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January 10, 2022

Nathan Ochsner, Clerk

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION**

In re:	§	Chapter 11
EPIC COMPANIES, LLC,	§	Case No. 19-34752 (DRJ)
Debtors.¹	§	(Jointly Administered)

**ORDER SUSTAINING THE LIQUIDATING TRUSTEE’S SECOND
OMNIBUS OBJECTION TO CERTAIN PROOFS OF CLAIM
(DUPLICATE CLAIMS AND AMENDED CLAIMS)**

[Relates to Docket No. ____] 1003

Upon the objection (the “Objection”)² of the Liquidating Trustee for entry of an order (this “Order”) sustaining the *Liquidating Trustee’s Second Omnibus Objection to Certain Proofs of Claim (Duplicate Claims and Amended Claims)*, all as more fully set forth in the Objection; and the Court having reviewed the Declaration; and the Court having jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1334; and it appearing that this is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(2); and it appearing that the Court may enter a final order consistent with Article III of the United States Constitution; and it appearing that venue of this proceeding and the Objection in this district is proper pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1408; and it appearing that the relief requested in the Objection is in the best interests of the Debtors’ estates, their creditors, and other parties in interest; and it appearing that the Debtors’ notice of the Objection and opportunity for a hearing on the Objection were appropriate under the circumstances and no other notice need be provided;

¹ The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor’s federal tax identification number, are as follows: Epic Companies, LLC (1473), Epic Diving & Marine Services, LLC (2501), Epic Applied Technologies, LLC (5844), Epic Specialty Services, LLC (8547), Epic Alabama Steel, LLC (6835), Epic San Francisco Shipyard, LLC (5763) and Zuma Rock Energy Services, LLC (1022). The mailing address of the Debtors is: P.O. Box 79625, Houston, Texas 77279-9625.

² Capitalized terms used herein but not defined shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Objection.

and the Court having reviewed the Objection; and the Court having held a hearing on the Objection; and all objections, if any, to the Objection have been withdrawn, resolved, or overruled; and the Court having determined that the legal and factual bases set forth in the Objection establish just cause for the relief granted herein; and upon all of the proceedings had before this Court; and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor, it is **HEREBY ORDERED THAT:**

1. Each of the Duplicate Claims identified on **Schedule 1** attached to this Order is disallowed in its entirety; provided, further, that the Liquidating Trustee reserves his right to object to any proof of claim identified in the “Surviving Claim” column of **Schedule 1** attached to this Order on any additional applicable grounds.

2. Each of the Amended Claims identified on **Schedule 2** attached to this Order is disallowed in its entirety; provided, further, that the Liquidating Trustee reserves his right to object to any proof of claim identified in the “Surviving Claim” column of **Schedule 2** attached to this Order on any additional applicable grounds.

3. Epiq Corporate Restructuring, LLC, as claims and noticing agent, is authorized and directed to update the claims register maintained in these chapter 11 cases to reflect the relief granted in this Order.

4. With respect to any response filed regarding any Objected Claim, each such Objected Claim, and the Objection as it pertains to such Objected Claim, constitute a separate contested matter as contemplated by Bankruptcy Rule 9014. This Order shall be deemed a separate order with respect to each Objected Claim.

5. Notwithstanding the relief granted in this Order and any actions taken pursuant to such relief, nothing in this Order shall be deemed: (a) an admission as to the validity of any

prepetition claim against a Debtor; (b) a waiver of the Liquidating Trustee's right to dispute any prepetition claim on any grounds; (c) a promise or requirement to pay any prepetition claim; (d) an implication or admission that any particular claim is of a type specified or defined in the Objection or any order granting the relief requested by the Objection; (e) a request or authorization to assume any prepetition agreement, contract, or lease pursuant to section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code; or (f) a waiver of the Liquidating Trustee's rights under the Bankruptcy Code or any other applicable law.

6. Notwithstanding Bankruptcy any applicability of Bankruptcy Rules 6004(h), 7062, or 9014, the terms and conditions of this Order are immediately effective and enforceable upon its entry.

7. The Liquidating Trustee is authorized to take such action necessary to effectuate the relief granted in this Order.

8. This Court retains exclusive jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or related to the implementation, interpretation, and enforcement of this Order.

Signed: January 10, 2022.



DAVID R. JONES
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

SCHEDULE 1
Duplicate Claims

Name/Address of Claimant	Surviving Claim:	Disallowed Claim:	Total Claim Amount
ADRIAN G BRYANT 101 FERNRIDGE DR LAFAYETTE, LA 70508	252	26	\$258.07
MINT DENTISTRY 19620 KUYKENDAHL RD #210 SPRING, TEXAS 77388	261	10227	\$1,560.50

