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19 20 21	DEBTORS' APPLICATION FOR DEBTORS TO EMPLOY A	ND RETAIN ALIXPARTÑE FOR THE DEBTORS EFFEC	AUTHORIZING RS, LLP CTIVE AS
22	I, Alan D. Holtz, make this declaration pur	suant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, and s	state:
23	1. I am a Partner and Managi	ng Director of AlixPartners, L	LP ("AlixPartners"), <sup>2</sup>
24	which has a principal place of business at	909 Third Avenue, Floor 30,	New York, New York
25 26 27 28	<ul> <li>The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases and the which they are organized are: Nevada Coppe Columbia); 0607792 B.C. Ltd. (2524) (British (0264) (Nevada); and NC Ditch Company LLC</li> <li><sup>2</sup> Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined</li> </ul>	er, Inc. (1157) (Nevada); Nevada Co n Columbia); Lion Iron Corp. (2904) C (4396) (Nevada).	pper Corp. (5323) (British (Nevada); NC Farms LLC

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2. I submit this declaration (the "*Declaration*") on behalf of AlixPartners in support of the *Debtors' Application for Entry of an Order (I) Authorizing Debtors to Employ and Retain AlixPartners, LLP as Financial Advisor for the Debtors Effective as of the Petition Date and (II) Granting Related Relief* (the "*Application*") filed contemporaneously herewith, by which the Debtors are seeking retention of AlixPartners on the terms and conditions set forth in the Application and the engagement letter between the Debtors and AlixPartners attached to the Application as Exhibit 2 (the "*Engagement Letter*"). Except as otherwise noted,<sup>3</sup> I have personal knowledge of the matters set forth herein. If called and sworn as a witness, I could, and would, testify competently to the matters set forth herein.

#### **AlixPartners' Qualifications**

3. AlixPartners is an internationally recognized restructuring and turnaround firm with substantial experience in providing financial advisory services and has an excellent reputation for its work in large and complex chapter 11 cases on behalf of debtors and creditors throughout the United States. In light of the size and complexity of these Chapter 11 Cases, the Debtors require a qualified and experienced financial advisor with the resources, capabilities, and experience of AlixPartners to assist them in taking steps that are crucial to the success of the Chapter 11 Cases. AlixPartners performs critical services that complement the services provided by the Debtors' other professionals.

4. AlixPartners has assisted, advised, and provided strategic advice to debtors, creditors, bondholders, investors, and other entities in numerous chapter 11 cases of similar size and complexity to these Chapter 11 Cases. Its professionals have provided restructuring or crisis management services in numerous large cases. *See, e.g., In re ConvergeOne Holdings, Inc.*, No. 24-90194 (CML) (Bankr. S.D. Tex. May 10, 2024); *In re RobertShaw US Holding Corp.*, No. 24-90052 (CML) (Bankr. S.D. Tex. Mar. 22, 2024); *In re NanoString Techs., Inc.*, No. 24-10160 (CTG) (Bankr. D. Del. Mar. 13, 2024); *In re Cano Health, Inc.*, No. 24-10164 (KBO) (Bankr. D.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Certain of the disclosures herein relate to matters within the personal knowledge of other professionals at AlixPartners and are based on information provided by them.

Del. Mar. 5, 2024); In re Inversiones Latin America Power Ltda., No. 23-11891 (JPM) (Bankr. 2 S.D.N.Y. Jan. 3, 2024); In re Mallinckrodt plc, No. 23-11258 (JTD) (Bankr. D. Del. Oct. 2, 2023); In re KDC Agribusiness LLC, No. 23-10786 (CTG) (Bankr. D. Del. Jul. 18, 2023); In re Diamond Sports Grp., Inc., No. 23-90116 (CML) (Bankr. S.D. Tex. May 3, 2023); In re Party City Holdco Inc., No. 23-90005 (MI) (Bankr. S.D. Tex. Feb. 21, 2023); In re Core Scientific, Inc., No. 22-90341 (CML) (Bankr. S.D. Tex. Feb. 8, 2023); In re Clovis Oncology, Inc., No. 22-11292 (JKS) (Bankr. D. Del. Jan. 20, 2023); In re FTX Trading Ltd., No. 22-11068 (JTD) (Bankr. D. Del. Jan. 20, 2023); In re Phoenix Services Topco, LLC, No. 22-10906 (MFW) (Bankr. D. Del. Oct. 25, 9 2022); In re Kabbage Inc. d/b/a KServicing, No. 22-10951 (CTG) (Bankr. D. Del. Oct. 21, 2022); 10 In re Lumileds Holding B.V., No. 22-1115 (LGB) (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. Oct. 13, 2022); In re 11 Carestream Health, Inc., No. 22-10778 (JKS) (Bankr. D. Del. Oct. 7, 2022); In re MD Helicopters, 12 Inc., No. 22-10263 (KBO) (Bankr. D. Del. Apr. 25, 2022); In re Alto Maipo Delaware LLC, No. 13 21-11507 (KBO) (Bankr. D. Del. Dec. 16, 2021); In re Riverbed Tech., Inc., No. 21-11503 (CTG) 14 (Bankr. D. Del. Dec. 8, 2021); In re Alpha Latam Mgmt., LLC, No. 21-11109 (JKS) (Bankr. D. 15 Del. Sept. 15, 2021); In re Nine Point Energy, LLC, No. 21-10570 (MFW) (Bankr. D. Del. Apr. 16 20, 2021); In re HighPoint Res. Corp., No. 21-10565 (CSS) (Bankr. D. Del. Apr. 13, 2021); In re 17 Mallinckrodt plc, No. 20-12522 (JTD) (Bankr. D. Del. Nov. 19, 2020); In re RGN-Grp. Holdings, 18 LLC, No. 20-11961 (BLS) (Bankr. D. Del. Sept. 15, 2020); In re Skillsoft Corp., No. 20-11532 19 (MFW) (Bankr. D. Del. July 23, 2020); In re Celadon Grp., Inc., No. 19-12606 (KBO) (Bankr. D. 20 Del. Jan. 3, 2020).

