

Registration of a Charge

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Date: 24	4 December 2021

- (1) GEORGE HOLDINGS (UK) LIMITED
- (2) LONDON AND REGIONAL PROPERTIES LIMITED (as Chargors)
 - (3) AAREAL BANK AG, WIESBADEN (as Security Agent)

SUBORDINATED CREDITOR'S SECURITY AGREEMENT

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THIS DEED is made the 24th day of December

2021 BETWEEN

- (1) GEORGE HOLDINGS (UK) LIMITED, a company incorporated in England and Wales with registered number 03781850 and whose registered office is at Quadrant House Floor 6, 4 Thomas More Square, London, E1W 1YW, and LONDON AND REGIONAL PROPERTIES LIMITED, a company incorporated in England and Wales with registered number 02909660 and whose registered office is at Quadrant House Floor 6, 4 Thomas More Square, London, E1W 1YW (each a "Chargor" and together, the "Chargors"); and
- (2) AAREAL BANK AG, WIESBADEN, as agent and trustee for itself and each of the Secured Parties (the "Security Agent").

INTRODUCTION

- (A) The Secured Parties have agreed to make credit facilities available to the Borrower on the terms and conditions set out in the Facility Agreement (as is defined below).
- (B) Each Chargor acknowledges that its entry into this Deed is a condition of the Secured Parties making such credit facilities available to the Borrower and has agreed to enter into this Deed to provide Security over the Secured Assets (as is defined below) to the Security Agent to hold on trust for itself and the other Secured Parties.

IT IS AGREED as follows:-

1. INTERPRETATION

1.1 Definitions

In this Deed:

"Borrower" means London Portman Hotel Limited, a company incorporated in England and Wales with registered number 00932874 having its registered address at Quadrant House Floor 6, 4 Thomas More Square, London, E1W 1YW;

"**Default Rate**" means the rate specified in clause 8.10 (*Default interest*) of the Facility Agreement;

"Facility Agreement" means the facility agreement dated on or about the date of this Deed between, among others, the Borrower and the Security Agent;

"LPA" means the Law of Property Act 1925;

"Party" means a party to this Deed;

"Receiver" means any receiver, receiver and manager or, to the extent permitted by law, an administrative receiver (whether appointed pursuant to this Deed or any statute, by a court or otherwise) of the whole or any part of the Secured Assets;

"Regulations" means the Financial Collateral Arrangements (No2) Regulations 2003 (S.I. 2003/3226) or equivalent legislation in any applicable jurisdiction bringing into effect Directive 2002/47/EC on financial collateral arrangements;

"Related Rights" means:

- (a) all rights, powers, benefits, claims, contracts, warranties, remedies, security, guarantees, indemnities or covenants for title in respect of the Secured Assets; and
- (b) any moneys and proceeds or income paid or payable in respect of the Secured Assets;

"Relevant Jurisdiction" means:

- (a) any Chargor's jurisdiction of incorporation;
- (b) any jurisdiction where any asset subject to or intended to be subject to the Security created by any Chargor pursuant to this Deed is situated; and
- (c) the jurisdiction whose laws govern the perfection of this Deed;

"Secured Assets" means all the assets and undertaking of any Chargor which from time to time are, or purport to be, the subject of the Security created in favour of the Security Agent by or pursuant to this Deed;

"Secured Liability" means all present and future obligations or liabilities (whether actual or contingent and whether owed jointly or severally or in any other capacity whatsoever) of each Transaction Obligor to any Secured Party under each Finance Document (together the "Secured Liabilities");

"Security" means a mortgage, charge, pledge, lien or other security interest securing any obligation of any person or any other agreement or arrangement having a similar effect:

"Security Period" means the period beginning on the date of this Deed and ending on the date which the Security Agent is satisfied:

- (a) all of the Secured Liabilities have been unconditionally and irrevocably paid and discharged in full; and
- (b) no Secured Party has any further commitment, obligation or liability under or pursuant to the Finance Documents;

"Subordinated Debt" means all present and future obligations or liabilities (whether actual or contingent and whether owed jointly or severally or in any other capacity whatsoever) of the Borrower to any Chargor pursuant to a Subordinated Document or otherwise; and

"Subordinated Documents" means any agreement evidencing or recording the terms of the Subordinated Debt.

1.2 Incorporation of Terms

Unless the context otherwise requires or unless defined in this Deed, all words and expressions defined or whose interpretation is provided for in the Facility Agreement shall have the same meanings in this Deed.

1.3 Interpretation

1.3.1 The principles of interpretation set out in clause 1.2 (Construction) of the Facility Agreement shall apply to this Deed insofar as they are relevant to it.

