#### UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF CONNECTICUT

JANEL GRANT,

Plaintiff,

v.

WORLD WRESTLING ENTERTAINMENT, INC. n/k/a WORLD WRESTLING ENTERTAINMENT, LLC; VINCENT K. MCMAHON, and JOHN LAURINAITIS,

Defendants.

Civil Action No.: 3:24-cv-00090 (JAM)

### DEFENDANT WORLD WRESTLING ENTERTAINMENT, LLC'S MOTION TO COMPEL ARBITRATION

Defendant World Wrestling Entertainment, LLC ("WWE") respectfully moves this Court for an order compelling arbitration of this matter pursuant to the Federal Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. §§ 3, 4, for the reasons set forth more fully in the accompanying Memorandum of Law and Statement of Undisputed Material Facts. WWE filed its original Motion to Compel Arbitration on May 14, 2024. ECF No. 61. On June 11, 2024, the Court entered an order staying this action until December 11, 2024, and, in doing so, denied all pending motions to compel arbitration "without prejudice to renewal within two weeks of any future order of the Court lifting the stay." ECF No. 68. The stay expired on December 11, 2024, and accordingly, WWE hereby files a renewed and updated Motion to Compel Arbitration, with supporting memorandum of law and statement of facts. WWE respectfully requests that the Court schedule oral argument for this motion, and such other and further relief as the Court may deem just and proper. Dated: December 23, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

By: <u>/s/ Daniel J. Toal</u>

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/s/ Daniel J. Toal Daniel J. Toal