5. If the Application is approved, the individuals working on this matter (the "AlixPartners Personnel"), all with substantial expertise in the areas discussed above, will continue to provide necessary services to the Debtors. Such personnel will work closely with the Debtors' management and other professionals throughout the reorganization process. By virtue of the expertise of its restructuring personnel and the significant prepetition work that AlixPartners performed for the Debtors, AlixPartners is well-qualified to provide services to and represent the

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Debtors' interests in these Chapter 11 Cases.

#### Services to be Provided

6. Prior to the Petition Date, the Debtors and AlixPartners entered into the Engagement Letter, which governs the relationship between them. The terms and conditions of the Engagement Letter were negotiated between the Debtors and AlixPartners and reflect the parties' mutual agreement as to the substantial efforts that will be required in this engagement. Subject to further order of the Court, AlixPartners may provide the services described in the Engagement Letter as AlixPartners and the Debtors shall deem appropriate and feasible in order to advise the Debtors in the course of these Chapter 11 Cases, including, but not limited to, the following:

Assist with the preparation for a Chapter 11 filing, including first day motions (a) and affidavits, as well as the accounting cutoff procedures. 12 Prepare budgets and cash forecasts and evaluate variances thereto, as required (b) 13 by the Debtors' lenders and/or orders of the Court. 14 Assist with liquidity management, including negotiation of vendor terms. (c) 15 Assist with business planning and related financial modeling. (d) 16 Assist with diligence requests of the various creditor constituencies. (e) 17 18 Assist with preparation of motions to be filed with the Court or the Debtors' (f) response to motions filed by other parties-in-interest. 19 Assist with the design, negotiation and implementation of a restructuring (g) 20 strategy, which could include asset sales. 21 (h) Assist the Debtors and their investment banker with the asset sale process. 22 Prepare the statements of financial affairs, schedules of assets and liabilities, (i) 23 monthly operating reports and other information required by the Court, as well as assist with a disclosure statement and plan of reorganization, if applicable. 24 25 (j) Assist with management of the claims reconciliation process. 26 Provide testimony before the Court on matters that are within the scope of this (k) engagement and within AlixPartners' area of testimonial competencies, if 27 28

applicable.

# (1) Assist the Debtors with such other matters as may be requested that fall within AlixPartners' expertise and that are mutually agreeable.

7. Such financial advisory services are necessary to the Debtors' restructuring efforts and in the ongoing operation and management of the Debtors' businesses while subject to chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code.

8. When necessary, the AlixPartners Personnel will be assisted by or replaced by various professionals at various levels.

### **No Duplication of Services**

9. AlixPartners understands that the Debtors may retain additional professionals during the term of its engagement and will work cooperatively with such professionals to integrate any respective work conducted by the professionals on behalf of the Debtors. The services provided by AlixPartners will complement, and not duplicate, the services to be rendered by any other professional retained in these Chapter 11 Cases.

### Fee and Expense Structure

10. AlixPartners' decision to accept this engagement to provide services to the Debtors is conditioned upon its ability to be retained in accordance with its customary terms and conditions of employment, compensated for its services, and reimbursed for the out-of-pocket expenses it incurs in accordance with its customary billing practices, as set forth in <u>Schedule 1</u> of the Engagement Letter (the "*Fee and Expense Structure*").

11. AlixPartners' current standard hourly rates, subject to periodic adjustments, are as follows:

Title	Hourly Rate
Partner & Managing Director	\$1,225 - \$1,495
Partner	\$1,200
Director	\$960 - \$1,125

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Senior Vice President	\$800 - \$910
Vice President	\$640 - \$790
Consultant	\$230 - \$625

### 12. Effective as of July 1, 2024, AlixPartners' standard hourly rates will be as follows:

Title	Hourly Rate
Partner/ Partner & Managing Director	\$1,200 - \$1,495
Senior Vice President/ Director	\$825 - \$1,125
Vice President	\$640 - \$810
Consultant	\$230 - \$625

13. AlixPartners generally reviews and revises its billing rates semi-annually. Changes in applicable hourly rates will be noted on the invoices for the first time period in which the revised rates become effective.

14. To the extent the Debtors request services related to electronic discovery and data collection, certain monthly hosting fees and consulting fees will apply.

15. To the extent AlixPartners uses the services of independent contractors (the "*Contractors*") in these Chapter 11 Cases, AlixPartners shall: (a) pass through the cost of such Contractors to the Debtors at the same rate that AlixPartners pays the Contractors; (b) seek reimbursement for actual costs only; (c) ensure that the Contractors are subject to the same conflict checks as required for AlixPartners; and (d) file with the Court such disclosures required by Bankruptcy Rule 2014.

16. In addition to compensation for services rendered by the AlixPartners Personnel, AlixPartners will seek reimbursement for reasonable and necessary expenses incurred in connection with these Chapter 11 Cases, including, but not limited to, transportation costs, lodging, and meals.

17. AlixPartners intends to apply for compensation for professional services rendered

and reimbursement of expenses incurred in connection with these Chapter 11 Cases, subject to the Court's approval and in compliance with *U.S. Trustee Guidelines for Reviewing Applications for Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses Filed Under 11 U.S.C. § 330* (Appendix A to 28 C.F.R. § 58), applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, including sections 330 and 331 of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, the Local Bankruptcy Rules, and any other further orders of the Court, both in connection with this Application and the interim and final fee applications to be filed by AlixPartners in these Chapter 11 Cases.

18. AlixPartners will maintain records in support of any fees (in 1/10th of an hour increments), costs, and expenses incurred in connection with services rendered in these Chapter 11 Cases. Records will be arranged by category and nature of the services rendered and will include reasonably detailed descriptions of those services provided on behalf of the Debtors.