1.3.2 Unless the context otherwise requires, a reference to a "Finance Document" or any other agreement, deed or instrument is a reference to that Finance Document or other agreement, deed or instrument as amended, novated, supplemented, restated or replaced (however fundamentally) and includes any increase in, extension of, or change to, any facility made available under that Finance Document or other agreement, deed or instrument.

1.4 Acknowledgement

Each Chargor acknowledges that the Security Agent enters into this Deed for itself and as trustee for the Secured Parties who shall be entitled to the full benefit of this Deed.

1.5 Effect as a deed

This Deed shall take effect as a deed even if it is signed under hand on behalf of the Security Agent.

1.6 Third party rights

- 1.6.1 Each Secured Party, any Receiver and their respective officers, employees and agents may enforce any term of this Deed which purports to confer a benefit on that person, but no other person who is not a Party has any right under the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 to enforce or enjoy the benefit of any term of this Deed.
- 1.6.2 Notwithstanding any term of any Finance Document, the Parties and any Receiver may rescind, vary, waive, release, assign, novate or otherwise dispose of all or any of their respective rights or obligations under this Deed without the consent of any person who is not a Party.

1.7 Several liability

The liability and obligations of each Chargor under this Deed is several and not joint.

2. LIMITED RECOURSE

Notwithstanding any other term of this Deed, the Security Agent agrees that its right of enforcement under this Deed against any Chargor shall be limited to the rights of enforcement and/or recovery against the Secured Assets of that Chargor and such liability will only be satisfied by the proceeds of sale, disposal or realisation of the Secured Assets in respect of that Chargor.

3. SECURITY

3.1 Assignment

Each Chargor assigns absolutely, subject to a proviso for reassignment on the irrevocable discharge in full of the Secured Liabilities, all its right, title and interest from time to time in:

- 3.1.1 the Subordinated Debt:
- 3.1.2 the Subordinated Documents; and
- 3.1.3 all Related Rights under or in connection with the Subordinated Debt and the Subordinated Documents.

3.2 Charge

To the extent not effectively assigned under Clause 3.1 (Assignment), each Chargor charges by way of first fixed charge:

- 3.2.1 the Subordinated Debt;
- 3.2.2 the Subordinated Documents; and
- 3.2.3 all Related Rights under or in connection with the Subordinated Debt and the Subordinated Documents.

3.3 Trust

If or to the extent that for any reason the assignment or charging of any Secured Asset is prohibited, each Chargor shall:

- 3.3.1 hold it on trust for the Security Agent as security for the payment and discharge of the Secured Liabilities; and
- 3.3.2 take such steps as the Security Agent may require to remove the impediment to assignment or charging.

3.4 Nature of Security created

The Security created under this Deed is created:

- 3.4.1 as a continuing security to secure the payment and discharge of the Secured Liabilities and shall not be released or discharged by any intermediate payment or settlement of all or any of the Secured Liabilities;
- 3.4.2 in favour of the Security Agent as trustee for the Secured Parties; and
- 3.4.3 with full title guarantee in accordance with the Law of Property (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1994.

4. PERFECTION OF SECURITY

- 4.1 Each Chargor must deliver notices of assignment in relation to the Secured Assets on the date of this Deed in the form set out in Schedule 1 (Form of notice of assignment).
- 4.2 Each Chargor must:
 - 4.2.1 use all reasonable endeavours to procure that, within 14 days of the date of this Deed, each notice of assignment is acknowledged by the Borrower; and
 - 4.2.2 deliver to the Security Agent a copy of each acknowledgment of a notice of assignment within 5 Business Days of receipt from the Borrower.

5. REPRESENTATIONS

Each Chargor makes the representations and warranties set out in this Clause 5 to the Security Agent on the date of this Deed and on the same date as the Repeating Representations with reference to the facts and circumstances then existing on the date of repetition.

5.1 Status

- 5.1.1 It is a limited liability corporation, duly incorporated and validly existing under the law of its jurisdiction of incorporation.
- 5.1.2 It has the power to own its own assets and carry on its business as it is being conducted.

5.2 Binding obligations

The obligations expressed to be assumed by it in this Deed are, subject to the Legal Reservations, legal, valid, binding and enforceable obligations.

5.3 Non-conflict with other obligations

The entry into and performance by it of, and the transactions contemplated by, this Deed and the granting of Security pursuant to this Deed do not and will not conflict with:-

- 5.3.1 any law or regulation applicable to it;
- 5.3.2 its constitutional documents; or
- 5.3.3 any agreement or instrument binding upon it or any of its assets or constitute a default or termination event (however described) under any such agreement or instrument where failure to do so will have a Material Adverse Effect.