SCHEDULE 2
Amended Claims

Name/Address of Claimant	Surviving Claim:	Disallowed Claim:	Total Surviving Claim Amount
ACCONTEMPS C/O ROBERT HALF ATTN RECOVERY DEPT PO BOX 5024 SAN RAMON, CA 94583	332	63	\$0.00
DELTA RIGGING & TOOLS, INC 125 MCCARTY ST HOUSTON, TX 77029	10042	10012	\$48,016.81
DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY - IRS PO BOX 7346 PHILADELPHIA, PA 19101-7346	336	138	\$35,800.00
DHD OFFSHORE SERVICES LLC C/O JOHN A MOUTON III PO BOX 82438 LAFAYETTE, LA 70598 GOLIATH OFFSHORE HOLDINGS PTE LTD C/O JACKSON WALKER LLP ATTN BRUCE J RUZINSKY 1401 MCKINNEY ST, STE 1900 HOUSTON, TX 77010 -and- GOLIATH OFFSHORE HOLDINGS PTE LTD C/O RICHARD CURRENCE 650 POYDRAS ST., SUITE 2830 NEW ORLEANS, LA 90130	334	52	\$270,489.75
FSP WESTCHASE LLC C/O BAKER BOTTS LLP ATTN TINA Q NGUYEN AND MATTHEW D TURNER 910 LOUISIANA ST HOUSTON, TX 77002	330	10167	\$2,467,442.11
GOLIATH OFFSHORE HOLDINGS PTE LTD C/O JACKSON WALKER LLP ATTN BRUCE J RUZINSKY 1401 MCKINNEY ST, STE 1900 HOUSTON, TX 77010	337	224	\$5,162,649.78

Name/Address of Claimant	Surviving Claim:	Disallowed Claim:	Total Surviving Claim Amount
LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE PO BOX 66658 BATON ROUGE, LA 70896-6658	306	121	\$5,869.97
LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE PO BOX 66658 BATON ROUGE, LA 70896-6658	329	306	\$5,169.97
MAGREM INVESTMENTS LTD ARCH. MAKARIOU C AVE. 232 APOLLO COURT, 1ST FL LIMASSOL 3030 CYPRUS	338	237	\$5,162,649.78
ROBERT HALF FINANCE & ACCOUNTING ATTN RECOVERY DEPT PO BOX 5024 SAN RAMON, CA 94583	331	62	\$0.00

United States Bankruptcy Court
Southern District of Texas

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Epic Alabama Steel, LLC
Debtors

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db	+ Epic Diving & Marine Services, LLC, 1080 Eldridge Parkway, Suite 1300, Houston, TX 77077-2583
db	+ Epic San Francisco Shipyard, LLC, 1080 Eldridge Parkway, Suite 1300, Houston, TX 77077-2583
db	+ Epic Specialty Services, LLC, 1080 Eldridge Parkway, Suite 1300, Houston, TX 77077-2583
db	+ Zuma Rock Energy Services, LLC, 1080 Eldridge Parkway, Suite 1300, Houston, TX 77077-2583
aty	+ Andrew V. Tenzer, PaulHastings, LLP, 600 Travis Street, 58th Floor, Houston, TX 77002-3009
aty	+ David L Bateman, Bateman Law Firm, 6700 Jefferson Hwy, Bldg 3, Baton Rouge, LA 70806-8287
aty	+ Michael S Waskiewicz, Burr Forman LLP, 50 N Laura Street, Ste 3000, Jacksonville, FL 32202-3658
cr	+ Abe's Boat Rentals, Inc., Wilbur J. Babin, Jr., Bankruptcy Trustee, 3027 Ridgelake Dr, Metairie, LA 70002-4924
intp	+ Alliance Offshore, LLC, c/o David F. Waguespack, 1100 Poydras Street, Suite 3100, New Orleans, LA 70163 USE 70163-1102
cr	+ American Longshore Mutual Association, Ltd. through, c/o Leann O. Moses, 1100 Poydras Street, Suite 3100, New Orleans, LA 70163-1102
cr	+ Brian M. Jackson, 8 Tanager Trail, The Woodlands, TX 77381-3121
cr	+ Chalos & Co, P.C., Chalos & Co, P.C., 7210 Tickner Street, Houston, TX 77055, UNITED STATES 77055-6935
cr	#+ David Wright, 28019 Buena Way, Spring, Tx 77386-2819
cr	+ Deep Delta, LLC, Timothy Thriffiley, P.O. Box 7125, Belle Chasse, LA 70037-7125
intp	+ Fairways Offshore Exploration, Inc., c/o McDowell Hetherington LLP, Attention: Jarrod B. Martin, 1001 Fannin, Suite 2700, Houston, TX 77002-6774
cr	+ Forum US, Inc., c/o Bradley Arant Boulton Cummings, LLP, Attn: Chris Glenos, 1819 5th Avenue North, Birmingham, AL 35203-2119
cr	+ Frederick J. Guidry, c/o Jason Welborn, P. O. Box 2053, Lafayette, LA 70502-2053
cr	+ Greene's Energy Group, LLC, 440 Louisiana, Suite 718, Houston, TX 77002, UNITED STATES 77002-1058
cr	+ Gulf Oceanic Marine Contractors, Inc., P.O. Box 99, Bourg, LA 70343-0099
cr	+ Louisiana Department of Revenue, Senior Bankruptcy Counsel, Litigation, 617 N. Third Street, Office 780, P O Box 4064 (Zip 70821-4064), Baton Rouge, LA 70802 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA 70821-4064
cr	+ McMoran Oil & Gas, LLC, Locke Lord LLP, Omer F. Kuebel, III, Bradley C. Knapp, 601 Poydras St., Suite 2660 New Orleans, LA 70130-6032
cr	+ New Industries, LLC, c/o Barnet B. Skelton, Jr., 815 Walker, Suite 1502, Houston, TX 77002-5832
intp	+ Offshore Domestic Group, LLC, c/o McDowell Hetherington LLP, Attention: Jarrod B. Martin, 1001 Fannin, Suite 2700, Houston, TX 77002-6774
cr	+ Offshore Express, Inc., C/O Jarrod Martin, 1200 Smith Street, Suite 1400, Houston, TX 77002-4496
intp	+ Offshore Express, LLC, c/o McDowell Hetherington LLP, Attention: Jarrod B. Martin, 1001 Fannin, Suite 2700, Houston, TX 77002-6774
cr	+ Offshore Technical Solutions, LLC, 690 S. Hollywood Rd, Houma, LA 70360-3226
cr	+ RTD Services, c/o David K. Bissinger, Bissinger, Oshman & Williams LLP, 2229 San Felipe, Suite 1500, Houston, TX 77019-5648
cr	Taylor's International Services, Inc., C/O Stephen C. Jackson, 1901 6th Ave North, 2400 Regions/Harbert Plaza, Birmingham, AL 35203
cr	Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts, Christopher S. Murphy, c/o Sherri K. Simpson, Paralegal, P.O. Box 12548, Austin, TX 78711-2548
intp	+ Triton Heavy Lift Services, LLC, c/o David F. Waguespack, 1100 Poydras Street, Suite 3100, New Orleans, LA 70163-1102
intp	+ White Oak Global Advisors, LLC, PaulHastings, LLP, c/o Peter S. Burke, 515 South Flower Street, 25th Floor Los Angeles, CA 90071-2228
cr	+ Williams Field Services-Gulf Coast Company, L.P., c/o Steven W. Soule, Hall, Estill, et al., 320 South Boston Avenue, Suite 200 Tulsa, OK 74103-3705
cr	+ Wilson Heavy Industry Co. Ltd., 2925 Briarpark Dr., Suite 675, Houston, TX 77042-3781

