

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEVADA

Julie Galvez, on behalf of herself and all others similarly situated v.
Hilton Resorts Corporation

Galvez · No. 2:24-cv-02147-CDS-BNW · Decided December 10, 2025

SUMMARY

The document is a stipulation and order in a putative class and collective action between Julie Galvez and Hilton Resorts Corporation. The parties jointly request a 62-day stay of proceedings to allow private mediation and exchange of pay and time records, with a status report due within 14 days after the stay expires.

CASE DETAILS

COURT	United States District Court for the District of Nevada
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DECIDED	December 10, 2025
DOCKET	2:24-cv-02147-CDS-BNW
DISPOSITION	other
PROCEDURAL POSTURE	The parties jointly stipulated to a stay of all proceedings to permit private mediation, and the district court entered the stipulated stay.
STANDARD OF REVIEW	A district court has inherent authority to stay proceedings and evaluates a stay by balancing potential prejudice, hardship or inequity, and the orderly and economical course of justice.
PRECEDENTIAL VALUE	nonprecedential

TOPICS

- mediation
- class actions
- civil procedure
- discovery dispute

PRACTICE AREAS

- civil procedure
- employment law
- class actions
- alternative dispute resolution

QUESTIONS PRESENTED

- Whether good cause existed to stay all proceedings for 62 days while the parties continued private mediation.

HOLDINGS

1. The court granted the parties' joint request and stayed all proceedings through February 10, 2026, because the parties' continued mediation could simplify or resolve the litigation, the parties identified avoidable litigation hardship, and no prejudice was shown.

KEY QUOTATIONS

“[T]he power to stay proceedings is incidental to the power inherent in every court to control the dispositions of the causes on its docket with economy of time and effort for itself, for counsel, and for litigants.” (at 2)

“A trial court may, with propriety, find it is efficient for its own docket and the fairest course for the parties to enter a stay of an action before it, pending resolution of independent proceedings which bear upon the case.”
(at 2)

FACTUAL BACKGROUND

The parties were pursuing private mediation in a putative class and collective action. The mediation was rescheduled from December 10, 2025, to February 10, 2026, in part to allow additional time to exchange extensive pay and time records. The parties represented that a stay would avoid unnecessary litigation costs and preserve judicial resources, and that neither side would be prejudiced.

PROCEDURAL HISTORY

Plaintiff filed a putative class and collective action against Hilton Resorts Corporation. The parties requested a fourth stay of the case so they could continue mediation and exchange pay and time records; the court approved a 62-day stay through February 10, 2026, and required a joint status report afterward.

DISPOSITION

other

CASES CITED

- Landis v. North American Co., 299 U.S. 248, 254 (1936)
- Pate v. DePay Orthopedics, Inc., No. 2:12-cv-01168-MMD-CWH, 2012 WL 3532780, at *2 (D. Nev. Aug. 14, 2012)
- Coker v. Dowd, No. 2:13-cv-0994-JCM-NJK, 2013 WL 12216682, at *1 (D. Nev. July 8, 2013)
- Lockyer v. Mirant Corp., 398 F.3d 1098, 1110 (9th Cir. 2005)