additional Documents in Furtherance Thereof, (II) Granting and Reaffirming Liens, (III) Granting Superpriority Administrative Expense Claims, (IV) Modifying the Automatic Stay, and (V) Granting Related Relief* [ECF No. 1972] at 10; *Declaration of John E. Luth in Support of Debtors’ Motion for Entry of a Final Order (I) Authorizing the Debtors to Enter into Amendments to their Postpetition DIP Credit Documents and Enter Into Additional Documents in Furtherance Thereof, (II) Granting and Reaffirming*

Liens, (III) Granting Superpriority Administrative Expense Claims, (IV) Modifying the Automatic Stay, and (V) Granting Related Relief [ECF No. 1971] at 11. Tranche B was not modified pursuant to Final DIP Amendment Order. *See Final Order (I) Authorizing the Debtors to Enter into Amendments to Their Postpetition DIP Credit Documents and Enter into Additional Documents in Furtherance Thereof, (II) Granting and Reaffirming Liens, (III) Granting Superpriority Administrative Expense Claims, (IV) Modifying the Automatic Stay, and (V) Granting Related Relief* [ECF No. 2032] (the “Final DIP Amendment Order”) ¶ 44 (providing that the Final DIP Order survives except as expressly set forth in or as inconsistent with the Final DIP Amendment Order). On August 18, 2021, the Court entered the Final DIP Amendment Order, which became effective immediately. *See* Final DIP Amendment Order ¶ 48. No appeals of the Final DIP Amendment Order or motions for relief from the Final DIP Amendment Order have been filed. *See* ECF Docket.

6. The Debtors filed the initial version of the Plan on August 10, 2021. *See* ECF No. 1981. The Plan included, *inter alia*, the following terms, which have not been modified in subsequent versions of the proposed Plan:

- a. The Plan proposes to substantively consolidate (the “Avianca Debtors”) all of the Debtors other than Aero Transporte de Carga Unión, S.A. de C.V. (“Aerounión”), Avifreight Holding México, S.A.P.I. de C.V. (“Avifreight”), and Servicios Aeroportuarios Integrados SAI S.A.S. (“SAI”).⁵

⁵ Specifically, the Plan proposes to substantively consolidate: Avianca Holdings S.A.; Aeroinversiones de Honduras, S.A.; Aerovías del Continente Americano S.A. Avianca; Airlease Holdings One Ltd.; America Central (Canada) Corp.; America Central Corp.; AV International Holdco S.A.; AV International Holdings S.A.; AV International Investments S.A.; AV International Ventures S.A.; AV Investments One Colombia S.A.S.; AV Investments Two Colombia S.A.S.; AV Loyalty Bermuda Ltd.; AV Taca International Holdco S.A.; Aviacorp Enterprises S.A.; Avianca Costa Rica S.A.; Avianca Leasing, LLC; Avianca, Inc.; Avianca-Ecuador S.A.; Aviaservicios, S.A.; Aviateca, S.A.; C.R. Int’l Enterprises, Inc.; Grupo Taca Holdings Limited; International Trade Marks Agency Inc.; Inversiones del Caribe, S.A.; Isleña de Inversiones, S.A. de C.V.; Latin Airways Corp.; Latin Logistics, LLC; Nicaragüense de Aviación, Sociedad Anónima; Regional Express Américas

- b. The 2023 Notes were issued by Avianca Holdings S.A. and guaranteed by eleven of the Avianca Debtors. *See Declaration of Ginger Hughes in Support of Confirmation of Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Avianca Holdings S.A. and its Affiliated Debtors* [ECF No. 2262] (the “Hughes Decl.”) ¶ 19. No holder of a 2023 Notes Claim has asserted that the 2023 Notes Claims are guaranteed by, or have recourse to the assets of, any Debtor other than the Avianca Debtors. In particular, no 2023 Notes Claim is guaranteed by, or has recourse to the assets of, Aerounión, Avifreight, or SAI. (As a general matter, the holders of 2023 Notes Claims benefit—along with all other holders of General Unsecured Avianca Claims—from the Avianca Debtors’ equity interests in those entities.).
- c. The Class of General Unsecured Avianca Claims includes all General Unsecured Claims against the Avianca Debtors, except for those claims that are instead classified as General Unsecured Convenience Claims. The General Unsecured Avianca Claims include all 2023 Notes Claims and all 2020 Notes Claims. *See Plan* § I.A.118.
- d. Holders of General Unsecured Avianca Claims (including holders of 2023 Notes Claims) will receive Pro Rata Shares of either (a) the Unsecured Claimholder Cash Pool or (b) if such holder is an Eligible Holder and makes a valid election, the Unsecured Claimholder Equity Pool and the Warrants. *See Plan* §§ I.A.230–234, III.B.11; Disc. Stmt. at 32.

S.A.S.; Ronair N.V.; Servicio Terrestre, Aéreo y Rampa S.A.; Taca de Honduras, S.A. de C.V.; Taca de México, S.A.; Taca International Airlines S.A.; Taca S.A.; Tampa Cargo S.A.S.; and Technical and Training Services, S.A. de C.V.

- e. Holders of Tranche B DIP Facility Claims will receive Pro Rata Shares of 97.5% of pre-new-money equity in Reorganized AVH. *See* Plan § II.B; Disc. Stmt. at 32. As part of the Global Plan Settlement, the holders of Tranche B DIP Facility Claims also consented to a carve-out of the value of their collateral in order to provide the foregoing recoveries to holders of General Unsecured Avianca Claims. *See* Disc. Stmt. at 32.
7. The Court entered an order approving the Disclosure Statement and solicitation procedures on September 15, 2021. *See* ECF No. 2136. The Debtors commenced solicitation of the Plan on September 22, 2021, and the voting deadline was October 15, 2021. *See Certification of P. Joseph Morrow IV with Respect to the Tabulation of Votes* [ECF No. 2239] (the “Voting Certification”) ¶¶ 5, 13.
8. The solicitation version of the Debtors’ Disclosure Statement advised creditors entitled to vote on the Plan, including 2023 Noteholders, that:
- The DIP Facility is secured, in part, by the same collateral securing the 2023 Notes (the “Shared Collateral”); however, pursuant to the Final DIP Order, DIP Facility Claims shall be satisfied first from proceeds of the Shared Collateral (the “DIP Marshaling Provision”). As a result of the DIP Roll-Up and the DIP Marshaling Provision, no value with respect to the Shared Collateral will be available to satisfy 2023 Notes Claims after DIP Facility Claims are satisfied, thereby rendering the 2023 Notes, as well as any other indebtedness secured by the Shared Collateral on equal footing with the 2023 Notes, effectively unsecured pursuant to section 506(a) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- ECF No. 2138 at 46–47, n. 14.
9. The following objections to confirmation of the Plan, among others, were filed:
- a. Substantially identical objections (collectively, the “Burlingame Objection”), variously filed on a counseled or *pro se* basis, by Burlingame Investment Partners

LP, William B Meier IRA, David M Kang SEP IRA, Blake W Kim Rollover IRA,⁶ and Im Jo Degerman Rollover IRA (collectively, the “Burlingame Objectors”). *See* ECF Nos. 2214, 2215, 2218, 2222, 2227.

- b. One objection (the “Baruch Objection”) filed by Udi Baruch Guindi, David Baruch, Soshana Baruch, Habib Mann, Golan LP, and Isaak Baruch (collectively, the “Baruch Objectors” and, together with the Burlingame Objectors, the “Objectors”). *See* ECF No. 2231.

10. The U.S. Trustee did not interpose an objection to Confirmation but instead filed a Statement. *See* Stmt. of U.S. Trustee, ECF No. 2240. The U.S. Trustee’s Statement reserved his right to object to non-consensual third-party releases, which are not a component of the Plan. *See* Stmt. of U.S. Trustee at 5–6 (“Although it does not appear that there will be any holders of claims who have not been afforded the opportunity to opt-out of the Third-Party Releases, to the extent that there are any such non-consensual releases, the United States Trustee reserves his right to object.”).

11. The hearing on Confirmation was held on October 26, 2021. Except for the objections of the Objectors, all objections were either resolved prior to the conclusion of the hearing or, with respect to certain objections related to the assumption and cure of particular executory contracts, deferred to a future date. The U.S. Trustee was present but did not speak at the Confirmation hearing. At the conclusion of the hearing, the Court directed the Debtors and the

⁶ Mr. Kim previously objected to the Debtors’ Disclosure Statement. The Court overruled those objections because Mr. Kim “failed to file a timely objection to the Disclosure Statement” and noted that some of “Mr. Kim’s objections actually deal with prior orders entered by the Court, particularly with respect to the approval of debtor-in-possession financing, and adequate protection and security provided to the DIP lenders.” *See Memorandum Opinion Approving Third Amended Disclosure Statement, Solicitation Procedures and other Relief* [ECF No. 2135] at 16.

Objectors to file on ECF their respective proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law related to the issues raised by the Objectors.

II. THE 2023 NOTEHOLDERS ARE WHOLLY UNSECURED AND MAY NOT RECEIVE VALUE ON ACCOUNT OF SHARED COLLATERAL

a. Findings of Fact

i. The 2023 Noteholders Have Junior Interests in the Shared Collateral.

12. In connection with the original issuance of the 2023 Notes, and to secure the 2023 Notes Claims, certain of the Debtors granted to the 2023 Notes Indenture Trustee (in its capacity as a collateral trustee) liens, mortgages and security interests in the Collateral (as defined in the 2023 Notes Indenture), including in certain intellectual property, equity interests in specific subsidiaries, aircraft residual value and certain aircraft (collectively, the “Shared Collateral”). *See* Final DIP Order ¶ E(iii); DIP Motion ¶ 18.

13. All parties with prepetition security interests in the Shared Collateral are party to the Collateral Sharing Agreement, dated as of November 1, 2019 (as amended, supplemented, or otherwise modified from time to time, the “Collateral Sharing Agreement”), which governs the relative rights and remedies of the holders of 2023 Notes Claims, on the one hand, and the other parties with prepetition security interests in the Shared Collateral, on the other hand, as they relate to the Shared Collateral. *See* Final DIP Order ¶ E(iv). Pursuant to the Collateral Sharing Agreement, the 2023 Notes Indenture Trustee is the Applicable Authorized Representative (as defined therein) and has sole authority to act or refrain from acting with respect to the Shared Collateral, including sole authority to consent to the incurrence of priming liens on the Shared Collateral. *See id.*

14. The 2023 Notes Indenture Trustee, in its capacity as Applicable Authorized Representative, on behalf of all First Lien Secured Parties (as defined in the Collateral Sharing

Agreement), and at the direction of holders of more than the requisite majority of the then-existing obligations under the 2023 Notes,⁷ consented to the priming of all liens on the Shared Collateral, as provided by and subject to the terms of the Final DIP Order and the DIP credit documents. No other consent was required. *See* Final DIP Order ¶ F(iii).

15. The Final DIP Order granted liens to the DIP Credit Parties on all of the “DIP Collateral” (as defined therein), which includes but is not limited to all of the Shared Collateral. *See* Final DIP Order ¶ 5(b). Those liens ranked senior in priority to the liens held by the 2023 Notes Indenture Trustee in favor of the holders of 2023 Notes Claims. *See* Final DIP Order ¶ 6(a)(iii).

16. The Final DIP Order requires DIP Facility Claims to “be satisfied first from proceeds of the Shared Collateral and second from proceeds of other DIP Collateral (whether or not an event of default or exercise of remedies has occurred).” Final DIP Order ¶ 28.

17. The Final DIP Order also extinguishes any claim or right of the holders of the 2023 Notes Claims “against any Debtor for, arising out of, or related to adequate protection (including for the avoidance of doubt, on account of the priming of any liens in respect of the Shared Collateral”). Final DIP Order ¶ 34.

18. Consistent with the foregoing, all holders of 2023 Notes received the Bondholder Roll-Up Notice that informed them that “[t]he priming of the existing liens on the 2023 Notes Collateral [i.e., the Shared Collateral] will entitle Tranche A and Tranche B [i.e., the DIP Facility Claims] to be repaid from proceeds of the 2023 Notes Collateral in full prior to any distribution from the proceeds of the 2023 Notes Collateral on account of any other claims that are secured by the 2023 Notes Collateral, including the [2023] Notes.” *See* Bondholder Roll-Up Notice at 3.

⁷ Approximately 75% of the outstanding principal amount of the 2023 Notes provided consent. *See* Disc. Stmt. § II.D.1.d.

19. The Debtors subsequently obtained a refinancing of Tranche A of the DIP Facility, which expanded the size of Tranche A to \$1,600,000,000 in principal without modifying the amount or structure of Tranche B DIP Obligations. *See* Final DIP Amendment Order at Preamble(a), ¶ 44. The Final DIP Amendment Order re-affirmed the grant of priming liens and the marshalling of the DIP Liens toward the Shared Collateral. *See* Final DIP Amendment Order ¶¶ E(iii), 6(a)(iii), 30. No holders of 2023 Notes objected to entry of the Final DIP Amendment Order. *See* ECF Docket.

20. As a result of the Final DIP Order and the Final DIP Amendment Order, the interests of holders of 2023 Notes in the Shared Collateral are junior to over \$2,510,000,000 of DIP Facility Claims, consisting of over \$1,600,000,000 of Tranche A-1 DIP Obligations and Tranche A-2 DIP Obligations⁸ and Tranche B DIP Obligations that will exceed \$910,000,000 upon any conversion or refinancing.⁹ *Cf.* Disc. Stmt., Ex. C, at C-4 (scheduling \$2,455,300,000 of DIP Facility Claims as of March 31, 2021). As noted above, those DIP Facility Claims must be satisfied from the Shared Collateral before the DIP Facility Claims may look to any other collateral. The Bondholder Roll-Up Notice provided all 2023 Noteholders the opportunity to convert their 2023 Notes into Tranche A DIP Loans (as defined in the Final DIP Order) at a ratio of \$100:\$20 *without investing any new money* or at a ratio of \$100:\$32 if they elected to invest new money. *See* Bondholder Roll-Up Notice at 3. The Bondholder Roll-Up Notice provided a deadline of

⁸ *See* Final DIP Amendment Order at Preamble(a), (c), ¶ 2(a) (authorizing borrowing of an aggregate of \$1,600,000,000 in principal of Tranche A-1 DIP Obligations and Tranche A-2 DIP Obligations). Some interest and fees have accrued since closing.

⁹ The Tranche B DIP Facility was originally a \$722,691,000 facility. *See* Final DIP Order at Preamble(c). Because the Debtors have not paid cash interest during the Chapter 11 Cases, interest has accrued at a rate of 14.50% *per annum*. *See* Mot. for Final DIP Order [ECF No. 1972] at 19 (summarizing terms of facility). Additionally, a 10% exit fee would be payable upon any refinancing or conversion into equity of the Tranche B DIP Claims. *See id.* at 21. It follows that, more than one year after the facility was approved, over \$910,000,000 of Tranche B DIP Obligations would require repayment if the Debtors were to refinance those obligations with alternative capital. *Cf.* Decl. of John Luth ¶ 20 [ECF No. 1971] (estimating Tranche B DIP Claims to be at least \$935,000,000 upon emergence).