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cr + Wright's Well Control Services LLC, 28019 Buena Way, Spring, Tx 77386-2819

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cr	Email/Text: david.cedro@danos.com	Jan 10 2022 20:17:00	Danos, L.L.C., 3878 West Main Street, Gray, LA 70359
cr	Email/Text: controller@dhdoffshore.com	Jan 10 2022 20:17:00	DHD Offshore Services, LLC, 7889 Hwy 182 E, Morgan City, LA 70380
cr	Email/Text: houston_bankruptcy@LGBS.com	Jan 10 2022 20:17:00	Harris County, Linebarger Goggan Blair & Sampson LLP, C/O John P. Dillman, PO Box 3064, Houston, TX 77253-3064
cr	Email/Text: BANKRUPTCY@DOR.MS.GOV	Jan 10 2022 20:17:00	MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, P. O. BOX 22808, JACKSON, MS 39225-2808

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cr		Integra Services Technologies Inc
op		Jeffrey T. Varsalone, Liquidating Trustee
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cr		MARMAC LLC
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cr		Oceanwide Texas, Inc.
cr		Stephanie Daniels
cr		Stern Offshore, B.V.
crcm		The Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors
intp		The Ultimate Software Group Inc.
cr		United States of America
intp		Vertex Services, LLC
cr		Work Boat Electric Services, Inc.
cd	*+	Epic Applied Technologies, LLC, 1080 Eldridge Parkway, Suite 1300, Houston, TX 77077-2583
cd	*+	Epic Companies, LLC, 1080 Eldridge Parkway, Suite 1300, Houston, TX 77077-2583
cc	*+	Wright's Well Control Services LLC, 28019 Buena Way, Spring, Tx 77386-2819
aty	##+	Nicholas A Bassett, Paul Hastings LLP, 875 15th Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20005-2258
intp	##+	Arena Offshore LP, Arena Offshore LP, 4200 Research Forest Drive, Suite 500, The Woodlands, TX 77381, UNITED STATES 77381-4224
cr	##+	Javeler Marine Services LLC, P.O. Box 137, Delcambre, LA 70528-0137

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I, Joseph Speetjens, declare under the penalty of perjury that I have sent the attached document to the above listed entities in the manner shown, and prepared the Certificate of Notice and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Meeting of Creditor Notices only (Official Form 309): Pursuant to Fed .R. Bank. P.2002(a)(1), a notice containing the complete Social Security Number (SSN) of the debtor(s) was furnished to all parties listed. This official court copy contains the redacted SSN as required by the bankruptcy rules and the Judiciary's privacy policies.

Date: Jan 12, 2022

Signature: /s/Joseph Speetjens