 AlixPartners often works for compensation that includes hourly-based fees and performance-based, contingent-incentive compensation earned upon achieving meaningful results.
 AlixPartners does not currently request a success fee in connection with these Chapter 11 Cases.

20. AlixPartners received a retainer in the amount of \$300,000 from the Debtors (the "*Retainer*"). According to AlixPartners' books and records, during the 90-day period prior to the Petition Date, the Debtors paid AlixPartners \$710,381.00 in aggregate for professional services performed and expenses incurred, including the Retainer.

21. AlixPartners is requesting that any balance of the Retainer constitute an evergreen retainer as security for post-petition services and expenses. An evergreen retainer is appropriate in these Chapter 11 Cases because it reflects normal business terms in the marketplace and because AlixPartners and the Debtors are sophisticated business entities that have negotiated the Retainer at arm's length.

22. Due to the ordinary course and unavoidable reconciliation of fees and submission of expenses immediately prior, and subsequent to, the Petition Date, AlixPartners may have incurred fees and reimbursable expenses related to the prepetition period which remain unpaid.

Approval is sought from this Court for AlixPartners to apply the Retainer to these unpaid amounts. Upon entry of an order approving the relief requested in the Application, AlixPartners will apply the Retainer to the unpaid amounts, and the Debtors will not owe AlixPartners any sums for prepetition services.

#### **Indemnification Provisions**

23. The Engagement Letter contains standard indemnification language with respect to AlixPartners' services including, without limitation, an agreement by the Debtors to indemnify AlixPartners and its affiliates, partners, directors, officers, employees, and agents (each, an "*AlixPartners Party*" and collectively, the "*AlixPartners Parties*") from and against all claims, liabilities, losses, expenses, and damages arising out of or in connection with the engagement of AlixPartners that is the subject of the Engagement Letter, except to the extent caused by gross negligence, bad faith, fraud, or willful misconduct of any AlixPartners Party.

24. AlixPartners believes that the indemnification provisions contained in the Engagement Letter, as may be amended in the Proposed Order, are customary and reasonable for AlixPartners and comparable firms providing financial advisory services, and as would be modified pursuant to the foregoing limitations.

25. Moreover, the terms and conditions of the indemnification provisions were negotiated by the Debtors and AlixPartners at arm's length and in good faith. The provisions contained in the Engagement Letter, viewed in conjunction with the other terms of AlixPartners' proposed retention, are reasonable and in the best interest of the Debtors, their estates, and all parties in interest in light of the fact that the Debtors require AlixPartners' services to ensure the success of these Chapter 11 Cases.

#### **AlixPartners' Disinterestedness**

26. In connection with its proposed retention by the Debtors in these Chapter 11 Cases, AlixPartners undertook a complex process, the details of which are set forth in <u>Schedule 2</u>, to determine whether it had any conflicts or other relationships that might cause it not to be

disinterested or to hold or represent an interest adverse to the Debtors' estates. Specifically, AlixPartners obtained from the Debtors and/or their representatives a potential parties in interest list in these Chapter 11 Cases (each party a "*Party in Interest*", and collectively the "*Parties in Interest List*"). The Parties in Interest List is attached hereto as <u>Schedule 1</u>. A search was performed for connections to each Party in Interest as to AlixPartners Holdings, LLP, AlixPartners' parent company ("*Holdings*"), and each of Holdings' U.S. and non-U.S. subsidiaries ("*Holdings Enterprise*", collectively "*AP*"). Results for connections to the Parties in Interest List are disclosed on <u>Schedule 2</u>.

27. Based on that review, AlixPartners represents that, to the best of its knowledge, AlixPartners knows of no fact or situation that would represent a conflict of interest, cause it not to be disinterested, or hold or represent an interest adverse to the Debtors' estates.

28. AlixPartners and its affiliates are advisors and crisis managers providing services and advice in many areas, including restructuring and distressed debt. As part of its diverse practice, AlixPartners appears in numerous cases, proceedings, and transactions involving many different law firms, accountants, investment bankers, and financial consultants, some of whom may represent claimants and parties in interest in these Chapter 11 Cases. Further, AlixPartners has in the past, and may in the future, be represented by various attorneys and law firms, some of whom may be involved in these Chapter 11 Cases. In addition, AlixPartners has been in the past, and likely will be in the future, engaged in matters unrelated to the Debtors or these Chapter 11 Cases in which it works with or in opposition to other professionals involved in these Chapter 11 Cases. Moreover, AlixPartners might have referred work to other professionals retained in these Chapter 11 Cases. Likewise, professionals retained in these Chapter 11 Cases might have referred work to AlixPartners. To the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, insofar as I have been able to ascertain after reasonable inquiry, none of these business relationships constitute interests adverse to the Debtors' estates.

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29. From time to time, AlixPartners has provided services, and likely will continue to

provide services, to certain creditors of the Debtors and various other parties adverse to the Debtors in matters wholly unrelated to these Chapter 11 Cases. As described herein, however, AlixPartners has undertaken a detailed search to determine, and to disclose, whether it is providing or has provided services to any significant creditor, equity security holder, insider, or other party in interest in such unrelated matters.

30. To the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, insofar as I have been able to ascertain after reasonable inquiry, none of the AlixPartners Personnel (a) have any connection with the United States Trustee for the District of Nevada (the "*U.S. Trustee*"), or any employee in the Office of the U.S. Trustee; or (b) are related or connected to any United States Bankruptcy Judge for the District of Nevada, except as otherwise set forth <u>Schedule 2</u>.

