

Exhibit 9:
Declaration of Jeffrey Larsen

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12 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
13 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

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15 JOHN V. FERRIS and JOANN M. FERRIS,
16 Individually and on Behalf of All Others
Similarly Situated,

17 Plaintiffs,

18 v.

19 WYNN RESORTS LIMITED, et al.,

20 Defendants.

Case No. 2:18-CV-00479-CDS-BNW

DECLARATION OF JEFFREY A. LARSEN IN SUPPORT OF (I) FINAL APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT AND (II) LEAD COUNSEL'S MOTION FOR ATTORNEYS' FEES, LITIGATION EXPENSES, AND COMPENSATORY AWARDS

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28 **DECLARATION OF JEFFERY A. LARSEN**

1 I, Jeffrey A. Larsen, declare under penalty of perjury, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, that
2 the following is true and correct:

3 1. I submit this declaration in support of (I) final approval of the class action
4 settlement in the above-captioned action (the “Action”), and (II) Lead Counsel’s motion for
5 attorneys’ fees, litigation expenses, and compensatory awards to Plaintiffs, including a
6 compensatory award to me in the amount of \$20,000 for time spent directly related to my
7 representation of the Class.

8 2. On April 23, 2018, I moved to be appointed lead plaintiff in this Action. On March
9 1, 2019, the amended complaint in this Action named me as an additional plaintiff. On March 1,
10 2023, the Court appointed me, along with John V. Ferris and Joann M. Ferris, as class
11 representatives (the “Class Representatives”) in this Action. At all times, I have diligently pursued
12 the effective prosecution of this Action and actively monitored its progress.

13 3. I retained the Rosen Law Firm, P.A. (“Rosen Law”) to represent myself, and
14 throughout the Action, I have remained in regular contact with Rosen Law and Lead Counsel
15 Pomeranz LLP, who have provided me with periodic updates regarding all aspects of the case.
16 Among other things, I reviewed all complaints filed in the action and cooperated in discovery by
17 searching for and producing documents and responding to interrogatories.

18 4. I provided testimony in my deposition on August 30, 2022. My deposition lasted
19 6.5 hours. In connection that that deposition, I spent many hours reviewing documents and
20 preparing for the deposition with Rosen Law. Further, I provided Lead Counsel with settlement
21 authority to settle the Action in the range that they did.

22 5. I have spent approximately 100 hours prosecuting this case. I estimate that my
23 hourly compensation for my time is \$200 per hour.

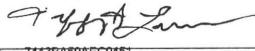
24 6. In light of the foregoing, I respectfully request that the Court approve an award to
25 me in the amount of \$20,000 to compensate me for the time I expended, and the risks I took on, as
26 an additional plaintiff and Class Representative in this Action.

1 7. I am very satisfied with the representation I received in this Action. I support Lead
2 Counsel’s application for attorneys’ fees and believe that the request fee is reasonable in light of
3 the expertise of my counsel, the amount of work they performed on my behalf and on behalf of
4 the Class towards the successful resolution of this Action, the large out-of-pocket expenses they
5 incurred, and the fact that Plaintiffs’ Counsel took on considerable risk, with no guarantee of any
6 recovery.

7 8. I also support reimbursement of attorneys’ expenses as requested by Lead Counsel,
8 as I believe these expenses have been reasonably incurred while prosecuting this Action on behalf
9 of the Class.

10 9. In sum, I respectfully request that the Court approve the Settlement, award me
11 \$20,000, approve Lead Counsel’s requested attorneys’ fees, and award Lead Counsel full
12 reimbursement of expenses.

13 Executed this 12/10/2024 day of December, 2024

Signed by:

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Jeffrey A. Larsen

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on December 23, 2024, a copy of the foregoing was filed electronically and served by mail on anyone unable to accept electronic filing. Notice of this filing will be sent by e-mail to all parties by operation of the Court’s electronic filing system or by mail to anyone unable to accept electronic filing as indicated on the Notice of Electronic Filing. Parties may access this filing through the Court’s CM/ECF System.

/s/ Murielle J. Steven Walsh
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