# LTG-Regal Tax Deviation Resolution

A regular meeting of the Nassau County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") was convened in public session at the offices of the Agency at 1550 Franklin Avenue, Mineola, Nassau County, New York, on September 8, 2015, at 5:00 p.m. local time.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman and, upon roll being called, the following members of the Agency were:

#### PRESENT:

Timothy Williams Chairman John Coumatos Vice Chairman Gary Weiss Secretary Christopher Fusco Asst. Secretary Michael Rodin

NOT PRESENT:

## THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL PERSONS WERE PRESENT:

Joseph J. Kearney Executive Director Joseph Foarile Chief Financial Officer Colleen Pereira Administrative Director Nicholas Terzulli Director of Business Development Edward Ambrosino, Esq. General Counsel Bond/Transaction Counsel

Paul O'Brien, Esq.

The attached resolution no. 2015-49 was offered by G. Weiss, seconded by C. Fusco:

#### Resolution No. 2015-49

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A DEVIATION FROM THE UNIFORM TAX EXEMPTION POLICY OF THE NASSAU COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY WITH RESPECT TO A PROJECT FOR LYNBROOK THEATRE GROUP LLC AND REGAL CINEMAS, INC.

WHEREAS, the Nassau County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") is authorized and empowered by the provisions of Chapter 1030 of the 1969 Laws of New York, constituting Title I of Article 18-A of the General Municipal Law, Chapter 24 of the Consolidated Laws of New York, as amended (the "Enabling Act"), and Chapter 674 of the 1975 Laws of New York, as amended, constituting Section 922 of said General Municipal Law (said Chapter and the Enabling Act being hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Act") to promote, develop, encourage and assist in the acquiring, constructing, reconstructing, improving, maintaining, equipping and furnishing of manufacturing, industrial and commercial facilities, among others, for the purpose of promoting, attracting and developing economically sound commerce and industry to advance the job opportunities, health, general prosperity and economic welfare of the people of the State of New York, to improve their prosperity and standard of living, and to prevent unemployment and economic deterioration; and

WHEREAS, to accomplish its stated purposes, the Agency is authorized and empowered under the Act to acquire, construct, reconstruct and install one or more "projects" (as defined in the Act), or to cause said projects to be acquired, constructed, reconstructed and installed and to convey said projects or to lease said projects with the obligation to purchase; and

WHEREAS, LYNBROOK THEATRE GROUP, LLC, a limited liability company organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York ("LTG"), and REGAL CINEMAS, INC., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Tennessee ("Regal" and together with LTG, the "Applicants"), submitted a joint application for financial assistance (collectively, the "Application") to the Agency requesting that the Agency consider undertaking a project (the "Project") consisting of the following: (A)(1) the acquisition of an interest in a parcel of land located at 321 Merrick Road, Incorporated Village of Lynbrook, Town of Hempstead, Nassau County, New York (Section: 37; Block: 316; Lot: 6, 7, 8, 18, 56 and 59) (the "Land"), (2) the demolition of the existing approximately 23,000 square foot building on the Land and the construction of an approximately 80,000 square foot new theatre building on the Land (the "Building"), together with related improvements to the Land, and (3) the acquisition of certain furniture, fixtures, machinery and equipment necessary for the completion thereof (the "Equipment"), all of the foregoing for use by Regal as a 13 screen, approximately 1,660 seat RPX Theater facility (collectively, the "Project Facility"); (B) the granting of certain "financial assistance" (within the meaning of Section 854(14) of

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WHEREAS, the Application states that the Applicants are seeking an exemption from real property taxes with respect to the Project Facility that constitutes a deviation from the Agency's Uniform Tax Exemption Policy (the "Tax Exemption Policy"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 874(4) of the Act, (A) the Executive Director of the Agency caused a letter dated August 24, 2015 (the "Pilot Deviation Notice Letter") to be mailed to the chief executive officer of each affected tax jurisdiction, informing said individuals that the Agency would, at its meeting on September 8, 2015 (the "IDA Meeting"), consider a proposed deviation from the Tax Exemption Policy with respect to the payment in lieu of taxes agreement to be entered into by the Agency with respect to the Project Facility; and (B) the members of the Agency conducted the IDA Meeting on the date hereof and reviewed any comments and correspondence received with respect to the proposed deviation from the Tax Exemption Policy; and

WHEREAS, the Agency desires to provide for compliance with the provisions of Section 874(4) of the Act with respect to the proposed deviation from the Tax Exemption Policy;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF NASSAU COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Agency hereby determines that the Agency has fully complied with the requirements of Section 874(4) of the Act relating to the proposed deviation from the Tax Exemption Policy.