September 8, 2020 to elect to participate in the DIP. *Id* at 2. The notes held by the Objectors did not participate in the DIP, and therefore the Objectors remain holders of 2023 Notes. The Objectors do not dispute any fact set forth in paragraphs 10-18 *supra*.

21. The Disclosure Statement advised 2023 Noteholders that their claims would be made part of “Class 11 - General Unsecured Avianca Claims,” which claims are impaired and expected to recover only 1.0% of the amount of their claims. Disc. Stmt. at 5, 46-47.

22. The Disclosure Statement advised 2023 Noteholders that “if Class 11 votes to accept the Plan . . . each holder of an Allowed General Unsecured Avianca Claim will also receive its Pro Rata Share of either (x) the Unsecured Claimholder Enhanced Cash Pool or (y) if such holder duly elects to receive the Unsecured Claimholder Equity Packages, the Unsecured Claimholder Enhanced Equity Pool.” Disc. Stmt. at 47.

23. The Plan does not challenge the validity or perfection of the liens securing the 2023 Notes Claims. The Plan treats the 2023 Notes Claims consistent with the priority of the liens securing those claims, as primed by the DIP Facility Claims pursuant to the Final DIP Order and the Final DIP Amendment Order.

ii The Debtors Conducted a Comprehensive Marketing Process.

24. Under the DIP Credit Agreement (as defined herein), the Debtors enjoyed an option, subject to certain conditions, to convert the Tranche B DIP Obligations into equity in Reorganized AVH. *See* DIP Credit Agreement (filed at Ex. G to DIP Motion), Ex. B at B-3; *cf.* DIP Order ¶ 36; Disc. Stmt. at 31. The Tranche B lenders were not obligated to provide any additional new capital to the Debtors in connection with emergence from chapter 11.

25. The Debtors conducted a process in April through June of 2021 (the “Solicitation Process”) to solicit debt or equity investments to refinance either or both tranches of the DIP Facility and to provide additional capital for emergence. *See* Neuhauser Decl. ¶ 11; Tr. at 120:7-

18 (testimony of Mr. Neuhauser); *cf.* Final DIP Amendment Order (approving result of debt solicitation process).

26. The Solicitation Process was rigorous and comprehensive. It was led by the Debtors' management and the Debtors' investment banker and financial advisor, Seabury Securities ("Seabury"), under the supervision of the Independent Equity Committee of the board of directors of Avianca Holdings S.A. and in consultation with Jefferies LLC, the investment banker retained by the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors in these cases. *See* Neuhauser Decl. ¶ 11; *see also* Tr. at 179:16-25. Seabury initially contacted over 125 potentially interested parties on behalf of the Debtors. *See* Neuhauser Decl. ¶ 11. Many were already familiar with the Debtors' business, and over 35 accessed a virtual data room containing comprehensive information on the Debtors' business plan, cash flow projections, and other pertinent materials. *See* Neuhauser Decl. ¶ 11. Many of these potential investors also participated in focused diligence sessions with the Debtors' management team and professional advisors. *See* Neuhauser Decl. ¶ 11.

27. The Solicitation Process did not result in a workable alternative to conversion of the Tranche B DIP Facility Claims into equity in Reorganized AVH on terms negotiated with the holders of the Tranche B DIP Facility Claims. *See* Neuhauser Decl. ¶ 11. In particular, the Solicitation Process did not result in an offer to fund debt and/or equity investments in amounts sufficient to repay the Tranche A and Tranche B DIP Facility Claims. *See* Neuhauser Decl. ¶ 11; Tr. at 111:16-25; 119:10-17; 121:8-24 (testimony of Mr. Neuhauser).

iii The Results of the Solicitation Process Demonstrate That the DIP Facility Claims are Underwater and There Is No Residual Value in the Shared Collateral.

28. To emerge from chapter 11, the Debtors must either (i) pay the Tranche B DIP Facility Claims in full in cash on the Plan's Effective Date, or (ii) equitize the Tranche B DIP Facility Claims pursuant to the terms set forth in the Final DIP Order. Here, the Tranche B DIP

Facility Claims must be equitized; although the Solicitation Process succeeded in refinancing Tranche A and raising \$170 million of incremental liquidity, it did not result in an alternative that would give the Debtors the ability to repay the Tranche B DIP Facility Claims in cash on the Plan's Effective Date. Each of the holders of Tranche B DIP Facility Claims consented to that equitization by executing the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement. *See* Plan § II.D.; Equity Conversion & Commitment Agr., Ex. B to ECF No. 2070. Certain holders of the Tranche B DIP Facility Claims also agreed to dilute themselves (and the other holders of the Tranche B DIP Facility Claims) by providing an additional \$200 million equity financing to the Debtors upon emergence because the Debtors were unable to source that financing elsewhere, including in the debt markets. *See* Tr. at 124:15-17 (“We were able to raise a little bit more senior debt, and we were unable to raise equity or an alternative to equity on better terms than what we had.”).

29. In his declaration, Mr. Neuhauser stated that he “believe[d] that the amount of the DIP Facility Claims exceeds the value of the Shared Collateral.” Neuhauser Decl. ¶ 11.

30. The results of the Solicitation Process demonstrate that the aggregate value of *all* of the Debtors' assets (as encumbered by interests that are senior to both the DIP Facility Claims and the 2023 Notes Claims) is less than the amount of outstanding DIP Facility Claims. *See* Neuhauser Decl. ¶ 11; Tr. at 111:16-25; 119:10-17; 121:8-24 (testimony of Mr. Neuhauser); *see also supra* note 10 (explaining calculation of over \$910,000,000 in Tranche B DIP Facility Claims). In fact, the Plan's valuation of \$800 million¹⁰ for pre-new-money equity that is encumbered by at least \$1,600,000,000 in Tranche A DIP Facility Claims reflects that the value

¹⁰ This valuation is implied by the Tranche B DIP Lenders' new-money investment, as they have committed to invest \$200 million in exchange for approximately 20% of *post*-new money Reorganized AVH Equity. *See* Plan § I.A.222; *Notice of Filing of Plan Supplement* [ECF No. 2276] (the “Plan Supplement”), at Ex. N, Sch. I. It is also implied by the terms of the cash/equity election that was available to holders of General Unsecured Avianca Claims. *See* Plan § I.A.135(a) (definition of “Implied Equity/Warrant Value”).

of equitizing Tranche B DIP Facility Claims (at least \$910,000,000) substantially exceeds the value of all of the Debtors' assets.

31. The Shared Collateral represents only a limited portion of the Debtors' overall asset base. In other words, the value of the Shared Collateral is less than the value of all of the Debtors' assets. Since the value of all of the Debtors' assets is, in turn, less than the value of the DIP Facility Claims, it necessarily follows that the value of the Shared Collateral, measured in light of its use pursuant to the Plan within the Reorganized Debtors' business, is also worth less than the amount of outstanding DIP Facility Claims. Tr. at 116:8-12; 118:2 (testimony of Mr. Neuhauser); Neuhauser Decl. ¶ 11. Accordingly, no residual value of the Shared Collateral remains for the 2023 Notes Claims.

32. Thus, the value of the interest of the holders of 2023 Notes Claims in the Shared Collateral is zero.

b. Conclusions of Law

i The Objectors Cannot Collaterally Attack the Final DIP Order.

33. The Final DIP Order provides that the DIP Facility Claims are senior to the 2023 Notes Claims, and that the DIP Facility Claims must be satisfied first from the Shared Collateral.

34. The Objectors cannot collaterally attack the Final DIP Order¹¹ (or the more recent Final DIP Amendment Order) through a confirmation objection because final orders constitute *res judicata* and the law of the case. The Objectors did not file motions for reconsideration pursuant to Rule 9023 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and did not appeal from the Final DIP Order or the Final DIP Amendment Order. Nor have the Objectors filed separate motions for relief

¹¹ As noted *supra*, the Court earlier in these cases overruled the objections of Mr. Kim, one of the Burlingame Objectors, to the Debtors' Disclosure Statement in part because "Mr. Kim's objections actually deal with prior orders entered by the Court, particularly with respect to the approval of debtor-in-possession financing . . . and security provided to the DIP lenders." See *Memorandum Opinion Approving Third Amended Disclosure Statement, Solicitation Procedures and other Relief* [ECF No. 2135] at 16.

from the Final DIP Order or the Final DIP Amendment Order under Rule 9024 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, and in any event do not come remotely close to showing cause for relief. *Cf.* Fed. R. Bankr. P. 9024 (incorporating Rule 60 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure); Fed. R. Civ. P. 60 (permitting relief “within a reasonable time” for, among other things, “mistake, inadvertence, surprise, [] excusable neglect,” “newly discovered evidence,” “fraud . . . , misrepresentation, [] misconduct,” or a “void” “judgment”). Accordingly, the Final DIP Order and the Final DIP Amendment Order are binding as to all factual and legal matters decided therein. *See* Final DIP Order ¶ 39 (“Immediately upon, and effective as of, entry by the Court, the provisions of this Final Order . . . shall become valid and binding upon the Debtors and the DIP Secured Parties and any and all other creditors of the Debtors, . . . any and all other parties in interest and their respective successors and assigns”). Moreover, pursuant to the Collateral Sharing Agreement, “the Existing Notes Trustee has sole authority to act or refrain from acting with respect to the Shared Collateral, including sole authority to consent to the incurrence of priming liens on the Shared Collateral, and the Non-Applicable Authorized Representatives and the Non-Controlling Secured Parties may not contest or object to such actions.” *See* Final DIP Order ¶ E(iv). As then-Judge Gonzalez explained, the purpose of loan documents providing exclusive authority to a trustee or agent “[r]estricting enforcement to a single agent to engage in unified action for the interests of a group of lenders, based upon a majority vote, avoids chaos and prevents a single lender from being preferred over others.” *In re Chrysler LLC*, 405 B.R. 84, 103 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2009) (citing *In re Enron Corp.*, 302 B.R. 463, 476 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2003); *cf.* *In re Metaldyne Corp.*, 409 B.R. 671, 677–78 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2009) (concluding that “the § 363(b) sale was effected by implementing the clear terms of the loan agreements—specifically, the terms by which (1) the lenders assigned an agent to act on their behalf, (2) the agent was

empowered, upon request from the majority lenders, to direct the trustee to act, and (3) the trustee was empowered, at the direction of the agent, to sell the collateral in the event of a bankruptcy”).

ii The 2023 Notes Claims Are Wholly Unsecured.

35. An allowed claim of a creditor secured by a lien on estate property is a secured claim only to the extent of the value of the creditor’s interest in the estate’s interest in the property. The allowed claim is an unsecured claim to the extent that the value of the creditor’s interest is less than the amount of its allowed claim. 11 U.S.C. § 506(a)(1).

36. The value of a creditor’s interest in property is determined in light of the purpose of the valuation and of the proposed disposition or use of such property. 11 U.S.C. § 506(a)(1).

37. A creditor bears the burden of proof to show the existence and value of its interest, if any, in collateral. *See In re Sneijder*, 407 B.R. 46, 55 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2009) (Glenn, J.) (collecting cases); *cf. In re Heritage Highgate, Inc.*, 679 F.3d 132, 139-140 (3d Cir. 2012) (adopting a burden-shifting approach, under which the secured creditor bears the ultimate burden of persuasion once the debtor has produced “sufficient evidence” that “the collateral is of insufficient value”). Even under the framework of *In re Heritage Highgate*, the Debtors have produced sufficient evidence—namely the declaration and testimony of Mr. Neuhauser regarding the Solicitation Process—that the burden of proof has shifted to the Objectors to prove that the value of the Shared Collateral exceeds the value of the DIP Facility Claims.

38. A robust market test is normally the best indicator of the value of a business or its assets. *See, e.g., In re Boston Generating, LLC*, 440 B.R. 302, 324 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2010) (“Because the Debtors’ sale process was heavily marketed and potential buyers were presented with abundant information, the sale process reflects a true test of value.”); *In re Chemtura Corp.*, 439 B.R. 561, 586–87 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2010).

39. As set forth in the findings of fact above, the Solicitation Process demonstrated that the Tranche B DIP Facility Claims are underwater. The value of the Tranche B DIP Lenders' interest in the DIP Collateral is less than the value of their claims, and the Tranche B DIP Lenders must recover first from the Shared Collateral, which is a subset of the DIP Collateral. Since the 2023 Notes Claims are junior to those Tranche B DIP Facility Claims, it follows that the interest of the 2023 Notes Claims in the Shared Collateral is zero. In other words, the 2023 Notes Claims are wholly unsecured.

40. The Objectors have failed to meet their burden of proof that their interest in the Shared Collateral has any value. In fact, they have not adduced *any* evidence to suggest that the value of the Shared Collateral exceeds the amount of the Tranche A DIP Facility Claims, much less the Tranche A DIP Facility Claims and the Tranche B DIP Facility Claims combined. Furthermore, even if it were the case that the Debtors bore the burden of proof on this question, the Debtors have proven by a preponderance of the evidence that the interest of the holders of 2023 Notes Claims in the Shared Collateral has no value.

iii The 2023 Notes Claims Cannot Receive a Recovery Except on Terms Consistent with the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement.

41. The Objectors would like to receive a recovery on account of their junior interests in the Shared Collateral, even while the senior Tranche B DIP Facility Claims are economically impaired and being equitized completely. The Bankruptcy Code does not permit such a result, except with the consent of each Tranche B DIP Lender.

42. The Tranche B DIP Facility Claims are superpriority administrative claims. *See* Final DIP Order ¶ 7; *cf.* 11 U.S.C. §§ 364(d), 503(a), 507(a)(2). The holders of Tranche B DIP

Facility Claims are thus entitled to payment in full in cash on the Effective Date, unless they consent to different treatment. *See* 11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(9)(A).¹²

43. Because the equitization of the Tranche B DIP Facility Claims depends entirely on the consent of the holders of those claims, no recovery can be provided to any creditor with a junior interest in the DIP Facility's collateral except on terms that are consistent with that consent. Those terms are exactly the terms set forth in the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement and the Plan. *Cf.* Plan § X.A.1. (requiring "all transactions and other documents to effectuate the Restructuring [to] contain terms and conditions consistent in all material respects with the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement"). In short, the Plan's treatment of the 2023 Notes Claims is the only permissible treatment of those claims, so long as the Tranche B DIP Facility Claims are not paid in full in cash. Since the Solicitation Process did not provide a viable path to refinance the Tranche A DIP Facility Claims and pay the Tranche B DIP Facility Claims in full in cash, the 2023 Notes Claims must be treated as entirely unsecured.

iv The 2023 Notes Claims Are Properly Classified as General Unsecured Avianca Claims.

44. Except as provided in section 1122(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, a chapter 11 plan may place a claim in a particular class only if the claim is substantially similar to the other claims that are placed in the same class. *See* 11 U.S.C. § 1122(a).

45. Because the 2023 Notes Claims are wholly unsecured claims, they are classified appropriately with other such claims as General Unsecured Avianca Claims.

¹² The Tranche B DIP Facility Claims were technically "Unimpaired" for purposes of classification. Those Claims were Unimpaired only because each holder had already consented to its treatment by executing the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement, which permits a recovery to unsecured creditors. Economically, however, the Plan's treatment—a complete equitization at a valuation below the amount that the Debtors would be required to pay to settle the Tranche B DIP Facility Claims in cash—severely impairs the Tranche B DIP Facility Claims. Therefore, without the Tranche B DIP Lenders' consent, the Plan's treatment of their claims would flout the mandate of section 1129(a)(9)(A) and would make the Plan patently unconfirmable.