31. To the best of my knowledge, neither the AlixPartners Personnel nor AP is a direct holder of any of the Debtors' securities. It is possible that certain of AlixPartners' employees, managing directors, board members, equity holders, or an affiliate of any of the foregoing, may own interests in the Debtors, mutual funds or other investment vehicles (including various types of private funds) that own the Debtors' or other parties in interest's debt or equity securities or other financial instruments, including bank loans and other obligations. Typically, the holders of indirect interests have no control over investment decisions related to such investment funds or financial instruments. Per the procedures set forth in <u>Schedule 1</u>, AlixPartners makes certain inquiries regarding direct interests and, to the extent required, will file a supplemental declaration reflecting additional details. AlixPartners' policy prohibits its employees from personally trading in the Debtors' securities.

32. To the best of my knowledge, information and belief, insofar as I have been able to ascertain after reasonable inquiry, AlixPartners has not been retained to assist any entity or person other than the Debtors on matters relating to, or in direct connection with, these Chapter 11 Cases.

33. Certain of AlixPartners' employees, managing directors, board members, equity holders, or an affiliate of any of the foregoing may have financial accounts or insurance

relationships with a potential party in interest.

34. Despite the efforts described above to identify and disclose the connections that AP and its affiliates have with parties in interest in these Chapter 11 Cases, because the Debtors form a large enterprise with numerous creditors and other relationships, AlixPartners is unable to state with certainty that every client relationship or other connection has been identified and disclosed.

35. In accordance with section 504 of the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rule 2016, neither I nor AlixPartners has entered into any agreements, express or implied, with any other party in interest, including the Debtors, any creditor, or any attorney for such party in interest in these Chapter 11 Cases, (a) for the purpose of sharing or fixing fees or other compensation to be paid to any such party in interest or its attorneys for services rendered in connection therewith, (b) for payment of such compensation from the assets of the estates in excess of the compensation allowed by the Court pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, or (c) for payment of compensation in connection with these Chapter 11 Cases other than in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code.

36. Accordingly, except as otherwise set forth herein, insofar as I have been able to
determine, neither I, AlixPartners, nor any of the AlixPartners Personnel hold or represent any
interest adverse to the Debtors or their estates, and AlixPartners is a "disinterested person" as that
term is defined in section 101(14) of the Bankruptcy Code, as modified by section 1107(b) of the
Bankruptcy Code, in that AlixPartners and the AlixPartners Personnel:
(a) are not creditors, equity security holders, or insiders of the Debtors;

(b) were not, within two years before the Petition Date, a director, officer or employee of the Debtors; and

(c) do not have an interest materially adverse to the interest of the Debtors' estates or any class of creditors or equity security holders, by reason of any direct or indirect relationship to, connection with, or interest in, the Debtors, or for any other reason.

37. If AlixPartners discovers additional information that requires disclosure, AlixPartners will promptly file a supplemental disclosure with the Court as required by Bankruptcy

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1	Rule 2014. AlixPartners reserves the right to supplement this Declaration in the event that
2	AlixPartners discovers any facts bearing on matters described in this Declaration regarding
3	AlixPartners' employment by the Debtors.
4	Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true
5	and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
6	Dated: June 25, 2024
7	ALIXPARTNERS, LLP
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9	By: <u>/s/ Alan D. Holtz</u> Alan D. Holtz
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# <u>SCHEDULE 1</u>

# **Potential Parties in Interest**

### Debtors

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Nevada Copper Corp.	
Nevada Copper, Inc.	
0607792 B.C. Ltd.	
Lion Iron Corp.	
NC Farms LLC	
NC Ditch Company LL	C

#### Shareholders

5	Alexander Hall
6	Cassandra Joseph Tr Cassandra Joseph Family Trust UA 5/16/2016 CDS & Co
	Exchanges Control For C01/C
7	Jennifer Hall Kalidas Madhavpeddi
8	Mercuria Holdings (Singapore) Pte Ltd
9	Pala Investments Limited Pala Assets Holding Limited
10	Pelham Investment Partners LP Phillip Day
11	Sedgman USA Inc
11	Summit Partners Credit Advisors LP
12	Debtors' Bankruptcy Professionals
13	Allen Overy Shearman Sterling US LLP AlixPartners, LLP
14	Citigroup Global Markets Inc.
	Epiq Corporate Restructuring, LLC McDonald Carano LLP
15	Moelis & Company Torus I L P
16	Torys LLP
17	Other Professionals Davison Van Cleve, P.C.
	Hartwell Thalacker, Ltd.
18	Jackson Kelly PLLC Miller Thomson LLP
19	Vedder Price
20	Directors and Officers
21	Anna Ladd-Kruger Carolyn "Lina" Tanner
22	Cassandra Joseph
22	Clare Devincenzi Elaine Dorward-King
23	Elva Gonzalez
24	Ernest (Ernie) Nutter Evgenij Iorich
25	Greg French Greg Martin
	Guillaume de Dardel
26	John Cash John Nagulendran
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Kalidas Madhavpeddi 1 Kate Southwell Lucio Genovese 2 Matthew Anderson Michael Brown 3 Michael Hassler Patrick Gormen 4 Phillip "Kris" Sims Raffaele (Lucio) Genovese 5 **Randy Buffington** Rod Redden 6 Sheldon Vanderkooy Stephen Gill 7 Tom Albanese 8 **Secured Creditors** Concord Resources Limited 9 Elliott Investment Management KfW IPEX-Bank GmbH 10 Manchester Securities Corp. Mercuria Energy Trading 11 Mercuria Investments US, Inc. NIU Invest SE 12 Pala Investments Limited TF R&S Canada Ltd. 13 Triple Flag International Ltd. Triple Flag Mining Finance Bermuda, Ltd. 14 Triple Flag USA Royalties Ltd. U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association 15 Ziwa Investments Limited 16 **Unsecured Creditors** Automatic Welding Inc. 17 Brake Supply Company Inc C&B Pumps & Compressors, LLC 18 Chlumsky, Armbrust & Meyer, LLC Computershare 19 Cripps Leadership Advisors Ltd Desert Ready Mix, LLC 20 DMI Digital Media Innovations Canada, Inc Dorsey & Whitney LLP 21 F & H Mine Supply, Inc. First Insurance Funding (a division of Lake Forest Bank & Trust Company) 22 FLSmidth Hugessen Consulting 23 Kimball MidWest Kool-IP Solutions Corp. 24 Maddox Industrial Transformer, LLC McInnes Cooper 25 ME Global Mercuria Investments US, Inc. 26 Mill Man Steel, Inc. Pala Investments Limited 27

