

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
MIAMI DIVISION  
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In re:

BIRD GLOBAL, INC., *et al.*,<sup>1</sup>

Debtors.

Chapter 11 Cases

Case No. 23-20514-CLC

(Jointly Administered)

**DECLARATION OF DISINTERESTEDNESS**

**I, William JAMES, declare under penalty of perjury:**

1. I am a partner of Van Pelt, Yi & James LLP, located at 1 First St, Suite 12, Los Altos, CA 94022 (the “Company”).

2. The above-captioned Debtors and Debtors in possession (the “Debtors”) have requested that the Company provide intellectual property (patent) law services to the Debtors, and the Company has consented to provide such services.

3. The Company may have performed services in the past, may currently perform services, and may perform services in the future, in matters unrelated to these chapter 11 cases, for persons that are parties-in-interest in the Debtors’ chapter 11 cases. The Company does not perform services for any such person in connection with these chapter 11 cases, or have any relationship with any such person, their attorneys, or accountants that would be adverse to the Debtors or their estates.

4. As part of its customary practice, the Company is retained in cases, proceedings, and transactions involving many different parties, some of whom may represent or be employed by the Debtors, claimants, and parties-in-interest in these chapter 11 cases.

5. Neither I nor any partner of, or professional employed by, the Company has agreed to share or will share any portion of the compensation to be received from the Debtors with any other person other than the principals and regular employees of the Company.

6. Neither I nor any partner of, or professional employed by, the Company, insofar as I have been able to ascertain, holds, or represents any interest adverse to the Debtors or their estates with respect to the matter(s) upon which this Company is to be employed.

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<sup>1</sup> The address of the Debtors is 392 Northeast 191st Street, #20388, Miami, FL 33179. The last four digits of the Debtors’ federal tax identification numbers are: (i) Bird Global, Inc. (3155); (ii) Bird Rides, Inc. (9939); (iii) Bird US Opco, LLC (6873); (iv) Bird US Holdco, LLC (8390); and (v) Skinny Labs, Inc. (8176).

7. The Debtors owe the Company \$29,545.00 for pre-petition services, the payment of which is subject to limitations contained in United States Bankruptcy Code, 11 U.S.C. § 101, et seq.

8. As of the Petition Date, the Company was not party to the agreement for indemnification of the Debtors.

9. The Company is conducting further inquiries regarding its retention by any creditors of the Debtors, and upon conclusion of that inquiry, or at any time during the period of its employment, if the Company should discover any facts bearing on the matters described herein, the Company will supplement the information contained in this Declaration.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on February 1, 2024

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "William J. James". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath it.

William James, Partner  
VAN PELT, YI & JAMES LLP