III. SECTION 1129(B) DOES NOT APPLY, AND, IN ANY EVENT, THE PLAN IS “FAIR AND EQUITABLE”

a. Findings of Fact: Class 11 (General Unsecured Avianca Claims) Voted to Accept the Plan.

46. The Burlingame Objectors claim that “[t]he Debtors did not exercise ‘fair and equitable’ judgement [sic] to the holders of the 2023 Notes.” *See* Burlingame Objection at 10–11.

47. The Baruch Objectors claim that the Plan: (i) “violates the absolute priority rule and is unfair and inequitable” and (ii) “unfairly discriminates against the Creditors and other 2023 Noteholders.” *See* Baruch Objection ¶¶ 35,43.

48. Under the Plan, 2023 Notes Claims are classified in Class 11 (General Unsecured Avianca Claims). *See* Plan, Art. I.A.112.

49. As set forth in the Voting Certification, holders of Claims in Class 11 (General Unsecured Avianca Claims) holding approximately 98.96% in amount and approximately 92.09% in number of General Unsecured Avianca Claims that cast votes on the Plan, voted to accept the Plan. *See* Voting Certification, Ex. A.

50. As further set forth in the Voting Certification, holders of 2023 Notes Claims holding approximately 77.49% in amount and approximately 83.73% in number of 2023 Notes Claims that cast votes on the Plan, voted to accept the Plan.

b. Conclusions of Law: The “Fair and Equitable” and “Unfair Discrimination” Tests Under Section 1129(b) Do Not Apply.

51. Class 11 (General Unsecured Avianca Claims) voted to accept the Plan pursuant to section 1126(c) of the Bankruptcy Code because the Plan was accepted by holders of at least two-

thirds in amount and more than one-half in number of the Claims in Class 11 that cast votes on the Plan. *See* 11 U.S.C. § 1126(c).

52. The “fair and equitable” and “unfair discrimination” tests under section 1129(b) must only be satisfied “with respect to each class of claims or interests that is impaired under, and has not accepted, the plan.” *Id.* § 1129(b)(1).

53. Because Class 11 (General Unsecured Avianca Claims) voted to accept the Plan, the Debtors are not required to satisfy the requirements of section 1129(b), including the “fair and equitable” and “unfair discrimination” tests, with respect to Class 11, which includes 2023 Notes Claims. *See In re Aegeion Pharm., Inc.*, 605 B.R. 22, 33 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2019) (Glenn, J.) (finding that an “impaired class . . . has accepted the plan, so section 1129(b)(1) does not apply” with respect to such class); *In re Breitburn Energy Partners LP*, 582 B.R. 321, 357 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2018) (finding that a creditor cannot raise an objection to a plan under the “fair and equitable” and “unfair discrimination” tests under section 1129(b) if such creditor’s class “accepted the [p]lan” because “the cram down provisions under 11 U.S.C. § 1129(b) do not apply to his class”); *see also In re Tribune Co.*, 972 F.3d 228, 242 (3d Cir. 2020) (holding that “a disapproving creditor within a class that approves a plan cannot claim unfair discrimination”); *In re W.R. Grace & Co.*, 475 B.R. 34, 175 (Bankr. D. Del. 2012) (“[T]he fair and equitable requirements of § 1129(b) do not apply here because the impaired classes and interests in this case all voted to accept the Plan.”).

54. Because the Debtors are not required to satisfy the “fair and equitable” test under section 1129(b) with respect to Class 11, holders of Claims in Class 11 (including 2023 Notes Claims) may not raise arguments with respect to the “absolute priority rule.” *See Motorola Inc. v. Official Comm. of Unsecured Creditors (In re Iridium Operating LLC)*, 478 F.3d 452, 462–63 (2d

Cir. 2007) (holding that the “fair and equitable” test under section 1129(b) “codifies the judge-made ‘absolute priority rule’”); *In re Armstrong World Indus., Inc.*, 432 F.3d 507, 512 (3d Cir. 2005) (“[T]he ‘fair and equitable’ requirement for a cram down . . . invokes the absolute priority rule. . . . The absolute priority rule was later codified as part of the ‘fair and equitable’ requirement of 11 U.S.C. § 1129(b).”); *see also Official Comm. of Equity Sec. Holders v. Official Comm. of Unsecured Creditors (In re Adelphia Commc’ns Corp.)*, 544 F.3d 420, 426 (2d Cir. 2008) (Sotomayor, J.) (“[A] plan need not satisfy the Absolute Priority Rule so long as any class adversely affected by the variation accepts the plan.”).

55. Even if 2023 Notes Claims had been separately classified under the Plan, holders of 2023 Notes Claims nevertheless are prohibited from objecting on the basis that the Plan does not satisfy the “fair and equitable” and “unfair discrimination” tests under section 1129(b) because the Plan was accepted by holders of at least two-thirds in amount and more than one-half in number of 2023 Notes Claims that cast votes on the Plan pursuant to section 1126(c), *see* 11 U.S.C. § 1126(c). Thus, the Debtors would not be required to satisfy the requirements of section 1129(b) with respect to such accepting class of 2023 Notes Claims, *see Aegerion*, 605 B.R. at 33; *Breitburn*, 582 B.R. at 357.

c. Findings of Fact: The Plan Does Not Allow Classes Junior to the 2023 Notes Claims to Receive or Retain Value.

56. The Plan does not allow any holders of Subordinated Claims, Existing AVH Non-Voting Equity Interests, Existing AVH Common Equity Interests, or Other Existing Equity Interests to receive or retain any property of value. *See* Plan §§ III.B.16, .18, .19, .22.¹³

¹³ Pursuant to the transaction steps set forth in the Plan Supplement, holders of interests in Classes 18 and 19 will retain their formal interests in Avianca Holdings S.A. *See* Exhibit A to Plan Supplement (ECF Nos. 2185, 2276). However, these interests will no longer have any value whatsoever because all of the Avianca operating subsidiaries and the separate property of Avianca Holdings S.A. (such as separate contract rights and intellectual property) will be transferred to Reorganized AVH. Furthermore, no Objector has asserted that the treatment of these Classes, which is economically equivalent to complete extinguishment, is contrary to the absolute priority rule.

d. Conclusions of Law: The Plan is Fair and Equitable as to the 2023 Notes Claims.

57. A chapter 11 plan is “fair and equitable” as to an impaired rejecting class of unsecured claims when, among other things, the plan does not allow any holder of a junior claim or interest to receive or retain any property. *See* 11 U.S.C. § 1129(b)(1), (2)(B)(ii).

58. As set forth above, the Plan does not impermissibly allow any holders of Subordinated Claims, Existing AVH Non-Voting Equity Interests, Existing AVH Common Equity Interests, or Other Existing Equity Interests to receive or retain any property of more than *de minimis* value. Accordingly, the treatment of those Classes is fair and equitable as to the holders of 2023 Notes Claims.

59. The Plan does allow holders of Existing Avifreight Equity Interests or Existing SAI Equity Interests to retain their Interests, and Aerounión has no direct third-party equity holders. 2023 Noteholders have no claims against Avifreight, SAI, or Aerounión, however, aside from the indirect interest that every other unsecured creditor holds through the Avianca Debtors’ equity stakes in those entities. Accordingly, the “fair and equitable” standard is not applicable as to those Classes relative to the holders of 2023 Notes Claims.

IV. THE PLAN IS IN THE BEST INTERESTS OF HOLDERS OF THE 2023 NOTES CLAIMS

a. Findings of Fact: Each Holder of 2023 Notes Claims Will Receive Greater Value under the Plan than in a Hypothetical Liquidation.

60. In a hypothetical liquidation under chapter 7, the DIP Facility Claims would receive approximately 71% recovery while the 2023 Notes Claims would receive zero recovery. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 15; Disc. Stmt., Ex. C, at C-4 (note 17 and chart).

61. The 2023 Notes Claims will receive greater than zero recovery under the Plan. *See* Plan ¶ III.B.11.

b. Conclusions of Law: The Plan Is In the Best Interests of Holders of the 2023 Notes Claims.

62. Section 1129(a)(7) sets forth the “best interests” test: with respect to each impaired class of claims, each non-accepting holder of a claim in that class must receive or retain under the plan on account of such claim property of a value, as of the effective date of the plan, that is not less than the amount that such holder would receive or retain if the debtor were liquidated under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code on the effective date. 11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(7).

63. Holders of 2023 Notes Claims would receive zero recovery in a hypothetical liquidation under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code, but receive some recovery under the Plan. Accordingly, the Plan satisfies the “best interests” test of section 1129(a)(7).

V. THE PLAN PROVIDES FOR APPROPRIATE SUBSTANTIVE CONSOLIDATION OF THE AVIANCA DEBTORS

a. Findings of Fact

64. The Plan proposes to substantively consolidate all of the Debtor entities except for Aerounión, Avifreight, and SAI.

65. The Baruch Objectors argue that substantive consolidation is not appropriate. *See* Baruch Objection ¶ 28.

66. Both the Burlingame Objectors and the Baruch Objectors assert that partial substantive consolidation of the Debtors is unfair to certain creditors. *See* Burlingame Objection at 13–16; Baruch Objection ¶¶ 32–33.

67. Substantive consolidation of the Debtors with one another—except for Aerounión, Avifreight, and SAI—for the purposes of the Plan is appropriate because (a) the Avianca Debtors operate in a consolidated manner such that the operations of the Avianca Debtors are hopelessly entangled and (b) creditors deal with the Avianca Debtors as one network. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶¶ 17–18.

i The Avianca Debtors are Hopelessly Entangled.

68. The Avianca Debtors' operations are tightly integrated, such that untangling each Avianca Debtor's separate operations would be difficult, time-consuming, and expensive. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 18; *see also* Tr. at 140:12-141:3; 148:1-3; 153:11-154:8; 155:6-10; 157:10-158:2; 158:18-25; 160:17-20; 161:9-21; 161:21-162:7 (testimony of Ms. Hughes).

69. The Avianca Debtors utilize a centralized cash management system, whereby Avianca Holdings S.A. (an Avianca Debtor) manages cash for the other Avianca Debtors. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 18.

70. Avianca Holdings S.A. and other Avianca Debtors provide intercompany loans and other advanced capitalization to the other Avianca Debtors as necessary. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 18.

71. Employees across the Avianca Debtors perform work for all of the Avianca Debtors, regardless of which country or Debtor in which the employees sit. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 18.

72. In many cases and except as limited by local regulation, the Avianca Debtors share many of the same officers, directors, and shareholders, including Chief Executive Officer, Chief Operating Officer, Chief People Officer, Chief Planning Officer, General Counsel, Chief Information Officer, and Chief Commercial Officer. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 18.

73. The Avianca Debtors share the same legal, marketing, and HR resources, all of which are provided by Avianca Holdings S.A. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 18.

74. All Avianca Debtors share a headquarters. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 18.

75. It is common for the Avianca Debtors to give cross-entity guarantees when requested by another Avianca Debtor, further linking the Avianca Debtors. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 19.

76. Untangling the operations of the Avianca Debtors would be an extremely time-consuming process. *See* Tr. at 158:18-25 (testimony of Ms. Hughes) (“ . . . I mean, I can't even

fathom how long it would take, with my – you know, based on my experience and knowing the way the – the airlines operate.”). Separating out the books and records of the different entities would take years and would cost millions of dollars. *See* Tr. at 160:17-20 (testimony of Ms. Hughes) (“ . . . I’ve been doing this for a very long time, and I can’t imagine how [untangling the Avianca Debtors] would be done, and it would take millions of dollars and 20 years to accomplish. . . .”).

77. Ms. Hughes, the Debtors’ financial advisor, testified that the accounting processes and entanglement thereof at the Avianca Debtors are the most complex she has seen in her 30-year career. Tr. at 143:13-24 (testimony of Ms. Hughes) (“ . . . I’ll tell you I’ve never seen [financial statements and general ledgers of airlines] this complex as Avianca Holdings by a longshot. . . .”).

78. Even assuming the operations of the Avianca Debtors could be untangled, any such process would provide little, if any, benefit to any stakeholder. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 20. No holder of a general unsecured claim against the Debtors would receive materially superior recoveries if the Avianca Debtors were each required to propose separate plans of reorganization or liquidation. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 20. This is because the value of the Avianca Debtors is maximized by the sum of the parts of the Avianca Debtors; as separate entities, the Avianca Debtors have materially less value. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 20.

79. The Avianca Debtors run a single network across all of their airline operations. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 20. Airline values are heavily correlated to the breadth of the network, as the customer proposition that drives loyalty and higher yield traffic is increased with the breadth and quality of the network offering. *Id.*

80. The Global Plan Settlement is predicated on substantive consolidation of the Avianca Debtors. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 17. Without the conversion and those additional capital

contributions, the value of distributions (if any) to holders of general unsecured claims against the Debtors would likely be significantly less than the value of the distributions set forth in the Plan. *Id.* Liquidation would also be a genuine risk. The DIP Facility's maturity date is approaching on March 31, 2022, *see* Mot. for Entry of Final DIP Amendment Order [ECF No. 1972] at 12, and there is no reason to believe that the Debtors could negotiate, propose, solicit, obtain confirmation of, and implement a superior plan of reorganization by that date.

81. The Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors in these cases also supports the proposed substantive consolidation of the Avianca Debtors. *See Joinder and Statement of the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors in Support of the Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Avianca Holdings S.A. and its Affiliated Debtors* [ECF No. 2265] ¶¶ 3, 8–11; Tr. at 82:4-20.

ii Creditors View the Avianca Debtors as One-Integrated Entity.

82. The Avianca Debtors hold themselves out to customers and creditors as one “Avianca.” *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 18. And the creditors of the Avianca Debtors dealt and continue to deal with the Avianca Debtors on a single, consolidated basis. *See generally* Tr. at 144:5-19, 153:16-154:8, 155:6-10, 157:18-158:2, 158:3-6 (testimony of Ms. Hughes) (verifying that the Avianca Debtors hold themselves out as all part of the Avianca network).

83. Creditors generally view the Avianca Debtors as one “Avianca” brand. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 18.

84. Most of the Avianca Debtors' funded debt is subject to guarantees by many of the Avianca Debtors, such that many of the Avianca Debtors are jointly and severally liable for the debt of other Avianca Debtors. *See generally* Tr. at 158:7-159:23 (testimony of Ms. Hughes).

85. The 2023 Notes, which were issued by Avianca Holdings S.A., are guaranteed by major operating subsidiaries of Avianca Holdings S.A., including, among others, Aerovías del

Continente Americano S.A. Avianca, Avianca Costa Rica S.A., Taca International Airlines S.A., Avianca Ecuador S.A., Tampa Cargo S.A.S., and Aviateca S.A. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 19.

86. Substantive consolidation of the Avianca Debtors will also therefore eliminate a significant number of general unsecured claims against the Debtors based on guarantees provided by an Avianca Debtor.

iii Aerounión, SAI, and Avifreight Do Not Meet the Standard for Substantive Consolidation with the Avianca Debtors.