5.4 Power and authority

- 5.4.1 It has the power to enter into, perform and deliver, and has taken all necessary action to authorise its entry into, performance and delivery of, this Deed and the transactions contemplated by this Deed.
- 5.4.2 No limit on its powers will be exceeded as a result of the grant of Security or giving of any guarantee or indemnity contemplated by this Deed.

5.5 Validity and admissibility in evidence

All Authorisations required or desirable:

- 5.5.1 to enable it lawfully to enter into, exercise its rights and comply with its obligations in this Deed; and
- 5.5.2 to make this Deed admissible in evidence in the Relevant Jurisdictions,

have been obtained or effected and are in full force and effect if failure to obtain or effect those Authorisations has or is reasonably likely to have a Material Adverse Effect.

5.6 Governing law and enforcement

- 5.6.1 Subject to the Legal Reservations, the choice of English law to govern this Deed will be recognised and enforced in the Relevant Jurisdictions.
- 5.6.2 Subject to the Legal Reservations, any judgment obtained in relation to this Deed in England will be recognised and enforced in the Relevant Jurisdictions.

5.7 No filing or stamp taxes

Under the laws of each Relevant Jurisdiction it is not necessary that this Deed be registered, filed, recorded, notarised or enrolled with any court or other authority in that jurisdiction or that any stamp, registration, notarial or similar Taxes or fees be paid on or in relation to this Deed or the transactions contemplated by it except registration of particulars of this Deed at Companies House under the Companies Act 2006 and payment of associated fees which registration and fees will be made and paid promptly after the date of this Deed.

5.8 Solvency

On the date of this Deed, it is not unable nor has it admitted inability to pay its debts as they fall due.

5.9 Title to Secured Assets

It is the legal and beneficial owner of the Secured Assets.

5.10 Centre of main interests and establishments

For the purposes of Regulation (EU) 2015/848 of 20 May 2015 on insolvency proceedings (recast), as amended (the "**Regulation**"), its centre of main interest (as that term is used in Article 3(1) of the Regulation) is situated in England and Wales and it has no "establishment" (as that term is used in Article 2(10) of the Regulation) in any other jurisdiction.

5.11 Ranking of Security

Subject to the Legal Reservations, the Security conferred by this Deed constitutes a first priority security interest of the type described in this Deed over the Security Assets.

6. GENERAL UNDERTAKINGS

The undertakings in this Clause remain in force at all times during the Security Period.

6.1 Further assurance

Each Chargor undertakes that it shall, from time to time and at its own expense, promptly do whatever the Security Agent requires to:

- 6.1.1 give effect to the requirements of this Deed;
- 6.1.2 perfect, preserve or protect the Security created or expressed to be created by this Deed, or its priority; or
- 6.1.3 once the Security created by this Deed has become enforceable, facilitate the realisation of the Secured Assets or the exercise of any rights vested in the Security Agent or any Receiver by this Deed or by law,

including executing any charge, assignment or assurance of or in respect of the Secured Assets (whether to the Security Agent or its nominees or otherwise), making any registration and giving any notice, order or direction. The obligations of each Chargor under this Clause 6.1 are in addition to the covenants for further assurance deemed to be included by virtue of the Law of Property (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1994.

6.2 Negative pledge

Save as permitted in the Finance Documents, each Chargor undertakes that it shall not create or permit to subsist any Security over any Secured Assets.

6.3 Disposals

Save as permitted in the Finance Documents, each Chargor undertakes that it shall not enter into or agree to enter into a single transaction or a series of transactions (whether related or not and whether voluntary or involuntary) to sell, transfer or otherwise dispose of any Secured Assets.

6.4 Payments without deduction

Each Chargor undertakes that all payments to be made by it under this Deed shall be calculated and made without (and free and clear of any deduction for) set-off or counterclaim.

7. UNDERTAKINGS RELATING TO SECURED ASSETS

- 7.1 Each Chargor undertakes that it shall:-
 - 7.1.1 perform all its obligations in respect of the Secured Assets in a diligent and timely manner; and
 - 7.1.2 notify the Security Agent of any breach of or default under a Subordinated Document by the Borrower and any right that arises entitling the Borrower to terminate or rescind a Subordinated Document, promptly upon becoming aware of the same.
- 7.2 Each Chargor undertakes that it shall not, without the prior written consent of the Security Agent:
 - 7.2.1 amend, supplement, supersede or waive any provision (or agree to do to any of the foregoing) of any Subordinated Document;
 - 7.2.2 exercise any right to rescind, cancel, terminate or release the Borrower from any obligations (or agree to do to any of the foregoing) in respect of any Secured Assets; or
 - 7.2.3 assign, transfer, charge or otherwise deal with or dispose of any Secured Assets or any of its rights, title, interest and benefits in, to and in respect of any Secured Assets,

except as permitted by the terms of the Finance Documents.

