

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
FORT MYERS DIVISION**

MAMBERTO REAL,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No: 2:19-cv-35-FtM-29UAM

ANDREA GOODELL and  
WOODSPRING SUITES FORT  
MYERS SOUTHEAST HOTEL,

Defendants.

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**ORDER**

This matter comes before the Court upon review of Defendants' Motion for Leave to File a Reply and Defendants' Motion for Leave to Hold the Case Management Conference by Telephone. Docs. 20, 21. Defendants seek to file a reply of 10 pages to Plaintiff's response to Defendants' motion to dismiss the Complaint. Doc. 20 at 2. Plaintiff, proceeding *pro se*, opposes the motion for a reply and has not indicated his position on the motion to hold the case management conference by telephone. Doc. 20 at 2; Doc. 21 at 2. The Court finds good cause to allow a reply brief, notwithstanding Plaintiff's opposition, but not to the extent requested. Defendants may file a reply brief not to exceed four (4) pages on or before March 20, 2019. The Court will also allow the parties to hold the case management conference by telephone for good cause shown.<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Although Plaintiff did not respond to Defendants' attempts to confer regarding the telephonic case management conference, due to the ministerial nature of the requested relief the Court will grant the motion. Plaintiff is reminded that he must respond and confer with Defendants in accordance with the Local Rules.

ACCORDINGLY, it is

**ORDERED:**

1. Defendants' Motion for Leave to File a Reply (Doc. 20) is **GRANTED in part**. Defendants shall have up to and including **March 20, 2019** to file a reply brief not to exceed **four (4) pages**.

2. Defendants' Motion for Leave to Hold the Case Management Conference by Telephone (Doc. 21) is **GRANTED**. The parties may conduct the case management conference by telephone.

**DONE and ORDERED** in Fort Myers, Florida on this 13th day of March, 2019.

  
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DOUGLAS N. FRAZIER  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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