87. The Objectors claim that, to the extent substantive consolidation is appropriate at all, it should include the three entities currently excluded from the substantive consolidation that is part of the Global Plan Settlement. *See* Baruch Objection ¶ 32; Burlingame Objection at 13–16.

88. SAI, Aerounión, and Avifreight are not hopelessly entangled with the Avianca Debtors, and instead maintain operations separate from the Avianca Debtors. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 23.

89. Unlike the Avianca Debtors, SAI, Aerounión, and Avifreight are not marketed by the Debtors as falling under the “Avianca” brand. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 23.

90. SAI is a ground-handling services provider in Colombian airports for Avianca, as well as for other airline customers. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 24.

91. SAI maintains separate accounting and treasury systems from the Avianca Debtors, and the Avianca Debtors cannot access those systems. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 24; Tr. at 138:3-10 (testimony of Ms. Hughes) (explaining that the centralized cash management system “excludes” SAI, Aerounión, and Avifreight).

92. SAI has a distinct management team and maintains separate operational and financial systems from those of the Avianca Debtors. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 24.

93. Because the Avianca Debtors are SAI's largest customer, it is "not marketing [itself] to Avianca as Avianca-controlled because Avianca [i]s [its] customer" and thus "from a customer proposition perspective, [SAI is] quite separate." Tr. at 155:11-25 (testimony of Ms. Hughes).

94. SAI also has a separate headquarters than that of the Avianca Debtors. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 24.

95. Because SAI is distinct and operationally separate from the Avianca Debtors, it is not entangled with the Avianca Debtors. Tr. at 155:1-5 (testimony of Ms. Hughes) ("And in SAI, again, you know, it was an acquired entity. It is run and maintained completely separate and has a management team that's separate and books and records that are separate. It's actually quite easy – I mean, it's already separate. It's not hard to separate. It already is separate.").

96. Aerounión is an airline in Mexico and runs independently from the Avianca Debtors under Mexican foreign investment regulations. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 25; Tr. at 144:7-8 (testimony of Ms. Hughes) ("Aerounión, its business is run completely separate.").

97. Aerounión maintains separate accounting and treasury systems from the Avianca Debtors, which the Avianca Debtors cannot access. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 25.

98. Aerounión has a distinct management team and maintains separate operational and financial systems from those of the Avianca Debtors. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 25; Tr. at 154:18-20 (testimony of Ms. Hughes) ("Aerounión runs its own business, has its own set of books and records, has its own set of customers. They – they – they run an independent business.").

99. Aerounión has a headquarters separate from that of the Avianca Debtors. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 25. Indeed, Aerounión does not use or fall under the "Avianca" brand. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 23.

100. These separate operations also manifest in creditors a perception that that Aerounión is not part of the Avianca brand. *Id.* The creditor initially refused to speak with Avianca's financial advisor, citing a belief that Avianca and Aerounión were not related entities. Tr. at 156:7-18 (testimony of Ms. Hughes).

101. Because Aerounión is distinct and operationally separate from the Avianca Debtors, its books and records are not entangled with the Avianca Debtors. Tr. at 154:12-13 (testimony of Ms. Hughes).

102. Avifreight was established with the sole purpose of complying with Mexican foreign investment regulations for foreign ownership of Aerounión. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 26; Tr. at 133:19-23; 136:13-18 (testimony of Ms. Hughes).

103. Avifreight is a holding company separately controlled and operated from the Avianca Debtors. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 26; Tr. at 133:15-18 (testimony of Ms. Hughes).

104. Avifreight maintains separate books and records. *See* Tr. at 142:14-17 (testimony of Ms. Hughes).

105. Because Avifreight is only a holding company for Aerounión, and has no creditors and no operations, it is not entangled with the Avianca Debtors. Tr. at 154:12-13, 154:21-25, 156:19-23 (testimony of Ms. Hughes).

iv The 2023 Noteholders are Not Impacted by the Exclusion of SAI, Aerounión, and/or Avifreight from Substantive Consolidation.

106. Creditors of the Avianca Debtors, including the 2023 Noteholders, are not materially impacted by the exclusion of SAI, Aerounión, and/or Avifreight from the Avianca Debtors. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 27.

107. None of SAI, Aerounión, or Avifreight are guarantors of the 2023 Notes. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 27.

108. Nor have the Burlingame Objectors or the Baruch Objectors asserted that the 2023 Notes have a lien on the assets or equity of SAI, Aerounión, or Avifreight.

109. Indeed, the Shared Collateral does not have liens on the equity of SAI, Aerounión, or Avifreight.

110. Nevertheless, the residual equity value of SAI, Aerounión, and Avifreight are augmenting the recoveries of the Avianca Debtors' creditors, including the holders of the 2023 Notes. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 27.

111. This is because one of the Avianca Debtors is a 90% shareholder in SAI, and thus the residual equity value of SAI flows to the Avianca Debtors as a benefit to the Debtors' estate and its creditors. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 27.

112. Similarly, 92% of the economic benefit in Aerounión flows to the Avianca Debtors for a benefit to the Debtors' estates and creditors, through the Avianca Debtors' interest in Avifreight. *See* Hughes Decl. ¶ 27; Tr. at 136:19-25, 137:1-3 (testimony of Ms. Hughes).

b. Conclusions of Law

i Substantive Consolidation of the Avianca Debtors is Appropriate.

113. Courts may exercise their equitable powers to substantively consolidate the assets and liabilities of two or more debtors for the purpose of creating a single common pool of assets from which creditors may seek recovery on their claims. *See Union Sav. Bank v. Augie/Restivo Baking Co. (In re Augie/Restivo Baking Co.)*, 860 F.2d 515, 518 (2d Cir. 1988) ("Augie/Restivo") ("Substantive consolidation has no express statutory basis but is a product of judicial gloss."); *In re Drexel Burnham Lambert Grp., Inc.*, 138 B.R. 723, 764 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 1992); *see also In re Donut Queen, Ltd.*, 41 B.R. 706, 708–09 (Bankr. E.D.N.Y. 1984) (holding that the power of the court to substantively consolidate separate corporate debtors arises from section 105(a) of the Bankruptcy Code).

114. In the Second Circuit, courts apply the so-called *Augie/Restivo* test when assessing the propriety of substantive consolidation. Under this test, a court may order substantive consolidation over the objection of a party in interest only when the proponent of substantive consolidation establishes one of the following two independent bases:¹⁴

- (i) the affairs of the debtor entities proposed to be consolidated are so entangled that substantive consolidation will benefit all creditors of the consolidated estate (“Hopeless Entanglement”); *or*
- (ii) creditors dealt with the debtor entities proposed to be substantively consolidated as a single economic unit and did not rely on their separate identities in extending credit (“Creditor Reliance”).

Augie/Restivo, 860 F.2d at 518.

115. Courts have significant discretion to consider various factors, which can be used for both the Creditor Reliance and Hopeless Entanglement prongs of the test,¹⁵ when determining whether substantive consolidation is appropriate. Those factors include (but are not limited to):

- the existence of operational entanglement;¹⁶
- the existence of guarantees and intercompany loans;¹⁷

¹⁴ “Conceivably, substantive consolidation could be warranted on either ground; the Second Circuit’s use of the conjunction ‘or’ suggests that the two cited factors are alternatively sufficient criteria.” *In re 599 Consumer Elecs., Inc.*, 195 B.R. 244, 248 (S.D.N.Y. 1996).

¹⁵ *See, e.g., In re Republic Airways Holdings Inc.*, 565 B.R. 710, 719-22 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2017), *aff’d*, 582 B.R. 278 (S.D.N.Y. 2018); *In re Extended Stay, Inc.*, 2020 Bankr. LEXIS 2128, *139–40 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. Aug 8, 2020) (listing factors).

¹⁶ *See, e.g., In re Drexel Burnham Lambert Grp., Inc.*, 138 B.R. 723, 741 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 1992) (approving substantive consolidation where all support functions, including finance, legal, administrative, operations clearing systems, communications, mailroom, internal audit and external audit were provided by one debtor entity); *In re Republic Airways Holdings, Inc.*, 565 B.R. at 717; *In re WorldCom, Inc.*, 2003 WL 23861928, at *37 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. Oct. 31, 2003) (noting debtors “operate a single business under a single business plan” and finding that the debtors demonstrated operational and financial entanglement of their business affairs, warranting substantive consolidation).

¹⁷ *See, e.g., In re Drexel Burnham Lambert Grp., Inc.*, 138 B.R. at 741-45, 761-767 (approving substantive consolidation and noting it was “customary for customers, creditors, and counterparties to seek guarantees of DBL Group.”); *In re Republic Airways Holdings, Inc.*, 565 B.R. at 719 (finding significant overlap in creditor pools due to intercompany guarantees to be a factor in favor of consolidation).

- public perception of the debtors;¹⁸
- shared cash management systems and intercompany transfers;¹⁹
- shared decision-making and control processes;²⁰ and
- whether substantive consolidation would facilitate a timely confirmation of the debtors' plan and aid the debtors' rehabilitation.²¹

116. In airline-bankruptcy cases, requests for substantive consolidation have been granted when sought. Indeed, in the six airline bankruptcy cases in the Second Circuit where debtors sought substantive consolidation, the relevant court awarded the remedy each time. *See e.g., In re Republic Airways Holdings Inc.*, 565 B.R. at 732 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2017); Transcript of Evidentiary Hearing Motion by Debtor for Substantive Consolidation of Consolidated Debtors Before the Honorable Allan L. Gropper at 99:18-24, *In re Nw. Airlines Corp.*, No. 05-17930, ECF No. 6927 (the “Northwest Airlines Hearing Transcript”).²²

¹⁸ *See, e.g., In re Drexel Burnham Lambert Grp., Inc.*, 138 B.R. at 744 (noting that debtor entities to be consolidated “did not advertise in their own names and did not hold themselves out to the public as independent entities”); *In re Republic Airways Holdings Inc.*, 565 B.R. 710, 720 (approving substantive consolidation and pointing to testimony of debtor’s CEO stating: “We don’t hold ourselves out as Shuttle America or Chautauqua or Republic, the airline, or Republic Holdings on our website. We just hold ourselves out as Republic.”).

¹⁹ *See, e.g., In re Republic Airways Holdings, Inc.*, 565 B.R. at 719 (noting debtors use of the same cash management system in approving substantive consolidation).

²⁰ *See, e.g., In re Republic Airways Holdings, Inc.*, 565 B.R. at 716-17 (citing *In re WorldCom, Inc.*, 2003 WL 23861928, at *35) (noting that a factor favoring substantive consolidation is the “common management and control of the Debtors”); *In re Drexel Burnham Lambert Grp., Inc.*, 138 B.R. at 764 (noting “the directors of the subsidiary not acting independently in the interest of the subsidiary, but taking direction from the parent” as a factor in considering whether consolidation is warranted).

²¹ *See, e.g., In re Republic Airways Holdings Inc.*, 565 B.R. at 721 (finding substantive consolidation appropriate where a delayed confirmation would adversely affect pilot hiring and lead to underperformance, which would lead to diminished unsecured creditor recoveries); *In re Drexel Burnham Lambert Grp., Inc.*, 138 B.R. at 767 (“Without the consolidation, no reorganized entity will emerge, thus thwarting a primary goal of the Bankruptcy Code—rehabilitation and reorganization.”).

²² *See also* Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Order Pursuant to Sections 1129(a) and (b) of the Bankruptcy Code and Rule 3020 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure Confirming Debtors’ Fourth Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan at 17, *In re: AMR Corp.*, No. 11-15463 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. Oct. 22, 2013), ECF No. 10367 (confirming a chapter 11 plan premised on limited and separate substantive consolidation of (i) the AMR Debtors with one another, (ii) the American Debtors with one another, and (iii) the Eagle Debtors with one another); Order Confirming Debtors’ Joint Plan of Reorganization Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code at 18, *In re: Delta Air Lines, Inc.*, No. 05-17923 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. Apr. 25, 2007), ECF No. 5998 (confirming a chapter 11 plan premised on the limited and separate consolidation of (i) the estates of the Delta debtors with one another and (ii) the estates of the Comair debtors with one another, for voting, confirmation, and distribution purposes); Order Confirming Debtors’ Joint Plan of Reorganization Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code at 13, 17, *In*

117. In two of these airline-bankruptcy cases, the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York permitted substantive consolidation over the objection of creditors. *See In re Republic Airways Holdings, Inc.*, 565 B.R. at 732 (“For the reasons stated above, the Court finds that the Debtors have satisfied the standard for substantive consolidation and overrules the Residco Objection.”); Northwest Airlines Hearing Transcript at 95:4-7; 100:15-20 (“Only one creditor has objected, the same creditor that is a leader of a group of shareholders who are trying to derail the plan on the ground that it fails to provide any value to shareholders. . . . As the debtors argue, it is not sufficient to deny substantive consolidation in light of the debtors’ adequate showing that consolidation is appropriate within the meaning of *Augie/Restivo*, in that the affairs of the debtors are entangled and consolidation will benefit all creditors.”).

118. In *Republic Airways*, the debtor requested that the Court substantively consolidate three companies—Republic Airways Holdings Inc., Republic Airline, and Republic Airways Services, Inc.—out of a total of six debtor entities. *See* Debtors’ Memorandum of Law in Support of Confirmation of Debtors’ Second Amended Joint Plan of Reorganization Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code and in Reply to Responses to the Plan at 16, *In re Republic Airways Holdings Inc.*, No. 16-10429 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. Mar. 1, 2017), ECF No. 1557. The debtors’ plan of reorganization sought to consolidate these three entities for all purposes and actions associated with consummation of the plan, voting, and confirmation. *Id.* at 17; *In re Republic Airways Holdings, Inc.*, 565 B.R. at 715.

re: Pinnacle Airlines Corp., No. 12-11343 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. Apr. 17, 2013), ECF No. 1157 (confirming a chapter 11 plan where the debtors’ estates were substantively consolidated for voting, confirmation, and distribution purposes); Order Confirming Debtors’ Joint Plan of Reorganization Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code at 13, 17, *In re: Frontier Airlines Holdings, Inc.*, No. 08-11298 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. Sept. 10, 2009), ECF No. 1069 (same).

119. In *Republic Airways*, the objectors to the proposed substantive consolidation were the owner-trustee and owner-participant (together, “Residco”) for seven aircraft leases with the Debtors. See *In re Republic Airways Holdings, Inc.*, 565 B.R. at 712. Residco objected to many aspects of substantive consolidation under the Republic-debtors’ plan, including that Residco relied on the corporate separateness of the debtor entities when entering its transactions, and that the debtor entities were able to separate their assets and liabilities. *Id.* at 713, 715, 723.