7.3 Save as expressly restricted pursuant to the terms of the Finance Documents, while no Event of Default is continuing, any Chargor may exercise all its rights in respect of the Secured Assets including receiving and exercising all rights relating to proceeds of the Secured Assets.

8. DEMAND AND ENFORCEMENT

8.1 Enforcement

The Security created by this Deed shall become enforceable upon:

- 8.1.1 the occurrence of an Event of Default which is continuing; or
- 8.1.2 any request being made by any Chargor to the Security Agent for the appointment of a Receiver, or for the Security Agent to exercise any other power or right available to it.

8.2 Powers on enforcement

At any time after the Security created by this Deed has become enforceable, the Security Agent may (without prejudice to any other rights and remedies and without notice to any Chargor) do all or any of the following:

- 8.2.1 exercise the power of sale under section 101 of the LPA together with all other powers and rights conferred on mortgagees by the LPA, as varied and extended by this Deed, without the restrictions contained in sections 103 or 109(1) of the LPA;
- 8.2.2 to the extent that any Secured Asset constitutes "Financial Collateral" and this Deed constitutes a "security financial collateral arrangement" each as defined in the Regulations, appropriate all or any part of the Secured Assets in or towards satisfaction of the Secured Liability (including transferring the title in and to it to the Security Agent insofar as not already transferred, subject to paragraphs (1) and (2) of Regulation 18), the value of the property so appropriated being the amount standing to the credit of the relevant Account (where the property is the benefit of an Account) or, in any other case, such amount as the Security Agent shall determine in a commercially reasonable manner; and
- 8.2.3 subject to Clause 9.1 (*Method of appointment or removal*), appoint one or more persons to be a Receiver or Receivers of all or any of the Secured Assets.

8.3 Disposal of the Secured Assets

In exercising the powers referred to in Clause 8.2 (*Powers on enforcement*), the Security Agent or any Receiver may sell or dispose of all or any of the Secured Assets at the times, in the manner and order, on the terms and conditions and for the consideration determined by it.

8.4 Same rights as Receiver

Any rights conferred by this Deed upon a Receiver may be exercised by the Security Agent after the Security created by this Deed has become enforceable, whether or not the Security Agent shall have taken possession or appointed a Receiver of the Secured Assets.

8.5 Delegation

The Security Agent may delegate in any manner to any person any rights exercisable by the Security Agent under this Deed. Any such delegation may be made upon such terms and conditions (including power to sub delegate) as the Security Agent thinks fit.

9. RECEIVERS

9.1 Method of appointment or removal

Every appointment or removal of a Receiver, any delegate or any other person by the Security Agent under this Deed shall be in writing under the hand of any officer or manager of the Security Agent (subject to any requirement for a court order in the case of the removal of an administrative receiver).

9.2 Removal

The Security Agent may (subject to the application of section 45 of the Insolvency Act 1986) remove any person from office in relation to all or any part of the Secured Assets of which he is the Receiver and at any time (before or after any person shall have vacated office or ceased to act as Receiver in respect of any of such Secured Assets) appoint a further or other Receiver or Receivers over all or any part of such Secured Assets.

9.3 Powers

Every Receiver shall have and be entitled to exercise all the powers:-

- 9.3.1 of the Security Agent under this Deed;
- 9.3.2 conferred by the LPA on receivers appointed under the LPA (as extended by this Deed) to the extent applicable to the Secured Assets;
- 9.3.3 in relation to, and to the extent applicable to, the Secured Assets or any of them, of an administrative receiver set out in Schedule 1 to the Insolvency Act 1986, whether or not the Receiver is an administrative receiver;
- 9.3.4 in relation to any Secured Assets, which he would have if he were its only beneficial owner; and
- 9.3.5 to do all things incidental or conducive to any functions, powers, authorities or discretions conferred or vested in the Receiver.

9.4 Receiver as agent

The Receiver shall be the agent of each Chargor (and each Chargor shall be solely liable for the Receiver's acts, defaults, remuneration, losses and liabilities) unless and until each Chargor goes into liquidation, from which time the Receiver shall act as principal and shall not become the agent of the Security Agent.

9.5 Joint or several

If two or more persons are appointed as Receivers of the same assets, they may act jointly and/or severally so that (unless any instrument appointing them specifies to the contrary) each of them may exercise individually all the powers and discretions conferred on Receivers by this Deed.

9.6 Receiver's remuneration

Every Receiver shall be entitled to remuneration for his services at a rate to be fixed by the Security Agent and the maximum rate specified in section 109(6) of the LPA shall not apply.

