SAN DIEGO UNIFIED PORT DISTRICT

ORDINANCE 2747

ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AN AMENDED AND RESTATED LEASE WITH BARTELL HOTELS DBA BEST WESTERN ISLAND PALMS HOTEL AND MARINA, EXTENDING THE TERM BY 10 YEARS

WHEREAS, the San Diego Unified Port District (District) is a public corporation created by the Legislature in 1962 pursuant to Harbors and Navigation Code Appendix I (Port Act); and

WHEREAS, Section 87(b) of the Port Act grants authority to the District to lease the tidelands or submerged lands, or parts thereof, for limited periods, not exceeding 66 years, for purposes consistent with the trusts upon which those lands are held, by the State of California; and

WHEREAS, Bartell Hotels, a California Limited Partnership dba Best Western Island Palms Hotel and Marina (Island Palms) operates a 97-room hotel and a 198-slip marina at 2051 Shelter Island Drive; and

WHEREAS, Island Palms has a 40-year lease with the District covering its hotel and marina operations, which expires November 30, 2038, on file in the Office of the District Clerk as Document No. 38474, and as amended by Agreement for Amendment of Lease, on file in the Office of the District Clerk as Document No. 39004; and

WHEREAS, Island Palms is proposing to invest approximately \$2.2 million in exterior and marina enhancements to upgrade both the appearance and function of the leasehold; and

WHEREAS, Island Palms has also demonstrated a commitment to maintaining Island Palms in superior condition in order to maximize revenues; and

WHEREAS, staff has analyzed Island Palms' submittal and determined it would qualify for additional lease term pursuant to BPC (Board of Port Commissioners) Policy No. 355.

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NOW THEREFORE, the Board of Port Commissioners of the San Diego Unified Port District does ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the Amended and Restated lease between the San Diego Unified Port District and Bartell Hotels, a California Limited Partnership dba Best Western Island Palms Hotel & Marina, on file in the Office of the District Clerk as Document No. 61061, leasing certain premises located on Shelter Island Drive in the City of San Diego, is hereby authorized and granted.

Section 2. The Executive Director or his designated representative is hereby directed to execute said Amended and Restated lease agreement with Bartell Hotels, a California Limited Partnership dba Best Western Island Palms Hotel and Marina, extending the term by 10 years, expiring November 30, 2048.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect on the 31st day from its passage by the Board of Port Commissioners.

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

PORT ATTORNEY

By: Assistant/Deputy

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Port Commissioners of the San Diego Unified Port District, this 10th day of December, 2013, by the following vote:

AYES: Castellanos, Malcolm, Merrifield, Moore, Nelson, Smith and Valderrama NAYS: None. EXCUSED: None. ABSENT: None. ABSTAIN: None.

Ann Y. Moore, Chair Board of Port Commissioners

ATTEST:

Timothy A. Deuel District Clerk

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