UNTIED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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DOLLY M. E. FILARTIGA and JOEL FILARTIGA,

Plaintiffs,

v.

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AMERICO NORBERTO PENA-IRALA,

Defendant.

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Dolly M. E. Filartiga and Joel Filartiga, for their Complaint, allege as follows:

PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

1. This is an action upon a money judgment, brought pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 69(a) and New York Civil Practice Law and Rules 5014, filed in this Court on February 3, 1984.

JURISDICTION

2. This Court has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1331 and 1350.

PARTIES

- 3. Plaintiff Dolly M. E. Filartiga is a citizen of the United States and a resident of Brooklyn, New York.
- 4. Plaintiff Dr. Joel Filartiga is a citizen and resident of Paraguay.
- 5. Americo Norberto Peña-Irala is a citizen and resident of Paraguay.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

6. Plaintiffs commenced the action, <u>Filartiga v. Peña-Irala</u>, Case No. 79-CV-917 (E.D.N.Y. 1979), on April 6, 1979 for damages arising out of the violation of human

- rights for the wrongful torture and murder of Joel Filartiga, under the treaties of the United States, the law of nations and the laws of the states of the United States.
- 7. This Court awarded plaintiff Dolly M. E. Filartiga judgment in the amount of \$5,175,000 and awarded plaintiff Joel Filartiga judgment in the amount of \$5,210,364, a total judgment of \$10,385,364 (the "Judgment"), for plaintiffs by memorandum and order dated January 10, 1984. Filartiga v. Peña-Irala, 577 F. Supp. 860 (E.D.N.Y. 1984).
- 8. The Judgment was filed on February 3, 1984. A copy of the Judgment is attached hereto as Exhibit A.
- 9. No payment on the Judgment has been made.

FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION

- 10. Plaintiffs repeat and reallege each and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1-9 above as if fully set forth herein.
- 11. Plaintiffs and defendants are the original parties to the action <u>Filartiga v. Peña-Irala</u>, 79-CV-917 (E.D.N.Y. 1979).
 - 12. More than ten years have elapsed since the Judgment was first docketed.
 - 13. Plaintiffs have been unable to collect on the Judgment.

REQUEST FOR RELIEF

For the foregoing reasons, plaintiffs pray that this Court:

- 1. Enter a renewal judgment in the amount of \$5,175,000 for plaintiff Dolly M. E. Filartiga and enter a renewal judgment in the amount of \$5,210,364 for plaintiff Joel Filartiga for a total renewal judgment of \$10,385,364, plus accrued interest, and
- 2. Award plaintiffs such other and further relief as this Court deems reasonable and proper.

Dated:

New York, New York January 29, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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DOLLY M.E. FILARTIGA and JOEL FILARTIGA,

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JUDGMENT

(EHN) CV 79-917

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Plaintiffs,

-against-

AMERICO NORBERTO PENA - IRALA,

Defendant.

A memorandum and order of Honorable Eugene H. Nickerson, United States District Judge, having been filed on January 12, 1984, directing that judgment be entered for plaintiff Dolly M.E. Filartiga in the amount of \$5,175,000.00 and for plaintiff Joel Filartiga in the amount of \$5,210,364.00, for a total judgment of \$10,385,364.00, it is

ORDERED and ADJUDGED that judgment is entered for plaintiff Dolly M.E. Filartiga in the amount of \$5,175,000.00 and for plaintiff Joel Filartiga in the amount of \$5,210,364.00, for a total judgment of \$10,385,364.00.

Clerk of Court

Brooklyn, New York Dated: February 2, 1984

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ATTEST

DATED..... ROBERT C. HEINEMANN

DEPUTY CLERK