120. Judge Sean H. Lane ultimately overruled Residco’s objections and approved the debtors’ proposed substantive consolidation. *Id.* at 732. In analyzing myriad factors, the Court found that both *Augie/Restivo* prongs were satisfied by the Republic-debtors. *Id.* at 718–19. The court highlighted the following facts as supporting the proposed consolidation: the consolidated debtors operate as a single economic unit; the consolidated debtors operate under a single business plan; none of the consolidated debtors ever received a credit rating independently from another consolidated debtor; analyst reports routinely discussed the debtors as a unified enterprise; the consolidated debtors share the same overhead, management, accounting, and other back-office functions; there were significant intercompany obligations, there were significant overlaps in the creditor pools due to guarantees; the consolidated debtors issue consolidated financial statements; the consolidated debtors were jointly controlled from a shared headquarters; the consolidated debtors did not have separate budgets and use the same cash management system; the consolidated debtors filed a consolidated tax return; the debtors were concerned about the cost of conducting an intercompany reconciliation and audit; significant additional time and expense would be necessary to untangle the assets of the consolidated debtors; and there were potential business risks arising out of a longer stay in Chapter 11. *Id.* Further, the court rejected Residco’s argument that it would be harmed by substantive consolidation because the debtors proposed a “carve-out,” under which

Residco could be treated under the plan as if substantive consolidation had not occurred. *Id.* at 726–29.

121. In *Northwest Airlines*, the debtors requested that the Court substantively consolidate three passive holding companies with the operating airline, separately from 10 other Northwest-debtor entities. *See* Debtors’ Motion for Substantive Consolidation of Consolidated Debtors at 2, *In re Nw. Airlines Corp.*, No. 05-17930 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. April 27, 2007), ECF No. 6477. In support of the *Augie/Restivo* factors, the Northwest-debtors explained that the proposed consolidation would not cause substantial injury to any creditor. *Id.* Particularly, holders of guaranty claims against a consolidated entity would receive an additional distribution that equaled the distribution it would have received under separate plans, and if there would be any dilution for holders of general unsecured claims, that dilution would be both *de minimis* and offset by the benefits of consolidation. *Id.* at 2-3.

122. The sole objector to the proposed substantive consolidation, Owl Creek Asset Management, L.P. (“Owl Creek”), was a shareholder and a creditor of the debtors, holding \$54,200,000 in face amount of senior notes issued by Northwest Airlines Inc. and guaranteed by Northwest Airlines Corporation, and in some instances also by Northwest Holdings Corporation (all of which were proposed to be consolidated). *See* Objection of Owl Creek Asset Management, L.P. to Debtors’ Motion for Substantive Consolidation of Consolidated Debtors at 2, *In re Nw. Airlines Corp.*, No. 05-17930 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. May 5, 2007), ECF No. 6596. Owl Creek objected to many aspects of the debtors’ proposed substantive consolidation, including noting that the debtors were able to file separate statements of financial affairs for each debtor entity (*id.* at 18), that the debtors were able to trace their assets and track the amounts paid to and from each affiliated

participant in the centralized cash management system (*id.*), and that the issuer of the notes and guarantors were separate entities (*id.* at 15).

123. At an evidentiary hearing, Judge Gropper overruled Owl Creeks’ objections and approved the debtors’ proposed substantive consolidation.²³ See Northwest Airlines Hearing Transcript at 101:17-21. In his oral decision, Judge Gropper stated:

There is no dispute that substantive consolidation would benefit shareholders because it would admittedly eliminate the need to deal with thousands of duplicate claims, to disentangle records and accounts of the debtors; that it would reduce administrative expenses, provide material tax benefits to the group, and other produce more value for the entire creditor body and, if there is anything left, for the shareholders.

Id. at 95:8-15. Judge Gropper further ruled that, contrary to Owl Creek’s suggestion, the existence of cross-entity guarantees pointed to the existence of one single economic unit. *Id.* at 96:15-23. Judge Gropper recognized that “[t]he great majority of creditors and shareholders relied on the four debtors as a group, and the affairs of the holdings companies and the airline are inextricably intertwined. It would do no party any good to require that they be untangled.” *Id.* at 100:21-25.

124. The Avianca Debtors easily satisfy the standards of substantive consolidation. The Avianca Debtors have established that they are hopelessly entangled, among other reasons, because the Avianca Debtors: operate as a single economic unit; share the same back-office functions (such as legal, marketing, and HR resources); share numerous employees, officers, directors, and shareholders; share significant overlaps in the creditors pools due to various cross-entity guarantees; share a headquarters; and utilize a centralized cash management system. *In re Republic Airways Holdings, Inc.*, 565 B.R. at 18–19. Further, the Avianca Debtors have tightly integrated operations such that untangling them would be extremely difficult, expensive, and time-

²³ Judge Gropper then directed the parties to “settle an order providing for substantive consolidation.” Northwest Airlines Hearing Transcript at 101:20-21.

consuming. *In re Worldcom, Inc.*, 2003 WL 23861928 at *36 (“To prevail on substantive consolidation, the Debtors are not required to prove that an allocation of assets and liabilities to the various legal entities cannot be achieved under any circumstances. Rather, it is sufficient to demonstrate that it would be so costly and difficult to untangle the Debtors’ financial affairs, such that doing so is a ‘practical impossibility,’ making substantive consolidation appropriate.”); *Chem. Bank New York Trust Co. v. Kheel (In re Seatrade Corp.)*, 369 F.2d 845, 848 (2d Cir.1966) (ordering substantive consolidation because of “expense and difficulty amounting to *practical impossibility* of reconstructing the financial records of the debtors to determine intercorporate claims, liabilities and ownership of assets”) (emphasis added).

125. Further, the Debtors have established that creditors relied on the Avianca Debtors as one corporate enterprise because they hold themselves out to customers and creditors as one “Avianca,” most of the Avianca Debtors’ funded debt is subject to guarantees by many of the Avianca Debtors, and creditors of the Avianca Debtors dealt and continue to deal with the Avianca Debtors on a single, consolidated basis. Like the majority of creditors of the consolidated debtors in *Northwest Airways*, the majority of creditors of the Avianca Debtors rely on the fact that the Avianca Debtors are “inextricably intertwined” such that “[i]t would do no party any good to require that they be untangled.” *See, e.g.*, Northwest Airlines Hearing Transcript at 101:21-25.

126. Further, the Debtors have established that Avifreight, Aerounión, and SAI are not properly subject to substantive consolidation. Unlike the Avianca Debtors, Aerounión and SAI are not hopelessly entangled. Indeed, they maintain their own operations and their own treasury systems and management teams. Because their operations are already separate, there is no difficulty in disentangling them from the Avianca Debtors. Further, Avifreight is not difficult to disentangle because it has no creditors and exists only as a holding company for Aerounión. Thus,

Avifreight, Aerounión, and SAI do not meet either justification of Hopeless Entanglement or Creditor Reliance for purposes of substantive consolidation.

VI. THE ALLEGED VIOLATION OF SECTION 548 IS IRRELEVANT AND MERITLESS

a. Findings of Fact

127. The Burlingame Objectors argue that the Debtors violated section 548 of the Bankruptcy Code by making “certain payments and transfers to affiliates less than one year prior to filing of its chapter 11.” Burlingame Objection at 13. The allegation cites, without detail, the *Amended Statement of Financial Affairs of Avianca Holdings S.A.* [ECF No. 1668], filed by the Debtors on May 11, 2021.

128. The Burlingame Objectors refer to certain prepetition “insurance payments” but otherwise do not identify each of the transfers (including the individual recipients, dates, and/or amounts involved) that form the basis of their claim.

129. No evidence has been presented that any Debtor received less than reasonably equivalent value for any transfers made, to affiliates or otherwise, during the prepetition period.

130. No evidence has been presented that any Debtor intended to hinder, delay, or defraud any creditors with respect to any transfers made to affiliates or otherwise, during the prepetition period.

131. No evidence has been offered to suggest that at any time during these Chapter 11 Cases, either the Burlingame Objectors or any other party-in-interest requested that the Debtors pursue an action under section 548 of the Bankruptcy Code. Indeed, the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors in these cases reviewed the prepetition insurance payments and other prepetition transactions, *see* 10/14/20 Hr’g Tr. at 40, and has taken no action regarding the prepetition transactions.

132. Moreover, as disclosed to the Court earlier in these Chapter 11 Cases, the referenced prepetition insurance payments were made to a captive insurance entity as a means of self-insurance, to secure insurance coverage that was not available in the market. *See generally* 10/14/2020 Hr’g Tr. at 32-34. As such, it is manifest that there was reasonably equivalent value for constructive fraudulent transfer purposes.

133. At no time during these Chapter 11 Cases did the Burlingame Objectors file a motion with the Court seeking derivative standing, presenting a colorable claim for relief, and demonstrating that the Debtors unjustifiably failed to assert such a claim for relief.

134. At no time during these Chapter 11 Cases did the Burlingame Objectors initiate an adversary proceeding alleging a violation of section 548 of the Bankruptcy Code.

b. Conclusions of Law

135. Section 548 of the Bankruptcy Code provides that a trustee or debtor-in-possession “may avoid any transfer . . . of an interest of the debtor in property, or any obligation . . . incurred by the debtor” within two years before a bankruptcy filing if the transaction was actually or constructively fraudulent. 11 U.S.C. § 548.

136. Under section 548 of the Bankruptcy Code, a transfer is actually fraudulent where it was made “with actual intent to hinder, delay, or defraud” any entity to which the debtor was or became indebted. 11 U.S.C. § 548(a)(1)(A).

137. Under section 548 of the Bankruptcy Code, a transfer is constructively fraudulent where the debtor “received less than a reasonably equivalent value in exchange” and was insolvent on the date of such transfer or became insolvent soon thereafter. 11 U.S.C. § 548(a)(1)(B).

138. Upon commencement of these Chapter 11 Cases, standing to assert claims pursuant to section 548 of the Bankruptcy Code vested in the Debtors’ estates.

139. Creditors in these Chapter 11 Cases may only assert claims pursuant to section 548 of the Bankruptcy Code on behalf of the Debtors' estates if they have derivative standing to do so. Derivative standing must be sought and granted by the Court, and may only be granted upon the creditors' satisfaction of a two-part test: first, creditors must present colorable claims for relief that on appropriate proof would support a recovery; and second, creditors must demonstrate that the debtor-in-possession "unjustifiably failed to bring suit." *See In re Sabine Oil & Gas Corp.*, 547 B.R. 503, 515 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2016).

140. An action under section 548 is "a proceeding to recover money or property" and, as such, is an adversary proceeding. Fed. R. Bankr. P. 7001(a). Adversary proceedings must be commenced by the filing of a complaint, Fed. R. Bankr. P. 7003, and plaintiffs must comply with the rules and requirements governing adversary proceedings in Part VII of the Bankruptcy Rules, including the service and process requirements of Rule 7004.

141. The Burlingame Objectors have not suggested that there are colorable claims under section 548. The Burlingame Objectors make no suggestion and offer no evidence that any transfers were made by the Debtors with actual intent to hinder, delay, or defraud entities to which the Debtors became indebted. The Burlingame Objectors also make no suggestion and offer no evidence that any transfers were made by the Debtors in exchange for less than reasonably equivalent value.

142. The Burlingame Objectors have not demonstrated, or even alleged, that the Debtors unjustifiably failed to bring claims pursuant to section 548 of the Bankruptcy Code.

143. The Burlingame Objectors have not initiated an adversary proceeding in these Chapter 11 Cases nor have they complied with the requirements of Part VII of the Bankruptcy Rules.

144. Accordingly, the Burlingame Objectors have no standing to assert a claim under section 548 and have put forward no facts suggesting that the Debtors have a claim under section 548.

VII. THE ALLEGATIONS THAT THE DEBTORS HAVE BREACHED AGREEMENTS OR FIDUCIARY DUTIES ARE MERITLESS

a. Findings of Fact

i. The RSA.

145. On August 28, 2020, the Debtors entered into a Restructuring Support Agreement (the “RSA”) with an ad hoc group of noteholders representing a majority of Avianca’s 9.00% Senior Secured Notes due 2023.

146. The Burlingame Objectors assert that “[t]he Debtors have breached their agreements and/or have submitted contracts in bad faith.” *See* Burlingame Objection at 8.

147. All 2023 Noteholders were given an opportunity to execute the RSA on terms that the Debtors and the ad hoc group negotiated and supported. *See* Bondholder Roll-Up Notice. The many 2023 Noteholders who chose to do so were deemed “Consenting Noteholders,” and became parties to the RSA with a right to enforce its terms and seek remedies for breach thereof.²⁴

148. As 2023 Noteholders, the Burlingame Objectors or their predecessors were given the opportunity to join and execute the RSA. *See* Bondholder Roll-Up Notice. They chose not to do so. Accordingly, the Burlingame Objectors are not parties to the RSA.

149. No party to the RSA has raised a claim for breach of contract thereunder.

²⁴ Notwithstanding the allegations made in the Burlingame Objection, the Burlingame Objectors have not submitted nor entered the RSA into evidence in these cases.

150. The Burlingame Objectors specifically argue that the Debtors have breached contracts by “using their ‘DIP Loan Proceeds . . . to ‘object, contest or raise’ defense to ‘the validity, perfection, priority’ of the . . . (2023 Notes).” *See* Burlingame Objection at 9.

151. The Debtors, however, have not objected, contested, or raised a defense to the validity, perfection or priority of the 2023 Notes. Indeed, the Plan treats the 2023 Notes as valid and proposes to pay distributions to holders of 2023 Notes. Although the 2023 Notes are treated as general unsecured claims, as discussed further herein, that is on account of there being no residual value in the Shared Collateral after satisfaction of the DIP Facility Claims.

152. The Burlingame Objectors also assert that “[t]he Debtors breached their fiduciary duty to the 2023 Noteholders by executing the RSA that exploited one set of similarly situated creditors over another.” *See* Burlingame Objection, Ex. B [ECF No. 2281]. This is so, the Burlingame Objectors argue, because the Ad Hoc Group was permitted to contribute new money to the Debtors as part of the RSA (the “2023 Notes New Money”) and to backstop a portion of the 2023 Notes New Money. *Id.*

153. However, all 2023 Noteholders—and not just the Ad Hoc Group—were invited to participate in the 2023 Notes New Money, so there was no disparate treatment of 2023 Noteholders with respect to this issue. *See* Bondholder Roll-Up Notice.

154. Further, the compensation provided to the Ad Hoc Group for backstopping the 2023 Notes New Money was approved by the Court pursuant to the Final DIP Order. *See* Final DIP Order, Preamble(a), (b) (defining “DIP Documents” to include backstop commitment letters), § 2(a) (authorizing entry into DIP Documents); *see also* Mot. for Entry of Final DIP Order at 17 (describing Ad Hoc Group’s backstop commitment letter), Ex. F (backstop commitment letter).

155. In any event, the Burlingame Objectors have not sought standing to initiate a derivative breach of fiduciary duty claim related to the RSA.

ii The DIP Credit Agreement.

156. In October 2020, the Debtors entered into that certain Super-Priority Debtor-in-Possession Term Loan Agreement among the Debtors, DIP Lenders, and JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as administrative agent and collateral agent (the “DIP Credit Agreement”).

157. As noted, the Burlingame Objectors assert that “[t]he Debtors have breached their agreements and/or have submitted contracts in bad faith.” *See* Burlingame Objection at 8.

158. Under the DIP Credit Agreement, DIP Lenders are granted rights to enforce remedies under the DIP Credit Agreement. *See* DIP Credit Agreement § 4.18(b).

159. The Burlingame Objectors are not parties to the DIP Credit Agreement.

160. No party to the DIP Credit Agreement has raised a claim for breach of contract thereunder.

161. The Burlingame Objectors have submitted no evidence that they are parties to the DIP Credit Agreement and/or that they have any rights to bring claims for breach thereof.