1	Partners in Performance USA Inc. Prepaid Expense Card Solutions, Inc.
2	PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP Proactive Investors North American Inc
3	Rain For Rent Southern Tire Mart, LLC
4	Southwest Energy LLC Thiessen Team USA, Inc.
5	Tom Albanese Triple Flag International Ltd.
6	Turnstone Industrial Solutions LLC Union Pacific Railroad Company
7	Wedco Inc. Workiva Inc.
8	Creditor Professionals
9	Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld Bennett Jones LLP Clearry Cattlick Steen & Hamilton LLP
10	Cleary, Gottlieb, Steen & Hamilton LLP Davis, Graham & Stubbs LLP
11	Milbank LLP Shea Larson PC
12	White & Case LLP
13	Depository Banks
	BMO Harris Bank Bank of Montreal/Banque De Montreal
14	Contract Counterparties
15	Adobe Inc.
16	Allied Sanitation Services Alpesh Surati
17	Arimex Industrial Atkinson Construction LLC
18	Barr Engineering
	BESTECH Canada Limited Boart Longyear
19	Carwil CGK Consulting Inc.
20	Cheek Construction LLC
21	Deswik USA Inc. Dusenbury Environmental Services
22	Evolve Security FKC Lakeshore Inc.
	Fort Lowell Consulting
23	Graymar Environmental Service, Inc. GroundHog Apps
24	Haley & Aldrich Haley & Aldrich, Inc.
25	Halo Service Solutions
26	ICM Solutions, LLC Jim Menesini Petroleum
27	JW Welding Supplies & Tools

1	Konica Minolta Premiere Finance
1	Kool-IP Layne Minerals LLC
2	Major Drilling America Inc.
3	McGinley & Associates Millcreek Engineering Company
4	MyComply Nevada Cement Company Inc.
5	Next Level Internet Inc NOREX Inc.
6	Pacific Office Automation Paterson & Cooke
	Platoro Mine Consulting LLC
7	Preffered Networks Inc.
8	Quality Scales Unlimited
0	R & M Security Redi Services LLC
9	RGGS Land & Minerals Ltd.
	Robert Half
10	Robison Engineering Company Inc.
11	Rocky Mountain Railcar Repair
11	Rough Stock Mining LLC Sierra Rentals and Transport
12	Sierra Staffing Group LLC
	Southwest Energy
13	SRK Consulting Inc
14	Steve Newman
	Subterranean Boring Inc Teresa Thom
15	ThermoFisher Scientific
1.6	Thomas Gallaway Corp d/b/a Technologent
16	Tori Martinez
17	Velosio Wellion Diver Mechanical Connection
17	Walker River Mechanical Corporation Westland Resources
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19	Insurance Providers AIG Specialty Insurance Co
20	Allied World Specialty Insurance Company Apollo Syndicate Management Limited
21	Aspen Insurance Banyan Risk Services Ltd.
22	Beazley Berkshire Hathaway Specialty Insurance Company
22	Canopius/Amlin
23	Chubb Insurance Company of Canada
24	CNA Canada CNA Hardy
	Continental Casualty Company
25	Definity
26	FastTrack
20	First Insurance Funding Corp.
27	First Insurance Funding of Canada

