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IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

In re: MORTGAGES LTD.,	Chapter 7 Involuntary Proceedings
Debtor.	Case No. 2:08-bk-07465-RJH
	REPLY TO OBJECTION TO TLC MOTION TO CONTINUE STANDSTILL AGREEMENT

Tempe Land Company LLC ("TLC"), a creditor and interested party in this case, by and through its undersigned counsel, hereby files its Reply to the Objection to TLC's Motion to Continue Standstill Agreement ("Motion") and requests this Court extend the deadlines more fully described in the Motion to November 16, 2009

The Objection simply states that Standstill Agreement expired and that the ML Manager filed a lift stay motion in the converted (Chapter 7) TLC case. Notwithstanding, these developments are not significant enough to warrant a summary denial of the Motion. Doing so would negate extensive settlement discussions and kill any chance the parties have at settling litigation and avoiding the inevitably high cost of continuing the same. Further, the bankruptcy court in the TLC case just recently approved the retention of the new counsel and, since said counsel was not involved in the settlement talks or prior litigation, it will need at least need until **November 16, 2009**, to get caught up to speed on the issues raised by the dispute between the ML Manager and TLC.

1	WHEREFORE, Tempe Land Company requests that this Court enter an order extending the	
2	deadlines contained in the Standstill Agreement pursuant to the form of Order filed simultaneously	
3	herewith.	
4	DATED this 16th day of October, 2009.	
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