162. The DIP Credit Agreement does not evidence any intent to grant the Burlingame Objectors or any other non-signatory thereto any enforcement rights.

163. Additionally, the Burlingame Objectors have submitted no evidence to support a claim that the DIP Credit Agreement has been breached.

b. Conclusions of Law

i The Burlingame Objectors Cannot Allege, and Have Not Alleged, Breach of Contract Claims.

164. According to New York law, a person or entity not party to a contract cannot sue for breach unless, pursuant to the contract, the plaintiff is an intended beneficiary. *Dormitory*

Auth. of the State of N.Y. v. Samson Constr. Co., 94 N.E.3d 456, 459 (N.Y. 2018) (an intent to benefit the third party must be shown, and, absent such intent, the third party is merely an incidental beneficiary with no right to enforce the particular contracts) (internal citations omitted); *CWCapital Invs. LLC v. CWCapital Cobalt VR Ltd.*, 122 N.Y.S.3d 595, 600 (App. Div. 2020) (“A nonparty can assert a breach of contract claim only if it is an intended, and not a mere incidental, beneficiary, and even then . . . the parties’ intent to benefit the third party must be apparent from the face of the contract.”) (internal citations omitted).

165. New York courts have sanctioned a third party’s right to enforce a contract in two situations: when the third party is the only one who could recover for the breach of contract, or when it is otherwise clear from the language of the contract that there was an “intent to permit enforcement by the third party.” *Dormitory Auth. of the State of N.Y.*, 94 N.E.3d at 459 (finding plaintiff did not qualify as a third-party beneficiary under either ground, thus plaintiff had no right to enforce the contract); *Levy v. Zimmerman*, 150 N.Y.S.3d 233, at *23–24 (N.Y. 2021) (dismissing action for breach of contract for lack of standing because plaintiffs did not qualify as third-party beneficiaries under either ground); *CWCapital Invs. LLC*, 122 N.Y.S.3d at 600 (dismissing plaintiff’s cause of action for breach of contract because plaintiff was not a third-party beneficiary of the sued-upon contract section, even where plaintiff was a third-party beneficiary of a different section of the contract).

166. The RSA is governed by New York law.

167. The Burlingame Objectors are not intended beneficiaries of the RSA.

168. Because the Burlingame Objectors are not party to nor intended beneficiaries of the RSA, the Burlingame Objectors lack standing to bring a breach of contract claim under the RSA.

169. The DIP Credit Agreement is governed by New York law. *See* DIP Credit Agreement § 11.05(a).

170. The Burlingame Objectors are not intended beneficiaries of the DIP Credit Agreement because the DIP Credit Agreement makes no mention of the Burlingame Objectors, nor does it indicate that the Burlingame Objectors are an intended beneficiary permitted to enforce the DIP Credit Agreement.

171. Because the Burlingame Objectors are not party to nor intended beneficiaries of the DIP Credit Agreement, the Burlingame Objectors lack standing to bring a breach of contract claim under the DIP Credit Agreement.

172. Further, to state a claim for breach of contract, a plaintiff must allege: 1) the parties entered into a valid agreement; 2) plaintiff performed; 3) defendant failed to perform under the agreement; and 4) this breach resulted in damages to the plaintiff. *See Dee v. Rakower*, 976 N.Y.S.2d 470, 474 (App. Div. 2013).

173. Even if the Burlingame Objectors had standing to bring a breach of contract claim under the RSA or the DIP Credit Agreement, the Burlingame Objectors have not sufficiently alleged a breach. Specifically, the Burlingame Objectors have not alleged how the Debtors have failed to perform under the RSA or the DIP Credit Agreement.

ii The Burlingame Objectors Have Not Alleged Cognizable Breach of Fiduciary Duty Claims.

174. Under New York law, claims based upon breach of fiduciary duty belong to the corporation; upon commencement of these Chapter 11 Cases, standing to assert a claim of breach of fiduciary duty resided with the Debtors' estates. *See In re Ampal-Am. Isr. Corp.*, 502 B.R. 361, 374 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2013) ("Under New York law, claims for waste, mismanagement and breach of fiduciary duty belong to the corporation . . . and once bankruptcy ensues, become property of

the estate that the trustee alone has standing to assert.”) (internal citations omitted); *Keene Corp. v. Coleman (In re Keene Corp.)*, 164 B.R. 844, 853 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 1994) (“Claims based upon breach of a fiduciary duty belong to a corporation, but once bankruptcy ensues, they are enforceable by the trustee.”); *see also In re Gen. Growth Props., Inc.*, 426 B.R. 71, 75 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2010) (finding that “[t]he [*Barton*] doctrine protects any fiduciary of the estate, including a debtor-in-possession, as ‘[i]t is well settled that such fiduciary cannot be sued in state court without leave of the bankruptcy court for acts done in his official capacity and within his authority as an officer of the court.’”) (citation omitted).

175. While creditors of an insolvent corporate debtor may seek derivative standing to assert that the debtors were injured as a result of a breach of fiduciary duty, creditors do not have standing to bring a direct claim for breach of fiduciary duty. *See Goldin v. Primavera Familienstiftung Tag Assocs. (In re Granite Partners, L.P.)*, 194 B.R. 318, 327 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 1996) (“Such [breach of fiduciary duty] claims ordinarily belong to and can only be enforced by the corporation or through a shareholder’s derivative action.”); *Associated Hardwoods, Inc. v. Lail*, No. 18 CVS 329, 2018 WL 3747439, at *7 (N.C. Super. Aug. 6, 2018) (“Accordingly, the Court concludes that Plaintiff’s breach of fiduciary duty and constructive fraud claims are property of the bankruptcy estate and Plaintiff, therefore, lacks standing.”).

176. The Burlingame Objectors never sought standing to bring a claim for breach of fiduciary duty and thus lack standing to bring a claim for breach of fiduciary duty.

177. Even assuming *arguendo* that the Burlingame Objectors did have standing to bring a breach of fiduciary duty claim, the Burlingame Objectors have not demonstrated, let alone alleged, a legally cognizable breach of fiduciary duty claim.

178. Under New York law, a claim for breach of fiduciary duty has three elements: “(1) the existence of a duty on defendant’s part as to plaintiff; (2) a breach of this duty; and (3) injury to the plaintiff as a result thereof.” *Welch v. TD Ameritrade Holding Corp.*, No. 07 CIV. 6904 (RJS), 2009 WL 2356131, at *40 (S.D.N.Y. July 27, 2009) (quoting *Alfaro v. Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.*, 210 F.3d 111, 114 (2d Cir. 2000)).

179. The Burlingame Objectors have the burden of “pleading and proving the existence of a fiduciary relationship.” *Official Comm. of Unsecured Creditors of Lois/USA, Inc. v. Consecro Fin. Servicing Corp. (In re Lois/USA, Inc.)*, 264 B.R. 69, 130 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2001). The existence of such a fiduciary relationship must be shown with particularity, as “mere assertions of ‘trust and confidence’ are insufficient to support a claim of a fiduciary relationship.” *DeBlasio v. Merrill Lynch & Co.*, No. 07CIV318RJS, 2009 WL 2242605, at *28 (S.D.N.Y. July 27, 2009) (quoting *Abercrombie v. Andrew Coll.*, 438 F. Supp. 2d 243, 274 (S.D.N.Y. 2006); *see also In re Lois/USA, Inc.*, 264 B.R. at 130 (citing *Carey Elec. Contracting, Inc. v. First Nat’l Bank*, 74 Ill. App. 3d 233, 237-38 (1979)) (“The existence of such a fiduciary relationship must be shown by proof “so clear and convincing, so strong, unequivocal and unmistakable that it leads to only one conclusion.”).

180. Moreover, the Burlingame Objectors cannot bring a claim for breach of fiduciary duty due to their debtor-creditor relationship. In *Oddo Asset Management v. Barclays Bank PLC*, after the collapse of two investment vehicles, a plaintiff commenced an action against Barclays Bank claiming, *inter alia*, a breach of fiduciary duty. 950 N.Y.S.2d 325, 327 (N.Y. 2012). The New York Court of Appeals concluded “that the collateral managers appointed to oversee the assets of the [investment vehicles] did not owe a fiduciary duty to plaintiff.” *Id.* “[A]n arm’s length borrower-lender relationship is not of a confidential or fiduciary nature.” *River Glen*

Assocs., Ltd. v. Merrill Lynch Credit Corp., 743 N.Y.S.2d 870, 871 (App. Div. 2002). Ordinarily, “[a] debtor-creditor relationship is not by itself a fiduciary relationship[,] although the addition of a relationship of confidence, trust, or superior knowledge or control may indicate that such a relationship exists.” *Mid-Island Hosp., Inc. v. Empire Blue Cross & Blue Shield*, 276 F.3d 123, 130 (2d Cir. 2002) (citation omitted). A lender-borrower relationship may give rise to fiduciary duty under New York law where there exists “a confidence reposed which invests the person trusted with an advantage in treating with the person so confiding, or an assumption of control and responsibility.” *Manufacturers Hanover Trust Co. v. Yanakas*, 7 F.3d 310, 318 (2d Cir. 1993) (citation omitted). In *AJW Partners LLC v. Itronics Inc.*, 892 N.Y.S.2d 46, 48 (App. Div. 2009), the Court found that the counterclaims alleging negligent misrepresentation and breach of fiduciary duty [regarding a usurious rate of interest] were properly dismissed, as there can be no fiduciary obligation in a contractual arm’s length relationship between a debtor and note-holding creditor. *See River Glen Assoc. v. Merrill Lynch Credit Corp.*, 743 N.Y.S.2d 870 (App. Div. 2002); *SNS Bank v. Citibank*, 777 N.Y.S.2d 62 (App. Div. 2004). A debtor and creditor have no special relationship of confidence and trust and the relationship is generally controlled by contract. *See Dobroshi v. Bank of Am., N.A.*, 886 N.Y.S.2d 106 (App. Div. 2009), *lv. Dismissed* N.Y.S.2d 117 (App. Div. 2010).

181. The Burlingame Objectors have not demonstrated the existence of a duty, nor a breach of such duty, nor any injury as a result thereof. Even if, *arguendo*, the Debtors did owe fiduciary duties to the 2023 Noteholders, any allegation by the Burlingame Objectors that they breached such duties would border on frivolous. The Burlingame Objectors, or their predecessors in interest, simply chose not to participate in the conversion of their 2023 Notes into the former Tranche A of the DIP Facility and cannot hold the Debtors responsible for that investment decision.

In short, the Burlingame Objectors have no legal standing to assert, and no factual basis to allege, that any Debtor breached a fiduciary duty.

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In re:	:	Chapter 11
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AVIANCA HOLDINGS S.A., <i>et al.</i> , ¹	:	Case No. 20-11133 (MG)
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Debtors.	:	(Jointly Administered)
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**NOTICE OF EFFECTIVE DATE AND ENTRY OF ORDER (I) CONFIRMING
 FURTHER MODIFIED JOINT CHAPTER 11 PLAN OF AVIANCA HOLDINGS S.A.
 AND ITS AFFILIATED DEBTORS AND (II) GRANTING RELATED RELIEF**

¹ The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases (the “Chapter 11 Cases”), and each Debtor’s federal tax identification number (to the extent applicable), are as follows: Avianca Holdings S.A. (N/A); Aero Transporte de Carga Unión, S.A. de C.V. (N/A); Aeroinversiones de Honduras, S.A. (N/A); Aerovías del Continente Americano S.A. Avianca (N/A); Airlease Holdings One Ltd. (N/A); America Central (Canada) Corp. (00-1071563); America Central Corp. (65-0444665); AV International Holdco S.A. (N/A); AV International Holdings S.A. (N/A); AV International Investments S.A. (N/A); AV International Ventures S.A. (N/A); AV Investments One Colombia S.A.S. (N/A); AV Investments Two Colombia S.A.S. (N/A); AV Loyalty Bermuda Ltd. (N/A); AV Taca International Holdco S.A. (N/A); Aviacorp Enterprises S.A. (N/A); Avianca Costa Rica S.A. (N/A); Avianca Leasing, LLC (47-2628716); Avianca, Inc. (13-1868573); Avianca-Ecuador S.A. (N/A); Aviaservicios, S.A. (N/A); Aviateca, S.A. (N/A); Avifreight Holding Mexico, S.A.P.I. de C.V. (N/A); C.R. Int’l Enterprises, Inc. (59-2240957); Grupo Taca Holdings Limited (N/A); International Trade Marks Agency Inc. (N/A); Inversiones del Caribe, S.A. (N/A); Isleña de Inversiones, S.A. de C.V. (N/A); Latin Airways Corp. (N/A); Latin Logistics, LLC (41-2187926); Nicaragüense de Aviación, Sociedad Anónima (N/A); Regional Express Américas S.A.S. (N/A); Ronair N.V. (N/A); Servicio Terrestre, Aéreo y Rampa S.A. (N/A); Servicios Aeroportuarios Integrados SAI S.A.S. (92-4006439); Taca de Honduras, S.A. de C.V. (N/A); Taca de México, S.A. (N/A); Taca International Airlines S.A. (N/A); Taca S.A. (N/A); Tampa Cargo S.A.S. (N/A); Technical and Training Services, S.A. de C.V. (N/A). The Debtors’ principal offices are located at Avenida Calle 26 # 59 – 15 Bogotá, Colombia.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on September 15, 2021, the above-captioned debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the “Debtors”) filed the solicitation version of their proposed *Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Avianca Holdings S.A. and Its Affiliated Debtors* [Docket No. 2137] (together with the Plan Supplement and all schedules and exhibits thereto, and as amended, supplemented, or modified from time to time, the “Plan”).²

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that a hearing to consider the confirmation of the Plan was held by the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York (the “Bankruptcy Court”) on October 26, 2021.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that on [____], 2021, the Bankruptcy Court entered the *Order (I) Confirming Further Modified Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Avianca Holdings S.A. and Its Affiliated Debtors and (II) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. [__]] (the “Confirmation Order”).

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, pursuant to the terms of the Confirmation Order, the Debtors hereby provide notice of entry of the Confirmation Order.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that all conditions precedent to the Effective Date set forth in Article X.A of the Plan have been satisfied or waived pursuant to Article X.B of the Plan, such that the Plan was substantially consummated, and the Effective Date occurred, on [____], 2021.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, except as otherwise provided in the DIP Orders, the Claims Bar Date Order, or the Plan, requests for payment of Administrative Expenses, other than claims for Professional Fees, DIP Facility Claims, and DIP Facility Fees and Expenses, must be served on the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors (as applicable), KCC LLC, and the U.S.

² Capitalized terms used in this Notice but not otherwise defined shall have the same meaning as in the Plan.