1	General Star Indemnity Company
2	Great American Insurance Group (GAIG) Inigo Insurance
	Intact Insurance Company International Mining Industry Underwriters (IMIU)
3	Lloyd's Insurance Company LP Insurance Services, LLC
4	Markel Canada Limited
5	Marsh Canada Limited Munich Reinsurance America, Inc.
6	QBE Insurance Redwood Fire and Casualty Insurance Company
7	Starr Indemnity & Liability Co Swiss Reinsurance America Corp
8	The Economical Insurance Group
	Zurich Insurance Company Ltd
9	<b>Benefit Providers</b> ADP Canada Co. Payroll Technologies
10	American Specialty Health Incorporated (ASH) d/b/a Active&Fit Direct
11	Berkley Industrial Comp. d/b/a Carolina Casualty Insurance Company CIGNA
12	Colonial Insurance Ginger
13	Happify Humana Insurance Co.
14	IMG's Travel Assistance Services
	iPrevail MacLean Financial Group
15	MD Live Nationwide
16	Navia Benefit Solutions
17	PayChex Paylogix f/b/o Nationwide
18	Prudential Insurance Company of America QUILITY Insurance Services
19	Regional Emergency Medical Services Authority (REMSA) Reliance Standard Life Insurance
20	SamCore Inc.
	Talk Space Victor Insurance Managers Inc.
21	Virgin Pulse WorkingAdvantage, an EBG Platform
22	WorkSafeBC
23	Utility Providers
24	Allied Sanitation & Septic Services Charter Communications
25	City of Alhambra Utilities Dept. D&S Waste Removal, Inc.
26	Frontier Communications Parent, Inc. H2O-4-U Potable Water Services, LLC
27	NV Energy
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1	Rango Sky Fiber Internet
2	Southwest Gas Corporation Sparkletts & Sierra - Alhambra
3	Starlink.com Waste Management of Nevada
4	Suppliers/Vendors
5	Cashman Equipment Company Caterpillar Financial SARL
6	Dumas Contracting LTD. Epiroc Financial Solutions USA LLC
7	Epiroc USA LLC Guy F. Atkinson Construction, LLC
8	Jennmar Corporation of Utah. Inc. Jim Menesini Petroleum Products
9	NewField Companies, LLC RAM Enterprises
10	Redpath USA Corporation Small Mine Development LLC
11	Western Nevada Supply
12	Sureties Aon
13	Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (Reclamation) Sierra Pacific Power Company d/b/a NV Energy
14	Trisura Insurance Company United States Department of the Interior Bureau of Land Management
15	Customers
16	Aurubis AG Aurubis Bulgaria AD
17	<b>Royalty Recipients</b> RGGS Land & Minerals Ltd.
18	Majuba Mining Ltd.
19	Renegade Resources Corporation
20	Equipment Lessors CAT Financial CIT Crown (Equipment Financing, Inc.
21	CIT Group/Equipment Financing, Inc. CIT Railcar Funding Company, LLC
22	Epiroc Financial Solutions Mine Hoist International Ltd
23	Normet Americas
24	Taxing Authorities         Canada Revenue Agency         Internal Bayering
25	Internal Revenue Service Lyon County Treasurer
26	Mineral County Treasurer Minister of Finance Nevada Department of Taxation
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Nevada State Treasurer 1 Storey County Business Licensing Storey County Treasurer 2 United States Treasury Washoe County Treasurer 3 4 **Temporary Labor/Staffing Agencies** ERP Automated LLC 5 Fort Lowell Consulting PLLC Kapra Cleaning LLC. 6 Lynx Enterprise LLC Manpower 7 R and M Security LLC TJA Consulting LLC 8 XRT Consultants LLC 9 **Other Lienholders** Amalgamated Mining & Tunnelling Inc. 10 AMC USA LLC American Assay Laboratories 11 American Equipment, Inc. Atlas Copco Customer Finance USA LLC 12 Barr Engineering Co. Boart Longyear Company 13 BrandSafway Services LLC CarWil, LLC 14 CIT Bank, N.A. Davidson Sales & Engineering, Inc. 15 Double Down Heavy Repair LLC Durus Industrial, LLC 16 Ecofab Maintenance USD Inc Expt1 Ltd., A Company Organized Under The Laws of The Cayman Islands 17 **GM** Financial Hoffman Manufacturing Inc. 18 Idaho Mine Technicians, LLC Jodouin Mine Ventilation LTD 19 Kaman Industrial Technologies Corporation Kelley Freight Brokers 20 Komatsu Equipment Co. Lhoist North America of Arizona 21 Maxim Crane Works LP Mine Hoists International LTD 22 NFS Leasing, Inc. Normet Americas Inc. 23 Northern Nevada Equipment Paterson & Cooke Canada Inc. 24 PDM Steel Service Centers, Inc. Peoples United Bank 25 Purcell Tire & Rubber Company Rema Tip Top/North America Inc 26 Respec Company, LLC **Responsible Mining Solutions** 27

1	RGGS Land & Minerals. Ltd., L.P. Rubicon Mechanical LLC
2	Saia LTL Freight Savage Services Corporation
3	Somerset Leasing Xxv, LLC
	SunBelt Rentals Inc Tech-Flow, LLC
4	Techline Services Inc
5	TFORCE Freight, Inc. Total Quality Logistics, LLC
6	WebBank Wesco
	West Chevrolet
7	Williams Scotsman, Inc.
8	Environmental/Regulatory
9	NDEP-BMRR
,	NDEP-BWPC
10	NevDCNR Neveda Department of Wildlife
10	Nevada Department of Wildlife State of Nevada - Div. of H2O Resources
11	Bureau of Safe Drinking Water
	NDEP - BAPC
12	Nevada Mining Association
	Oak Valley Hospital District
13	South Lyon Medical Center
	Walker River Irrigation District
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15	Other Governmental Authorities/Agencies
15	Alberta Securities Commission
16	British Columbia Securities Commission
10	Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Bureau of Sofo Drinking Water (BSDW)
17	Bureau of Safe Drinking Water (BSDW)
- /	Canada Deposit Insurance Corporation (CDIC) City of Reno
18	City of Yerington
	Department of Homeland Security
19	Department of Interior - BLM
	Department of Motor Vehicles
20	Federal Communications Commission
21	Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC)
21	International Accounting Standards Board
22	International Finance Corporation (IFC)
22	Lyon County Fair and Rodeo
23	Lyon County Recorder
25	Mason Valley Fire Protection Mineral County Assessor
24	Mineral County Building Department
	Mineral County Recorder
25	Nevada Department of Wildlife (NDOW)
	Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) - BAPC
26	Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) - BMRR
	Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) - BSMM
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1	Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) - BWPC Nevada Mining Association
2	Nevada Secretary of State Nevada State Fire Marshall
3	Nevada State Health Division NevDCNR Northern Nevada Development Authority
4	Northern Nevada Development Authority Oak Valley Hospital District
5	Office of the United States Attorney for the District of Nevada Ontario Securities Commission
6	Ontario Superior Court of Justice State of Nevada
7	State of Nevada - Dept of Ag State of Nevada - Div. of H2O Resources
8	System for Electronic Document Analysis and Retrieval (SEDAR) Toronto Stock Exchange (TSX)
9	US Department of Treasury - MSHA Walker River Irrigation District
10	<b>Region 17 U.S. Trustee and Personnel</b> Alisa Wongvasinkul
11	Anabel Abad-Santos
12	Anita Benson Avis J. Rhinehart
13	Bryan Coleman Cameron Gulden
14	Carla K. Cordero Carlos Hernandez-Vivoni
15	Cecilia Jimenez Christina Goebelsmann
16	Deanna K Hazelton Edmund Gee
17	Edward M. McDonald Gregory Powell
18	Ivy Cones Jared A. Day
19	Jason Blumberg Jay Chien
20	Joni Brun Jorge A. Gaitan
21	Justin C. Valencia Katina Umpierre
22	Keith Swanson Kristin McAbee
23	Kristine Kinne Lamar Lewis-Sutton
24	Laurie Brugger Lisa M. Grootendorst
25	Michael Fletcher Michael Mitchell
26	Michelle Forrest Monette Semana
27	Paul Leahy

