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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

v.

SOUTHERN GLAZER'S WINE AND
SPIRITS, LLC,

Defendant.

Case No. 8:24-cv-02684-FWS-ADS

Judge: Fred W. Slaughter

**JOINT STIPULATION TO ENTER
PROPOSED STIPULATED
CONSENT DECREE AND ORDER**

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ORDER

1 Plaintiff Federal Trade Commission (“Commission”) and Defendant Southern
2 Glazer’s Wine and Spirits, LLC (“SGWS”) (together, “the Parties”) jointly stipulate
3 and move the Court to enter the attached Proposed Stipulated Consent Decree and
4 Order (“Stipulated Order”), which will resolve all claims in this action. In support of
5 this request, the Parties state as follows:

6 1. On December 12, 2024, the Commission filed the Complaint in this action
7 (Dkt. 1). On April 17, 2025, the Court denied SGWS’s motion to dismiss (Dkt. 72).
8 SGWS then denied the Complaint’s allegations (Dkt. 84), and the Parties engaged in
9 fact discovery.

10 2. On June 22, 2026, the Court entered a stay of the litigation pending
11 settlement (Dkt. 220), which was extended through October 2, 2026 (Dkt. 224 & 227).
12 Throughout this time, the Parties have worked diligently to finalize and convert their
13 settlement in principle into a proposed final order.

14 3. The Parties have completed this process, and the Stipulated Order has been
15 approved by both the Commission and SGWS.

16 4. The Parties jointly request that the Court enter the Stipulated Order,
17 thereby fully resolving this matter, and retain jurisdiction for the purposes of
18 construction, modification, and enforcement of the Stipulated Order.

19 5. The Parties have jointly attached a redacted version of the Stipulated
20 Order. SGWS also is contemporaneously filing an application to seal certain limited
21 sensitive information in the Stipulated Order, which is accompanied by an unredacted
22 version of the Stipulated Order. The Commission consents to the relief requested by
23 SGWS for purposes of entry of the Stipulated Order.

24 Dated: October 2, 2026

Respectfully submitted,

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Pursuant to Local Rule 5-4.3.4(a)(2)(i), I attest that the other signatory listed, and on whose behalf this filing is submitted, concurs in the filing's content and has authorized the filing.

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