10. APPLICATION OF MONEYS

10.1 Application of moneys

All sums received by virtue of this Deed by the Security Agent or any Receiver shall, subject to the payment of any claim having priority to this Deed, be paid or applied in the following order of priority:-

- 10.1.1 first, in or towards satisfaction pro rata of, or the provision pro rata for, all costs, charges and expenses incurred and payments made by the Security Agent as agent for the Secured Parties and/or as trustee in relation to the this Deed, or by any Receiver (including legal expenses), together with interest at the Default Rate (both before and after judgment) from the date those amounts became due until the date they are irrevocably paid in full;
- secondly, in or towards the payment pro rata of, or the provision pro rata for, any unpaid fees, commission or remuneration of the Security Agent or any Receiver;
- 10.1.3 thirdly, in or towards payment of the Secured Liabilities in accordance with the Facility Agreement;
- 10.1.4 fourthly, in the payment of the surplus (if any), to each Chargor or any other person entitled to it,

and section 109(8) of the LPA shall not apply to this Deed.

11. POWER OF ATTORNEY

11.1 Appointment

- 11.1.1 Each Chargor, by way of security, irrevocably and severally appoints the Security Agent, each Receiver and any of their respective delegates or subdelegates to be its attorney with the full power and authority of each Chargor to execute, deliver and perfect all deeds, instruments and other documents in its name and otherwise on its behalf and to do or cause to be done all acts and things, in each case which:
 - (a) prior to the occurrence of an Event of Default, each Chargor is obliged under or pursuant to any Finance Document to do (to the extent that such an obligation relates to the preservation, protection, perfection or enforcement of any Security Asset) and which each Chargor has failed to comply with within five Business Days of a request from the Security Agent; and
 - (b) on and following the occurrence of an Event of Default, may be required or which any attorney may in its absolute discretion deem necessary for carrying out any obligation of each Chargor under or pursuant to this Deed or generally for enabling the Security Agent or any Receiver to exercise the respective powers conferred on them under this Deed or by law, where the Security Agent has requested that each Chargor carry out such steps and each Chargor has failed to comply with such request.
- 11.1.2 Each Chargor ratifies and confirms whatever any attorney does or purports to do under its appointment under this Clause 11.1.

11.2 Ratification

Each Chargor ratifies and confirms and agrees to ratify and confirm whatever any attorney appointed pursuant to Clause 11.1 (Appointment) does or purports to do in the exercise or purported exercise of all or any of the powers, acts or other matters referred to in Clause 11.1 (Appointment).

12. PROTECTION OF THE SECURITY AGENT, THE SECURED PARTIES AND ANY RECEIVER

12.1 No liability

None of the Security Agent, the other Secured Parties, any Receiver or any of their respective officers, employees or delegates shall be liable in respect of any cost, liability, expense, loss or damage which arises out of the exercise, or attempted or purported exercise of, or the failure to exercise, any of their respective rights under this Deed.

12.2 Not mortgagee in possession

Without prejudice to any other provision of this Deed, entry into possession of any Secured Assets shall not render the Security Agent, any Receiver or any of their respective officers or employees liable:-

- 12.2.1 to account as mortgagee in possession;
- 12.2.2 for any loss on realisation; or
- 12.2.3 for any default or omission for which a mortgagee in possession might be liable.

and if and whenever the Security Agent or any Receiver enters into possession of any Secured Assets it shall be entitled at any time it or he thinks fit to relinquish possession.

12.3 Indemnity

Each Chargor shall indemnify and keep indemnified the Security Agent, each other Secured Party, any Receiver, and their respective officers, employees and delegates, against all claims, costs, expenses and liabilities incurred by them in respect of all or any of the following:-

- 12.3.1 any act or omission by any of them in relation to all or any of the Secured Assets;
- any payment relating to or in respect of all or any of the Secured Assets which is made at any time by any of them;
- 12.3.3 any stamp, registration or similar Tax or duty which becomes payable in connection with the entry into, or the performance or enforcement of, this Deed;
- 12.3.4 exercising or purporting to exercise or failing to exercise any of the rights, powers and discretions conferred on them or permitted under this Deed; and
- any breach by any Chargor of any of its covenants or other obligations to the Security Agent or any other Secured Party,

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except in the case of gross negligence or wilful misconduct on the part of that person.

12.4 Indemnity out of the Secured Assets

The Security Agent, the other Secured Parties, any Receiver and their respective officers, employees and delegates shall be entitled to be indemnified out of the Secured Assets in respect of the actions, proceedings, demands, claims, costs, expenses and liabilities referred to in Clause 12.3 (*Indemnity*), and following enforcement of the Security under this Deed, can apply proceeds of recovery from the Secured Assets against such actions, proceedings, demands, claims, costs, expenses and liabilities referred to in Clause 12.3 (*Indemnity*).