1 Shane Bharat Sue Wolny 2 Terri Didion Tracy Hope Davis 3 Trevor Fehr 4 **District of Nevada Bankruptcy Court Judges** August B. Landis 5 Gary A. Spraker Gregg W. Zive 6 Hilary L. Barnes Mike K. Nakagawa 7 Natalie M. Cox 8 **Other Parties in Interest** Aaron Lopez 9 AccuWeather Enterprise Solutions acQuire Technology Solutions 10 Adam King Advanced Weighing Systems LLC 11 Agilent Technologies, Inc. Agru America, Inc. 12 AHern Rentals, Inc. Aikenhead Physical Therapy, LLC 13 Alan Rogelio Pineda-Chavez Aletek LLC 14 Alvarez & Marsal Canada Inc. Amazon.com 15 American Drilling Corp LLC American Group, LLC 16 Analytics-Shop USA LP Anthony O. Lopez 17 Anthony T. Reviglio Aon Reed Stenhouse Inc. 18 Applied Industrial Technologies, Inc. ARC WorkPlace Services 19 Associated Pension Consultants, LLC Atlas Electric Inc 20 Audiology Consulting and Training Azteca Consulting, LLC 21 Bentley Systems, Inc Berkley Industrial Comp. 22 Berkshire Hathaway Homestate Insurance Co Big Iron Rents and Sales, Inc 23 Bittersweet NC LLC Brenner-Fiedler & Associates, Inc 24 Brian Groom Bryce Roe 25 **BTE West** Burt Process Equipment, Inc. 26 C.C. Jensen, Inc. C.H. Spencer & Company 27

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1	Greenfield Project Development Services LLC Hard Rok Equipment, Inc.
	Hard-Line USA, Inc.
2	Hartwell Thalacker LTD
3	Hatch LTD Hawthorne Recycling Metals Co
-	Haynsworth Sinkler Boyd, PA
4	H-E Parts International Mining
5	Herc Rentals Inc
5	Hexagon Mining Inc.
6	High Grade Controls Corporation Hitachi Solutions Canada, Ltd.
	HosePower USA
7	Industrial Automation Services, Inc.
8	Ingeteam Inc
0	Insight Direct USA, Inc.
9	International Casting & Supplies J.W. Welding Supplies and Tools
	Jack R. Cline
10	Jackson Kelly PLLC
11	JBA Works, Inc.
11	Jeff N. Faillers, P.C.
12	Jennifer L. Light Jentech Drilling Supply Inc
	Jeremy B. Croft
13	Jose L. Arredondo Vizcaya
1.4	JP Mine Rescue Consultant, LLC
14	Kahl Commercial Interiors
15	Kappes, Cassiday & Associates Kasandra C. Fimbres
	Kenton Hoshino
16	Kimball Rentals LLC
	Korin Carpenter
17	Kyle Bryce
18	Kyle White
10	L.N. Curtis & Sons L/P Insurance Services, LLC
19	Lahontan Paramedical
•	LBR Enterprises, LLC d/b/a Copper Village
20	Legend, Inc.
21	Luis A. Ramirez
21	M. Dusenbury Envi. Services, Inc. Marsh USA LLC
22	Mason Valley Fire Protection Distri
	McGinley & Associates, Inc.
23	McLanahan Corporation
24	McMaster-Carr Mike Probat
	Mike Probst Miller Sales & Engineering, Inc.
25	MineARC Systems America, LLC
26	Minova USA Inc
26	Moly-Cop USA LLC
27	Motion Industries, Inc.

1	MSC Industrial Supply
1	myComply US Inc. Nevada Cement Co.
2	NevCan Inc.
3	New Pig Corporation
5	NISS Noe Leanos Garcia
4	Norco, Inc.
5	Nordic Minesteel Technologies Inc
5	Northern Nevada Rebar, INC. Northern Tool
6	Occupational Health Centers of the
7	Office Depot
/	OSECOELFAB Pac Machine Company, Inc.
8	Paessler AG
0	Pashman Stein Walder Hayden, P.C.
9	PetroSolutions LLC
10	PEX - Prepaid
10	Plastiques G Plus Inc Postmaster
11	Praneeth Gali
	Print N' Copy Center (PNCC)
12	Priority 1 Alert, Inc.
13	Progressive Insurance
15	Qal-Tek Associates LLC
14	Radiation Detection Company Ramiro Guerrero
	Raul D. Elenes
15	Redi Services, LLC
16	Renaissance Reno Downtown Hotel
16	RespSafety
17	Rick Hemsworth Rock Solid Training and Solutions
	Rock-Tech
18	RPM Expedite Nevada, LLC
19	Ryan McCalden
19	Safetyculture PTY LTD SAMG Occupational Medicine
20	Sangoma US
	Senergy Petroleum
21	Shoebox Ltd.
22	Shred-It USA LLC
22	Sierra Corporate Services Sierra Electronics
23	Sierra Rental and Transport Co.Inc
2.1	Sign City
24	Silver State Analytical Labs
25	Silver State Fire LLC Silver State Wire Rope & Rigging
	Smith Power Products, Inc.
26	SNF Inc.
27	Sonoma Health & Safety Center
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1	Sonsray Machinery, LLC Source Too Machine, Inc.
2	Staples Contract & Commercial LLC State Fire DC Specialties, LLC
3	Sticks & Stones Summit Engineering Corporation
4	Super Tek X Automation, Inc. Synergy Controls Corporation
5	The Cart Barn Tony Cerasia
6	Tony Hendrick ULINE, Inc.
7	United Central Industrial Supply Co United Rentals (North America)
8	United Site Services of Nevada Inc UPS
9	UPS Freight - Dallas Vanessa Quesada
10	Vector Solutions Verve Cloud, Inc.
	Virginia Ibarra
11	VLCM
12	Walker River Mechanical Corp Wayne D. Felzien
13	Weetah W. Kennison
15	Weir Minerals North American
14	Weld-Pro Solutions LLC Wells Fargo Vendor Financial Services LLC
	Western States Automation, LLC
15	Whistleblower Security
16	WiFiber LLC
10	William H. Collins
17	Wood Canada Limited Worley Canada Services Ltd.
10	Yerington Auto Parts
18	Yerington Family Vison Center
19	Yerington Inn Zoro Tools, Inc
20	Unsecured Noteholders
21	Hannam Investments
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# AlixPartners' Disinterestedness

