## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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In re:	:	Chapter 11
AVIANCA HOLDINGS S.A., et al.,1	: :	Case No. 20-11133 (MG)

(Jointly Administered) Debtors.

## FINAL ORDER PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 105(a), 363(b), 507(a)(8), AND 541 OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE AUTHORIZING **DEBTORS TO PAY CERTAIN PREPETITION TAXES AND FEES**

Upon consideration of the motion (the "Motion")<sup>2</sup> of the above-captioned debtors and debtors-in-possession (collectively, the "Debtors"), seeking entry of an order (this "Final Order") pursuant to sections 105(a), 363(b), 507(a)(8), and 541 of the Bankruptcy Code for authority, in their discretion, to remit and pay accrued but unpaid prepetition Taxes and Fees, all as described more fully in the Motion; and the Court having jurisdiction to consider the Motion and the relief requested therein in accordance with 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334 and the Amended Standing Order

Capitalized terms not defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed to them in the Motion.



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 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. 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); Nicaraguense de Aviación, Sociedad Anónima (Nica, S.A.) (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.

of Reference from the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, dated February 1, 2012; and it appearing that venue of these chapter 11 cases and the Motion in this District is proper pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409; and it appearing that this matter is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b); and it appearing that proper and adequate notice of the Motion has been given and that no other or further notice is necessary; and upon the Motion and the Declaration of Adrian Neuhauser Pursuant to Local Bankruptcy Rule 1007-2 and in Support of the Debtors' Chapter 11 Petitions and First Day Orders, dated as of the Petition Date; and upon the statements of counsel in support of the relief requested in the Motion at the Final Hearing; and all of the proceedings had before the Court; and this Court having determined that the relief requested in the Motion is in the best interests of the Debtors, their estates, their creditors and other parties-in-interest; and after due deliberation thereon; and good and sufficient cause appearing therefor,

## IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The Motion is GRANTED on a final basis to the extent set forth herein.
- 2. Subject to the terms of this Final Order, the Debtors are authorized, in their sole discretion, to pay or remit any accrued but unpaid prepetition Taxes and Fees as they come due in the ordinary course of business, absent further order of the Bankruptcy Court, where (and to the extent): (a) the applicable funds are held in trust for a Governmental Entity, (b) failing to pay the Taxes and Fees would subject certain of the Debtors' directors and officers to personal liability, (c) payment of the Taxes and Fees is necessary to maximize the value of the estate, and/or (d) payment of the Taxes and Fees is justified by the doctrine of necessity.
- 3. All applicable banks and other financial institutions are authorized and directed, when requested by the Debtors and in the Debtors' sole discretion, to receive, process, honor, and

pay any and all checks and electronic fund transfers requested from the Debtors' accounts to Governmental Authorities, whether those checks or requests were presented or initiated prior to or after the Petition Date, provided that sufficient funds are available in the applicable accounts to make the payments.

- 4. The Debtors are authorized to issue postpetition checks, or to initiate postpetition fund transfer requests, in replacement of any checks or fund transfer requests that are dishonored as a consequence of these chapter 11 cases with respect to prepetition amounts owed in connection with any Taxes and Fees.
- 5. The Debtors shall provide the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors (the "Committee") with at least five (5) business days' prior notice (or as much notice as is reasonably practicable under the circumstances) prior to making one or more related payments that are in excess of \$200,000 on account of any single payment of Taxes and Fees. The Debtors shall also provide the Committee with monthly reporting of all Taxes and Fees paid during the prior month.
- 6. Nothing contained in this Interim Order or the Motion shall constitute a rejection or assumption by the Debtors of any executory contract or unexpired lease, whether by virtue of reference to such contract or lease in the Motion or otherwise.
- 7. Notwithstanding the relief granted herein and any actions taken hereunder, nothing herein shall create, nor is intended to create, any rights in favor of, or enhance the status of any claim held by, any party.
- 8. Notwithstanding any applicability of Bankruptcy Rule 6004, the terms and conditions of this Order shall be immediately effective and enforceable upon its entry.
- 9. The Debtors are authorized and empowered to take all actions necessary to implement the relief requested in this Order.

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10. This Court shall retain jurisdiction with respect to any matters, claims, rights or disputes arising from or related to the implementation of this Order.

## IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: June 9, 2020

New York, New York

MARTIN GLENN

United States Bankruptcy Judge

Martin Glenn