12.5 Liability of Chargors related to Secured Assets

Notwithstanding anything contained in this Deed or implied to the contrary, each Chargor remains liable to observe and perform all conditions and obligations assumed by it in relation to the Secured Assets. None of the Secured Parties, the Security Agent or any Receiver is under any obligation to perform or fulfil any such condition or obligation or to make any payment in respect of any such condition or obligation.

13. PROVISIONS RELATING TO THE SECURITY AGENT

13.1 Powers and discretions

The rights, powers and discretions given to the Security Agent in this Deed:-

- may be exercised as often as, and in such manner as, the Security Agent thinks fit;
- 13.1.2 are cumulative, and are not exclusive of any of its rights under the general law; and
- 13.1.3 may only be waived in writing and specifically, and any delay in exercising, or non exercise of, any right, is not a waiver of it.

13.2 Certificates

A certificate by an officer of the Security Agent:

- 13.2.1 as to any amount for the time being due to the Secured Parties or any of them; or
- 13.2.2 as to any sums payable to the Security Agent under this Deed,
- 13.2.3 shall (save in the case of manifest error) be conclusive and binding upon each Chargor for the purpose to which it relates.

13.3 Assignment

In accordance with the Facility Agreement:

13.3.1 the Security Agent may assign this Deed to any successor in title to any of the Secured Liabilities or to a replacement Security Agent and each Secured Party may assign its interest in this Deed in whole or in part to any successor in title to any of the Secured Liabilities; and

13.3.2 the Security Agent and any Secured Party may disclose any information in its possession relating to any Chargor, its affairs or the Secured Liabilities to any actual or prospective assignee.

13.4 Trusts

The perpetuity period for any other constituted by this Deed shall be 125 years.

14. PRESERVATION OF SECURITY

14.1 Continuing Security

This Deed shall be a continuing security to the Security Agent and shall remain in force until expressly discharged in writing by the Security Agent notwithstanding any intermediate settlement of account or other matter or thing whatsoever.

14.2 Additional Security

This Deed is without prejudice and in addition to, and shall not merge with, any other right, remedy or Security of any kind which the Security Agent or any other Secured Party may have now or at any time in the future for or in respect of any of the Secured Liabilities.

14.3 Waiver of Defences

Neither the Security created by this Deed nor the obligations of any Chargor under this Deed will be affected by an act, omission, matter or thing which, but for this Clause, would reduce, release or prejudice that Security or any of those obligations (whether or not known to it, the Security Agent or any other Secured Party) including:-

- 14.3.1 any time, waiver or consent granted to, or composition with, any Transaction Obligor or other person;
- the release of any Transaction Obligor or any other person under the terms of any composition or arrangement with any person;
- 14.3.3 the taking, variation, compromise, exchange, renewal, enforcement or release of, or refusal or neglect to perfect, take up or enforce, any rights against, or Security over, assets of any Transaction Obligor or other person or any non presentation or non observance of any formality or other requirement in respect of any instrument or any failure to realise the full value of any Security;
- 14.3.4 any incapacity or lack of power, authority or legal personality of or dissolution or change in the members or status of any Transaction Obligor or any other person;
- 14.3.5 any amendment (however fundamental), replacement, variation, novation, assignment or the avoidance or termination of a Finance Document or any other document or Security;
- 14.3.6 any unenforceability, illegality or invalidity of any obligation of, or any Security created by, any person under any Finance Document or any other document; or
- 14.3.7 an insolvency, liquidation, administration or similar procedure.

14.4 Immediate recourse

Each Chargor waives any right it may have of first requiring the Security Agent or any other Secured Party (or any trustee or agent on its behalf) to proceed against or enforce any other rights of Security or claim payment from any person before claiming from any Chargor under this Deed. This waiver applies irrespective of any law or any provision of a Finance Document to the contrary.

14.5 Appropriations

During the Security Period the Security Agent and each Secured Party may (unless the sums are sufficient to repay the Secured Liabilities in full):

- 14.5.1 refrain from applying or enforcing any moneys, Security or rights held or received by it (or any trustee or agent on its behalf) in respect of the Secured Liabilities, or, subject to Clause 10.1 (Application of moneys), apply and enforce the same in such manner and order as it sees fit (whether against the Secured Liabilities or otherwise) and each Chargor shall not be entitled to the same; and
- 14.5.2 hold in an interest bearing suspense account any moneys received from any Chargor on or account of the Secured Liabilities.