Trustee by the date that is **ninety (90) days following the date of service of this Notice**. Each request for payment of an Administrative Expense must include, at a minimum, (i) the name of the applicable Debtor that is purported to be liable for the Administrative Expense and, if the Administrative Expense is asserted against more than one Debtor, the exact amount asserted to be owed by each such Debtor; (ii) the name of the Holder of the purported Administrative Expense; (iii) the asserted amount of the purported Administrative Expense; (iv) the basis of the purported Administrative Expense; and (v) supporting documentation. FAILURE TO TIMELY AND PROPERLY FILE AND SERVE A REQUEST FOR PAYMENT OF AN ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE SHALL RESULT IN SUCH ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE BEING FOREVER BARRED AND DISCHARGED. For the avoidance of doubt, this paragraph does not apply to the fees and expenses of, or other amounts owed to, the Supporting Tranche B Lenders under the Tranche B Equity Conversion Agreement, which will be paid in accordance with the terms thereof and, to the extent not already paid, will survive unaffected by the deadline for filing Administrative Expenses set forth herein.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, pursuant to Article VI of the Plan, unless otherwise provided by an order of the Bankruptcy Court that is entered after Confirmation, Proofs of Claim with respect to Claims arising from the rejection of Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases, if any, must be filed with the Bankruptcy Court no later than thirty (30) days from the latest of (i) the date of entry of an order of the Bankruptcy Court approving such rejection, (ii) entry of the Confirmation Order, and (iii) the effective date of the rejection of such Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease. ANY CLAIMS ARISING FROM THE REJECTION OF AN EXECUTORY CONTRACT OR UNEXPIRED LEASE NOT FILED WITHIN SUCH TIME SHALL BE DISALLOWED, FOREVER BARRED FROM ASSERTION, AND SHALL NOT

BE ENFORCEABLE AGAINST THE DEBTORS OR THE REORGANIZED DEBTORS, OR PROPERTY THEREOF, WITHOUT THE NEED FOR ANY OBJECTION BY THE DEBTORS OR THE REORGANIZED DEBTORS OR FURTHER NOTICE TO, OR ACTION, ORDER, OR APPROVAL OF THE BANKRUPTCY COURT OR ANY OTHER ENTITY.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, in order to continue to receive documents after the Effective Date pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002, Persons and Entities (excluding the U.S. Trustee) must file renewed requests to receive documents pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that all filed versions of the Plan and other documents filed in the Chapter 11 Cases may be viewed for free at the website of the Debtors' claims and solicitation agent, at <http://www.kccllc.net/avianca>. You may also obtain copies of any pleadings by visiting <http://www.nysb.uscourts.gov> in accordance with the procedures and fees set forth therein.

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EXHIBIT C

Exhibit A to Notice of Plan Supplement

Description of Restructuring Transactions and Transaction Steps

Reorganized AVH – Description of Restructuring Transactions and the Transaction Steps

This memorandum is comprised of three sections. Section A sets out the background to the Transaction (as defined below). Section B sets out a high-level list of steps required to be carried out by the Debtors to effect the Transaction. Section C comprises structure charts reflecting the current structure, as well as the structure immediately prior to, and immediately following, emergence.

This memorandum is not intended to be a comprehensive set of all steps required to be taken. Instead, it is intended to be illustrative of the key steps required to be carried out in connection with the Transaction. Whilst this memorandum illustrates steps occurring in sequential order, certain steps may occur concurrently.

SECTION A. BACKGROUND

- (a) On May 10, 2020 (and, with respect to certain entities, September 21, 2020), Avianca Holdings S.A., (“AVH”) and certain of its subsidiaries (AVH and such subsidiaries, each, a “Debtor” and, collectively, the “Debtors”) commenced cases for voluntary relief under the Bankruptcy Code in the U.S. Bankruptcy Court.
- (b) On August 10, 2021, the Debtors filed a plan of reorganization (as amended and/or supplemented from time to time, the “Plan of Reorganization”) which provides for, among other things, (a) the conversion of the Aggregate Tranche B DIP Obligations Amount into equity interests of a new holding company of the reorganized Debtors (“Reorganized AVH”) in exchange for the forgiveness, extinguishment, termination and cancellation in full of the Aggregate Tranche B DIP Obligations Amount and the termination and release of the guarantees and security interests related thereto (including, under the DIP Credit Agreement and the DIP Indentures, among other documents and agreements), (b) an equity raise by Reorganized AVH in an aggregate amount equal to \$200,000,000, to be funded through a combination of cash payments and asset contributions by certain of the Supporting Tranche B Lenders, and (c) the issue of certain “exit” notes in full and final settlement of Tranche A-1 DIP Facility Claims and Tranche A-2 DIP Facility Claims (in each case, as defined in the Plan of Reorganization) (the transactions contemplated by the Plan of Reorganization, the “Transaction”).

SECTION B. TRANSACTION STEPS¹

Steps to be performed prior to Closing

- 1. **Step 1 – Execution of the ECCA** – On September 1, 2021, the Debtors and Tranche B Lenders entered into the ECCA.
- 2. **Step 2 – Establishment of pre-emergence holding company structure –**
 - 2.1 Establishment of a holding company structure by way of the incorporation of the following entities:
 - (a) a corporation organized under the laws of Panama which has been established under the name AVN Corporate Ventures S.A., but which will not issue any shares prior to the Confirmation Order (“New Panamanian Sub 1”);

¹ The Transaction steps remain subject to further ongoing structuring and tax analysis and so are subject to change.

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- (b) a second corporation organized under the laws of Panama which has been established under the name AVN Corporate Investments S.A., but which will not issue any shares prior to the Confirmation Order (“New Panamanian Sub 2”);
 - (c) a private limited company incorporated under the laws of England and Wales established under the name AVN Flight International Limited, as a wholly owned subsidiary of New Panamanian Sub 2 (“New U.K. Sub 1”);
 - (d) a private limited company incorporated under the laws of England and Wales established under the name Avianca MidCo 1 Limited, as a wholly owned subsidiary of New U.K. Sub 1 (“New U.K. Midco 1”); and
 - (e) a private limited company incorporated under the laws of England and Wales to be established under the name Avianca MidCo 2 Limited, as a wholly owned subsidiary of New U.K. Midco 1 (“New U.K. Midco 2”).
3. **Step 3 – Establishment of Reorganized AVH** – Establishment of a private limited company incorporated under the laws of England and Wales under the current name Avianca Group International Limited, as a “shelf company” wholly owned by a company incorporation agent, i.e., a nominee shareholder (“New U.K. Sub 2” or “Reorganized AVH”). This company will not be controlled by AVH and will only be taken off the shelf upon the Confirmation Order entering into effect and permitting the following steps to take place as part of the emergence process – Step 8 onwards.
4. **Step 4 – Establishment of New Cayman Midco and New U.K. Midco 3** – Establishment of:
- (a) a company incorporated under the laws of the Cayman Islands as a wholly owned subsidiary of New U.K. Sub 1 (“New Cayman Midco”); and
 - (b) a private limited company incorporated under the laws of England and Wales to be established under the proposed name Avianca Group (UK) Limited, as a wholly owned subsidiary of New U.K. Midco 2 (“New U.K. Midco 3”).
5. **Step 5 – Transfer of subscriber share in New U.K. Midco 1** – New U.K. Sub 1 to transfer subscriber share in New U.K. Midco 1 to New Cayman Midco for \$1.00. New U.K. Midco 1 to update its register of members and issue share certificate.
6. **Step 6 – Commence Process to Obtain Governmental Approvals** – To obtain each approval, authorization and/or waiver required in connection with the consummation of the Transaction under applicable laws or regulations (the “Governmental Approvals”).
7. **Step 7 – Bankruptcy Court Confirmation Order** – U.S. Bankruptcy Court to enter order confirming the Plan of Reorganization (the “Confirmation Order”).
8. **Step 8 – Completion of holding structure set-up** – New Panamanian Sub 1 to allot share(s) in the capital of New Panamanian Sub 1 to AVH; New Panamanian Sub 2 to allot share(s) in the capital of New Panamanian Sub 2 to New Panamanian Sub 1.
9. **Step 9 – Obtain Governmental Approvals** – To obtain all Governmental Approvals.
10. **Step 10 – Capitalization of historic internal advances** – To capitalize (or, where appropriate, write-off) historic advances for future capital contributions (*anticipos para futuras*

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capitalizaciones) in Aerovías del Continente Americano S.A. Avianca and certain other subsidiaries.

Steps to be performed immediately prior to / at Closing (as appropriate)

11. **Step 11 – Contribution of the Directly Owned Entities** – Internal Reorganization Agreement to be executed by the parties thereto. Pursuant to the terms of the Internal Reorganization Agreement:

11.1 **Step 11.1** – AVH to transfer the following equity interests directly owned by AVH to New Panamanian Sub 1 in consideration for the allotment of share(s) in the capital of New Panamanian Sub 1 to AVH:

- (a) AV International Holdco S.A., a *sociedad anónima* organized under the laws of Panama;
- (b) Avianca Enterprises, LLC, a limited liability company organized under the laws of Delaware, U.S.;
- (c) American Vacations S.A.S., a *sociedad por acciones simplificada* organized under the laws of Colombia;
- (d) Aerovías del Continente Americano S.A. Avianca, a *sociedad anónima* organized under the laws of Colombia;
- (e) AV Investments One Colombia S.A.S., a *sociedad por acciones simplificada* organized under the laws of Colombia;
- (f) AV Investments Two Colombia S.A.S., a *sociedad por acciones simplificada* organized under the laws of Colombia;
- (g) Regional Express Américas S.A.S., a *sociedad por acciones simplificada* organized under the laws of Colombia; and
- (h) AV International Investments S.A., a *sociedad anónima* organized under the laws of Panama,

(together, the “Directly Owned Equity Interests”) (the “AVH Contribution”).

11.2 **Step 11.2** – Promptly following the consummation of the AVH Contribution, New Panamanian Sub 1 to transfer the Directly Owned Equity Interests to New Panamanian Sub 2 in consideration for the allotment of share(s) in the capital of New Panamanian Sub 2 to New Panamanian Sub 1 (the “New Panamanian Sub 1 Contribution”).

11.3 **Step 11.3** – Promptly following the consummation of the New Panamanian Sub 1 Contribution, New Panamanian Sub 2 to transfer the Directly Owned Equity Interests to New U.K. Sub 1 in consideration for the allotment of share(s) in the capital of New U.K. Sub 1 to New Panamanian Sub 2 (the “New Panamanian Sub 2 Contribution”).

11.4 **Step 11.4** – Promptly following the consummation of the New Panamanian Sub 2 Contribution, New U.K. Sub 1 to transfer the Directly Owned Equity Interests to New Cayman Midco in consideration for the allotment of share(s) in the capital of New Cayman Midco to New U.K. Sub 1 (the “New U.K. Sub 1 Contribution”).

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- 11.5 **Step 11.5** – Promptly following the consummation of the New U.K. Sub 1 Contribution, New Cayman Midco to transfer the Directly Owned Equity Interests to New U.K. Midco 1 in consideration for the allotment of share(s) in the capital of New U.K. Midco 1 to New Cayman Midco (the “New Cayman Midco Contribution”).
- 11.6 **Step 11.6** – Promptly following the consummation of the New Cayman Midco Contribution, New U.K. Midco 1 to transfer the Directly Owned Equity Interests to New U.K. Midco 2 in consideration for the allotment of share(s) in the capital of New U.K. Midco 2 to New U.K. Midco 1 (the “New U.K. Midco 1 Contribution”).
- 11.7 **Step 11.7** – Promptly following the consummation of the New U.K. Midco 1 Contribution, New U.K. Midco 2 to transfer the Directly Owned Equity Interests to New U.K. Midco 3 in consideration for the allotment of share(s) in the capital of New U.K. Midco 3 to New U.K. Midco 2 (the “New U.K. Midco 2 Contribution”).
12. **Step 12 – Transfer of New Cayman Midco –**
- 12.1 **Step 12.1** – Promptly following the consummation of the New U.K. Midco 2 Contribution, New U.K. Sub 1 to transfer all shares of New Cayman Midco to New U.K. Sub 2 in consideration for the agreement to allot shares in the capital of New U.K. Sub 2 per step 10.2 below (the “Transfer Consideration Shares”).
- 12.2 **Step 12.2** – In exchange for (i) the cancellation and repayment of certain debts of AVH and/or certain of its subsidiaries (including debts under the DIP Credit Agreement and the DIP Indentures, among other documents and agreements) and the termination and release of certain related guarantees and security interests of AVH and/or certain of its subsidiaries (including, among other documents and agreements, under the DIP Credit Agreement and the DIP Indentures) and (ii) the payment of certain amounts and the contribution of certain assets pursuant to (amongst other things) the ECCA, New U.K. Sub 1 will direct New U.K. Sub 2 to issue the Transfer Consideration Shares to the Tranche B Lenders and the general unsecured creditors of AVH (the “Reorganized AVH Shareholders”) (instead of New U.K. Sub 1 receiving the Transfer Consideration Shares itself), in exchange for the complete (100%) cancellation of the Aggregate Tranche B DIP Obligations Amount and certain general unsecured claims of the Reorganized AVH Shareholders. The allotment of the Transfer Consideration Shares to the Reorganized Shareholders will occur at, and in accordance with, Steps 15 and 19.
13. **Step 13 – Transfer of Certain Contracts and IP of AVH to New U.K. Sub 2** – AVH to transfer, assign, convey and grant (whether directly or indirectly) to New U.K. Sub 2 or its subsidiaries certain contracts and certain IP.
14. **Step 14 – Accession of New U.K. Sub 1, New U.K. Midco 2 and New U.K. Sub 2 as Guarantors under the DIP Credit Agreement** – New U.K. Sub 1, New U.K. Midco 2 and New U.K. Sub 2 to have acceded as guarantors of the Debtors under the DIP Credit Agreement.
15. **Step 15 – Allotment of shares by and transfer of subscriber share in Reorganized AVH** – The following will occur simultaneously:
- 15.1 **Step 15.1** – New U.K. Sub 2 to allot shares to the Tranche B Lenders in consideration for (i) the forgiveness, extinguishment, termination and cancellation in full of the Aggregate Tranche B DIP Obligations Amount and the termination and release of the guarantees and security interests related thereto and (ii) \$200,000,000, to be funded through a combination of cash payments and

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asset contributions. Following allotment of shares, New U.K. Sub 2 to update its register of members and issue share certificates.

- 15.2 **Step 15.2** – Subscriber share to be transferred from the company incorporation agent to a Tranche B Lender in lieu of the issuance of one share otherwise issuable to such Tranche B Lender in accordance with the ECCA.

Before any shares of New U.K. Sub 2 are listed on a public exchange, New U.K. Sub 2 to re-register as a public limited company.

16. **Step 16 – Adopting new organizational documents of Reorganized AVH** – New U.K. Sub 2 to adopt new articles of association. New U.K. Sub 2 and some or all of the Reorganized AVH Shareholders to enter into the Shareholders’ Agreement.
17. **Step 17 – Issue of warrants by Reorganized AVH** – New U.K. Sub 2 to execute Warrant Instrument and issue warrants thereunder to the general unsecured creditors of AVH entitled thereunder, subject to and in accordance with the terms of the Warrant Instrument and the Plan of Reorganization.
18. **Step 18 – Issue of exit notes by New U.K. Midco 2** – New U.K. Midco 2 to issue Exit A-1 Notes and Exit A-2 Notes in consideration for the extinguishment, termination and cancellation in full of the Tranche A-1 DIP Facility Claims and the Tranche A-2 DIP Facility Claims (as appropriate), or payment in full of cash. Before the exit notes are listed on a public exchange, New U.K. Midco 2 to re-register as a public limited company.
19. **Step 19 – Allotment of shares by Reorganized AVH to general unsecured creditors –**
- 19.1 **Step 19.1** – New U.K. Sub 2 to ensure it has (and maintains) authority to allot shares to certain general unsecured creditors of AVH in consideration for the forgiveness, extinguishment, termination and cancellation in full of their general unsecured claims.
- 19.2 **Step 19.2** – New U.K. Sub 2 to allot shares in the capital of New U.K. Sub 2 to applicable general unsecured creditors. Following allotment of shares, New U.K. Sub 2 to update its register of members and issue share certificates. This step is expected to occur post-Closing.

