UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

Case No. 19-cv-21724-BLOOM/Louis

HAVANA DOCKS CORPORATION,

Plaintiffs,

v.

CARNIVAL CORPORATION,

Defendant.
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ORDER ON MOTION TO STAY DISCOVERY

THIS CAUSE is before the Court on Defendant Carnival Corporation's Motion to Stay Discovery Pending a Ruling on the Motion to Dismiss, ECF No. [36] (the "Motion to Stay"). The Court has reviewed the Motion to Stay, the opposing and supporting submissions, the record and applicable law and is otherwise fully advised.

In the Motion to Stay, Defendant requests that the Court enter an order staying discovery pending resolution of their Motion to Dismiss, ECF No. [17] ("Motion to Dismiss"). Under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26, the Court "has broad discretion to stay discovery pending decision on a dispositive motion." *See Panola Land Buyers Ass'n v. Shuman*, 762 F.2d 1550, 1560 (11th Cir. 1985); *Foster v. Sun Int'l Hotels, Ltd.*, No. 01-01290-CIV-KING, 2002 WL 34576251, at *1 (S.D. Fla. Feb. 5, 2002), aff'd sub nom. *Foster v. Sun Int'l*, 54 F. App'x 691 (11th Cir. 2002)). The Court has taken a "preliminary peek" at Defendant's Motion to Dismiss and does not agree that a stay of discovery is warranted. *Pereira v. Regions Bank*, 6:12-CV-1383-ORL-22, 2012 WL 5448191, at *1 (M.D. Fla. Nov. 7, 2012). Accordingly, it is **ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that Defendant's Motion to Stay, **ECF No. [36]**, is **DENIED**.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers, at Miami, Florida, on August 14, 2019.

BETH BLOOM
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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