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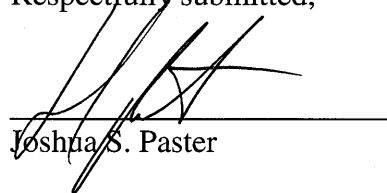
Hon. Leonard D. Wexler  
Long Island Federal Courthouse  
944 Federal Plaza  
Central Islip, New York 11722

Re: *Yaakov Katz, et al. v. Empire National Bank,*  
No. 2:12-CV-5224-LDW-GRB

Dear Judge Wexler:

We represent Defendant Empire National Bank in the above-named action and write to notify the Court that the parties have agreed to settle this matter. As soon as the parties finalize and execute the settlement, they will file dismissal papers with the Court. In the interim, the parties respectfully request the Court stay all deadlines, and postpone any action on Defendant's pre-motion letter, filed January 7, 2013 [ECF No. 10]. Plaintiff consents to the filing of this Letter.

Respectfully submitted,



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