14.6 New accounts

If the Security Agent or any other Secured Party receives notice (whether actual or otherwise) of any subsequent Security over or affecting any of the Secured Assets or if a petition is presented or a resolution passed in relation to the winding up of any Chargor, the Security Agent and the relevant Secured Party or Secured Parties may close the current account or accounts and/or open a new account or accounts for any Chargor. If the Security Agent or any other Secured Party does not open a new account or accounts immediately it shall nevertheless be treated as if it had done so at the time when the relevant event occurred, and as from that time all payments made by any Chargor to the Security Agent or that Secured Party shall be credited or be treated as having been credited the new account or accounts and shall not operate to reduce the Secured Liabilities.

14.7 Tacking

For the purposes of section 94(1) of the LPA the Security Agent confirms on behalf of the Secured Parties that the Secured Parties shall make further advances to the Borrower on the terms and subject to the conditions of the Finance Documents.

14.8 Deferral of Chargors' rights

During the Security Period and unless the Security Agent otherwise directs, no Chargor shall exercise any rights which it may have by reason of performance by its obligations under this Deed or the enforcement of the Security created by this Deed:

- 14.8.1 to receive or claim payment from, or be indemnified by a Transaction Obligor;
- 14.8.2 to claim any contribution from any guarantor of, or provider of Security in respect of, any Transaction Obligor's obligations under the Finance Documents;

- 14.8.3 to take the benefit (in whole or in part and whether by way of subrogation or otherwise) of any rights of any Secured Party under any Finance Document or of any guarantee or Security taken pursuant to, or in connection with, the Finance Documents by any Secured Party;
- 14.8.4 to exercise any right of set off against any Transaction Obligor; and/or
- 14.8.5 to claim or prove as a creditor of any Transaction Obligor in competition with any Secured Party.

15. RELEASE

15.1 Release

Upon the irrevocable and unconditional payment and discharge in full of the Secured Liabilities and the termination of all facilities which might give rise to Secured Liabilities, the Security Agent shall, or shall procure that its appointees will, at the request and cost of any Chargor:-

- 15.1.1 release the Secured Assets from this Deed; and
- 15.1.2 reassign the Secured Assets that has been assigned to the Security Agent under this Deed.

15.2 Reinstatement

If the Security Agent considers (acting reasonably) that any amount paid or credited to any Secured Party under any Finance Document (whether in respect of the obligations of any Transaction Obligor or any Security for those obligations or otherwise) is capable of being avoided, reduced or otherwise set aside:-

- 15.2.1 that amount shall not be considered to have been paid for the purposes of determining whether the Secured Liabilities have been irrevocably and unconditionally paid and discharged; and
- 15.2.2 the liability of each Chargor and the Security created by this Deed shall continue as if that amount had not been paid or credited.

16. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

16.1 Severability

If any provision of this Deed is illegal, invalid or unenforceable in any jurisdiction, that shall not affect:

- 16.1.1 the validity or enforceability of any other provision, in any jurisdiction; or
- 16.1.2 the validity or enforceability of that particular provision, in any other jurisdiction.

16.2 Counterparts

This Deed may be executed in any number of counterparts, and this has the same effect as if the signatures on the counterparts were on a single copy of this Deed.

17. NOTICES

17.1 Communications in Writing

Each communication to be made under or in connection with this Deed shall be made in writing.

17.2 Addresses

The address and electronic mail address (and the department or officer, if any, for whose attention the communication is to be made) of each Party for any communication or document to be made or delivered under or in connection with this Deed is that identified with its name (in the execution pages) below or any substitute address, electronic mail address or department or officer as a Party may notify to the other by not less than five Business Days' notice.

17.3 Delivery

Any such communication shall be addressed as provided in Clause 17.2 (Addresses) and, if so addressed, shall be deemed to have been duly given or made as follows:

- 17.3.1 if sent by personal delivery, upon delivery at the address of the relevant party;
- 17.3.2 if sent by electronic mail, when received in legible form;
- 17.3.3 if sent by first class post, two Business Days after the date of posting,

provided that if, in accordance with the above provisions, any such communication would otherwise be deemed to be given or made outside working hours, such communication shall be deemed to be given or made at the start of the next period of working hours.

17.4 English language

- 17.4.1 Any notice given under or in connection with this Deed must be in English.
- 17.4.2 All other documents provided under or in connection with this Deed must be:
 - (a) in English; or
 - (b) if not in English, and if so required by the Security Agent or Agent, accompanied by a certified English translation and, in this case, the English translation will prevail unless the document is a constitutional, statutory or other official document.

18. GOVERNING LAW

This Deed and any non contractual obligations arising out of or in connection with it are governed by English law.