Section 2. Having reviewed all comments and correspondence received at or prior to the IDA Meeting, the Agency hereby approves the proposed deviation from the Tax Exemption Policy as described in the Pilot Deviation Notice Letter (a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A) because the proposed deviation is necessary to induce the Applicants to undertake the Project and because the PILOT payment for the first year of the PILOT term would not be lower than the real property taxes that should otherwise apply with respect to the Land and the existing improvements thereon as of the closing date of the proposed transaction.

Section 3. The Chairman, Vice Chairman, Administrative Director and Executive Director of the Agency are each hereby authorized and directed, acting individually or jointly, to distribute copies of this Resolution to the Applicants and to do such further things or perform such acts as may be necessary or convenient to implement the

provisions of this Resolution. If the Agency hereafter adopts appropriate final approving resolutions with respect to the proposed straight-lease transaction with the Applicants (the "Transaction"), the Chairman, Vice Chairman, Executive Director and Administrative Director of the Agency are each hereby authorized and directed, acting individually or jointly, to cause the Agency to (A) enter into a Payment in Lieu of Taxes Agreement with the Applicant, providing, among other things, that the Applicants shall make payments in lieu of taxes consistent with the formula set forth in the Pilot Deviation Notice Letter, and (B) file an application for real property tax exemption with the appropriate assessor(s) with respect to the Project Facility.

<u>Section 4</u>. This Resolution shall take effect immediately, but is subject to and conditioned upon the closing of the Transaction.

# ADOPTED: September 8, 2015

The question of the adoption of the foregoing Resolution was duly put to a vote on roll call, which resulted as follows:

Timothy Williams	VOTING	Aye
John Coumatos	VOTING	Aye
Gary Weiss	VOTING	Aye
Christopher Fusco	VOTING	Aye
Michael Rodin	VOTING	Aye

The foregoing Resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted.

STATE OF NEW YORK	)
	) SS.:
COUNTY OF NASSAU	)

We, the undersigned [Viee] Chairman and [Assistant] Secretary of the Nassau County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency"), do hereby certify that we have compared the foregoing extract of the minutes of the meeting of the members of the Agency, including the Resolution contained therein, held on September 8, 2015 with the original thereof on file in our office, and that the same is a true and correct copy of said original and of such Resolution set forth therein and of the whole of said original so far as the same relates to the subject matters therein referred to.

WE FURTHER CERTIFY that (A) all members of the Agency had due notice of said meeting; (B) said meeting was in all respects duly held; (C) pursuant to Article 7 of the Public Officers Law (the "Open Meetings Law"), said meeting was open to the general public, and due notice of the time and place of said meeting was duly given in accordance with such Open Meetings Law; and (D) there was a quorum of the members of the Agency present throughout said meeting.

WE FURTHER CERTIFY that, as of the date hereof, the attached Resolution is in full force and effect and has not been amended, repealed or rescinded.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our respective hands and affixed the seal of the Agency this  $\frac{8}{10}$  day of September, 2015.

Assistant] Secretary

[Vice] Chairman

(SEAL)

# EXHIBIT A

Pilot Deviation Notice Letter

See Attached

#### EDWARD P. MANGANO COUNTY EXECUTIVE



#### JOSEPH J. KEARNEY EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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August 24, 2015

CERTIFIED MAIL, RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED and FIRST CLASS MAIL

County Executive Edward P. Mangano County of Nassau 1550 Franklin Avenue Mineola, NY 11501

### NOTICE OF PROPOSED DEVIATION FROM UNIFORM TAX EXEMPTION POLICY

County Executive Edward P. Mangano:

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Sincerely,

NASSAU COUNTY INDUSTRIAL

DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

By:\_\_\_\_



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Supervisor Kate Murray Town of Hempstead I Washington Street Hempstead, NY 11550

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Mayor William J. Hendrick Incorporated Village of Lynbrook One Columbus Drive Lynbrook, NY 11563

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