Steps to be performed after Closing

20. **Step 20 – Management Incentive Plan** – New U.K. Sub 2 to adopt management incentive plan within 60 days from Closing under the ECCA.
21. **Step 21 – Dissolution of holding company structure –**
- 21.1 **Step 21.1** – New U.K. Sub 1 to be voluntarily struck-off the UK company register.
- 21.2 **Step 21.2** – AVH, New Panamanian Sub 1 and/or New Panamanian Sub 2 to be liquidated. The expectation is that, upon emergence, the Colombian BVC ex officio suspends the trading of the AVH preferred shares, the Colombian SFC cancels the registry in the Colombian National Registry of Securities and Issuers and, thereafter, the Colombian BVC automatically delists the preferred shares of AVH. If these actions are not taken upon emergence, it is expected that they will be taken prior to the liquidation of AVH.

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Exhibit A

Defined Terms

The following terms shall have the following meanings:

“Aggregate Tranche B DIP Obligations Amount” has the meaning assigned to such term in the ECCA.

“Bankruptcy Code” means chapter 11 of title 11 of the U.S. Code.

“Colombian BVC” means the *Bolsa de Valores de Colombia*, the Colombian stock exchange.

“Colombian SFC” means the *Superintendencia Financiera de Colombia*, the Colombian securities regulator.

“DIP Credit Agreement” means that certain Super-Priority Debtor-In-Possession Term Loan Agreement, dated as of October 13, 2020, among Avianca Holdings S.A., certain subsidiaries of Avianca Holdings S.A., each of the several banks and other financial institutions or entities from time to time party thereto as DIP Lenders, and JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., as administrative agent and as collateral agent.

“ECCA” means that certain Equity Conversion and Commitment Agreement, dated as of September 1, 2021, among Avianca Holdings S.A., certain subsidiaries of Avianca Holdings S.A. and the Tranche B Lenders.

“Internal Reorganization Agreement” means that certain Internal Reorganization Agreement to be entered into by and among Avianca Holdings S.A., New Panamanian Sub 1, New Panamanian Sub 2, New U.K. Sub 1, New U.K. Midco 1, New U.K. Midco 2, New U.K. Midco 3, New Cayman Midco and New U.K. Sub 2 pursuant to which steps 11 – 12 of this memorandum will be carried out.

“Shareholders’ Agreement” means that certain Shareholders’ Agreement relating to Reorganized AVH to be entered into by and among Reorganized AVH and some or all of the Reorganized AVH Shareholders.

“Supporting Tranche B Lenders” has the meaning assigned to such term in the ECCA.

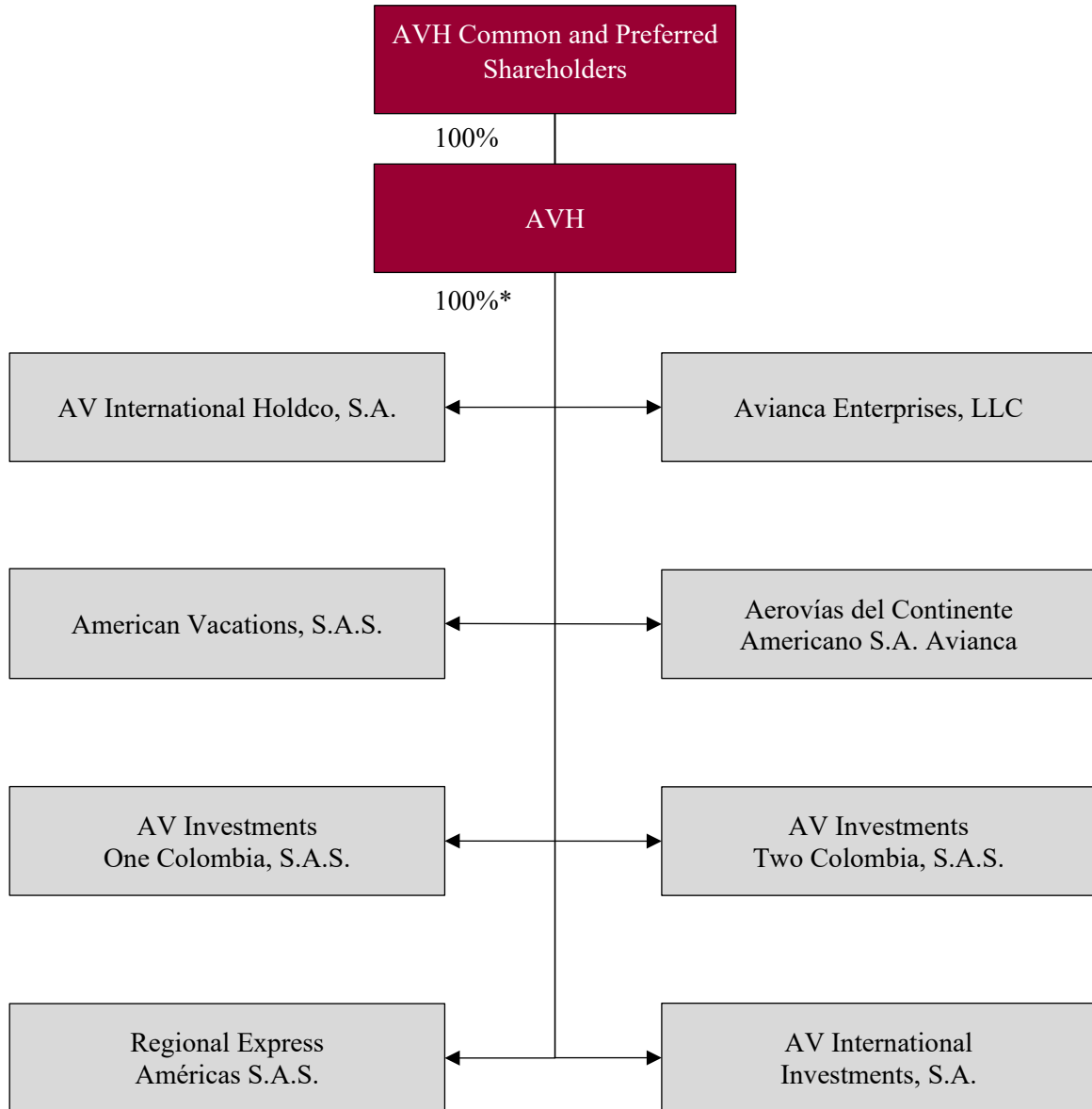
“Tranche B Lenders” has the meaning assigned to such term in the DIP Credit Agreement.

“U.S. Bankruptcy Court” the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York.

“Warrant Instrument” means that certain Warrant Instrument to be executed by Reorganized AVH for the issuance of warrants representing up to 5% of shares in the capital of Reorganized AVH as at emergence.

SECTION C. STRUCTURE CHARTS

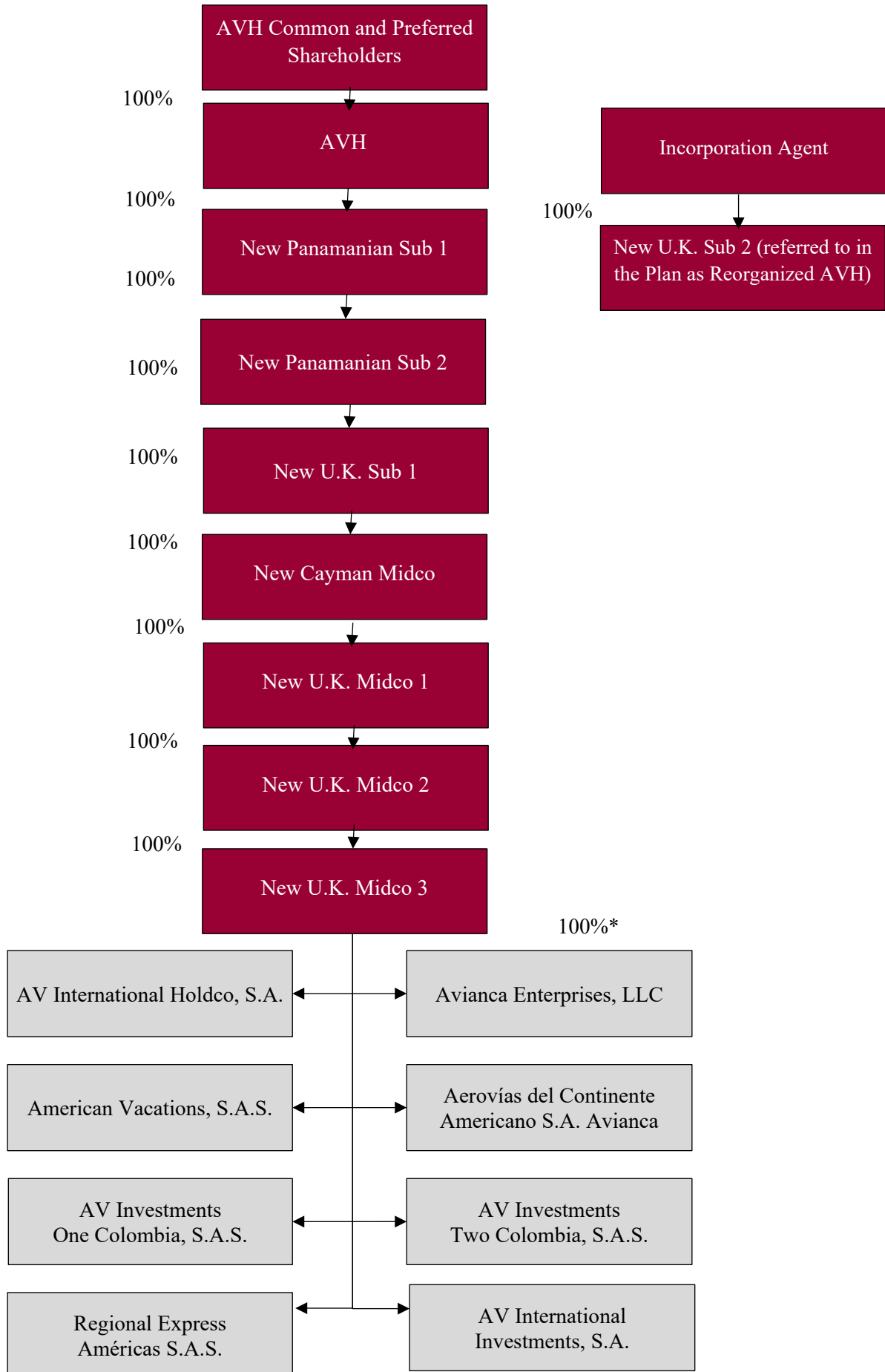
Current Structure



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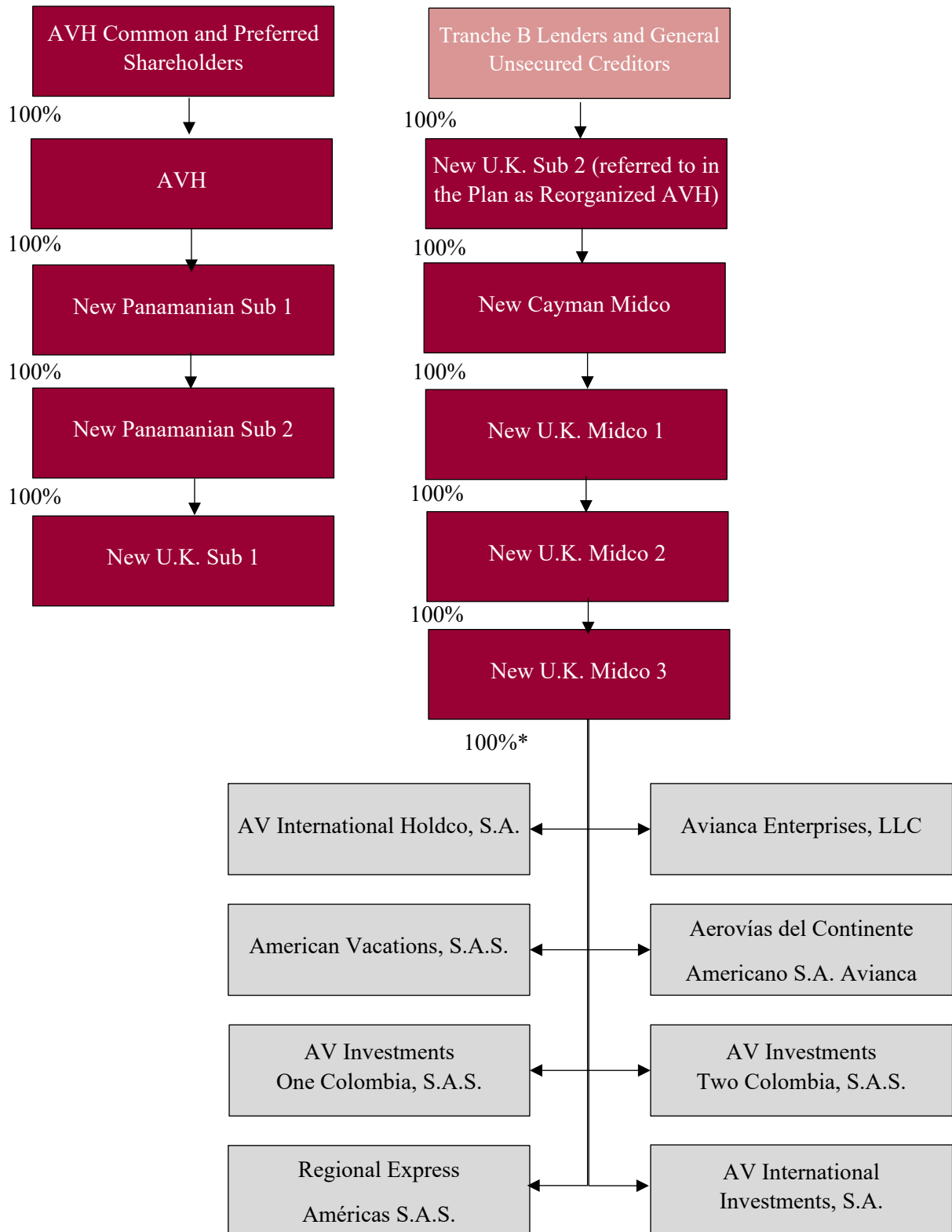
All debtor entities not shown on this chart are direct or indirect subsidiaries of the companies that are colored in grey.

Structure Immediately Prior to Emergence



*Each company colored in grey is a directly owned subsidiary of New U.K. Midco 3.

Structure Immediately After Emergence



*Each company colored in grey is a directly owned subsidiary of New U.K. Midco 3.