19. ENFORCEMENT

19.1 Jurisdiction of English Courts

19.1.1 The courts of England have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any dispute arising out of or in connection with this Deed (including a dispute regarding the

- existence, validity or termination of this Deed or any non contractual obligation arising out of or in connection with this Deed) (a "Dispute").
- 19.1.2 The Parties to this Deed agree that the courts of England are the most appropriate and convenient courts to settle disputes and accordingly no such Party will argue to the contrary.
- 19.1.3 This Clause 19.1 is for the benefit of the Secured Parties only. As a result, no Secured Party shall be prevented from taking proceedings relating to a Dispute in any other courts with jurisdiction. To the extent allowed by law, the Secured Parties may take concurrent proceedings in any number of jurisdictions.

EXECUTED AND DELIVERED AS A DEED on the date set out at the beginning of this Deed.

SCHEDULE 1 – FORM OF NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT FORM OF NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT

To be printed on the headed notepaper of each Chargor as applicable

To:	London Portman Hotel Limited		
	Quadrant House Floor 6, 4 Thomas More Square, London, E1W 1YW		
	Date:	[]

Dear Sirs

[DESCRIPTION OF SUBORDINATED DEBT] (THE "SUBORDINATED DEBT") AND [DESCRIPTION OF SUBORDINATED DOCUMENTS] (THE "SUBORDINATED DOCUMENTS")

- 1. We give you notice that we have entered into a security agreement dated [] in favour of Aareal Bank AG, Wiesbaden (the "Security Agent") (the "Security Agreement").
- 2. We give you notice that, pursuant to the terms of the Security Agreement, we have assigned (and, to the extent not validly or effectively assigned, we have charged by way of fixed charge) to the Security Agent by way of security all of our rights, title and interest from time to time in, and the full benefit of, the Subordinated Debt and the Subordinated Documents and all rights, title and interest in any amounts payable to us in respect of the Subordinated Debt and the Subordinated Documents.
- 3. Following the Security Agent's notification to you that the security created by the Security Agreement has become enforceable:-
- all payments to be made to us under or arising in respect of the Subordinated Debt and under the Subordinated Documents should be made to the Security Agent or to its order as it may specify in writing from time to time [specify bank account];
- 3.2 all remedies provided for in the Subordinated Documents or available at law or in equity are exercisable by the Security Agent;
- 3.3 you are authorised and instructed, without further approval from us, to comply with your obligations (including without limitation your payment obligations) in respect of the Subordinated Debt and under the Subordinated Documents in accordance with the written instructions of the Security Agent from time to time (and to hold the money for any such payments to the Security Agent's order pending receipt of written instructions from the Security Agent); and
- 3.4 subject to paragraph 4 below, you shall allow the Security Agent to perform all the obligations assumed by us in respect of the Subordinated Debt and under the Subordinated Documents.

- 4. We shall remain liable to perform all our obligations in respect of the Subordinated Debt and under the Subordinated Documents and the Security Agent shall be under no obligation of any kind whatsoever in respect of the Subordinated Debt and the Subordinated Documents.
- 5. This notice, and any dispute or claim arising out of or in connection with it, shall be governed by and construed in accordance with English law.

Please acknowledge receipt of this notice and your acknowledgement of the matters and instructions set out above within 5 days of receipt by signing, dating and returning the enclosed copy of this letter directly to the Security Agent at Paulinenstraße 15, 65189 Wiesbaden, Germany marked for the attention of [CTM-TM1: Patrick Burkhardt].

Yours faithfully,
or and on behalf of GEORGE HOLDINGS (UK) LIMITED] [LONDON AND REGIONAL PROPERTIES LIMITED]
Acknowledged:
For and on behalf of

London Portman Hotel Limited

EXECUTION PAGE

CHARGOR

EXECUTED as a Deed (but not delivered until the date of this Deed) by **GEORGE HOLDINGS (UK) LIMITED**acting by

IAN LIVINGSTONE

Full Name (Director) in the presence of:

Signature of Director

JACQUELINE LOWES

Full Name (Witness)

55 BAKER STREET LONDON WILL BEW

Address



Address: Quadrant House, Floor 6, 4 Thomas More Square, London, E1W 1YW

Attention: Legal Notice Hotels Neil Kirk Desmond Taljaard

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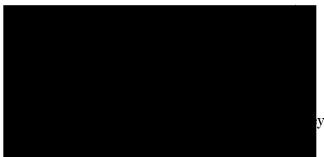
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SECURITY AGENT



y dated <u>17 December 2021</u> in the presence

Signature of witness

Name HELEN SAFORD

Address REED'S SCHOOL SANDY LANE, CORHAM, SURREY, KIII 263

Address: Paulinenstraße 15, 65189 Wiesbaden, Germany

Email: Patrick.Burkhardt@Aareal-Bank.com

Attention: CTM-TM1: Patrick Burkhardt