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• In connection with the proposed employment and retention of AlixPartners, LLP ("*AlixPartners*") by the Debtors in these Chapter 11 Cases, AlixPartners undertook a complex process, the details of which are set forth below, to determine whether it had any conflicts or other relationships that might cause it not to be disinterested or to hold or represent an interest adverse to the Debtors' estates.

AlixPartners Holdings, LLP, AlixPartners' parent company ("*Holdings*"), directly or indirectly owns Holdings' U.S. and non-U.S. subsidiaries (collectively, the "*Holdings Enterprise*"). The equity capital of Holdings is owned by the following investors:

- (i) Lakeview Capital Holdings, Inc., the Jay Alix Living Trust and other trusts established by Jay Alix (collectively the "*Lakeview Parties*");
- (ii) Caisse de dépôt et placement du Québec ("*CDPQ*");
- (iii) Investcorp Holdings B.S.C. ("*IVC*");
- (iv) Public Sector Pension Investment Board ("**PSP**"); and
- (v) Current Partners and Managing Directors and certain former Managing Directors of AP (as defined below) and their individual and family trusts, as well as certain other individuals, including current members of the Boards (as hereinafter defined) and employees of the Lakeview Parties, and their individual and family trusts.

(Collectively, (i) – (v) above are hereinafter referred to as the "*Investors*", and the subset (ii) - (iv) above are hereinafter referred to as the "*Institutional Investors*").

Holdings and AlixPartners, each have a board of directors (together, the "*Boards*"). No individual or entity controls either of the Boards. Designees of each of the Investors (i) – (iv) above serve as members of the Boards. The Holdings Enterprise does not invest in distressed assets of any class, nor does it have any investment affiliates.

CDPQ is one of Canada's largest institutional investment managers. It manages investments on behalf of most of Quebec Canada's public and parapublic pension and insurance funds. CDPQ invests globally in numerous industries.

IVC is a leading global provider and manager of alternative investment products.

PSP is one of Canada's largest pension investment managers. It invests funds for the pension plans of the Public Service, the Canadian Armed Forces, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and the Reserve Force. PSP manages a diversified global portfolio in numerous industries throughout the world.

The Lakeview Parties and related entities are entities owned or controlled by Jay Alix that, among other things, make investments on behalf of Mr. Alix and his family.

In addition to their investments in Holdings, the Institutional Investors have substantial investments unrelated to AlixPartners.

The Boards are not involved in the delivery of client services and their members do not have access to client files, except for a minority of members of the Boards that are AlixPartners employees. As a precautionary matter, AlixPartners maintains information barriers and guidelines designed to prevent certain confidential client information, including the names of clients likely to be involved in a not-yet-filed case under the Bankruptcy Code, from being shared with the Investors or their designees on the Boards.

To that end, no material nonpublic information about the Debtors (including, before the filing of these Chapter 11 Cases, the fact that AlixPartners was about to undertake an assignment involving the Debtors) has been or will be furnished by AlixPartners to the Investors or their Board designees, and AlixPartners will continue to abide by its confidentiality obligations to the Debtors. Each Investor is independent of each other Investor and is governed by its own board of directors or similar body and managed by its own management team. AlixPartners operates independently and does not share employees, officers or other management with any of the Investors. AlixPartners and each of the Investors have separate offices in separate buildings, use separate internet email addresses, and do not otherwise share IT systems.

AlixPartners formed and currently holds a majority and controlling ownership interest in GSS UK Holdings Limited ("*GSS*"). GSS and its subsidiaries developed a regulatory technology platform to provide global, centralized sanctions screening services to financial institutions. Various Investors, including certain AlixPartners Partners and Managing Directors and Board members, hold minority ownership interests in GSS. AlixPartners currently has a majority of the seats on the board of directors of GSS. GSS does not share office space or IT systems with AlixPartners, but does share certain employees and services such as finance systems. The names of GSS's investors and customers (but not its vendors and employees) are loaded into the database where AlixPartners' connections are stored and are disclosed as part of the disclosure process described herein.

AlixPartners has one database where connections are stored for all entities in the Holdings Enterprise. The process for the preparation of disclosures is as follows: upon receipt of a potential parties in interest list from the Debtors and/or their representatives (the "*Parties in Interest List*"), all such parties are input to the database by team members familiar with the database. A report of the "hits" is generated, and the team members review those "hits" for connections. Where there is a connection, a disclosure is drafted. After the team completes draft disclosures, the disclosures are reviewed by an in-house bankruptcy attorney. The attorney coordinates with the team to finalize the disclosures, which are then reviewed by the engagement's Partner and Managing Director. These initial disclosures (the "*Initial Disclosures*") are thereafter filed with the Bankruptcy Court as part of the retention pleadings.

Promptly thereafter, a bankruptcy paralegal in the firm uses the Initial Disclosures and the Parties in Interest List to draft a firmwide email for each bankruptcy filing, including the Debtors' cases. This email is sent to every firm employee as well as the members of the Boards and the Lakeview Parties. The firmwide email requests each recipient to review the attached file that includes the parties in interest and corresponding disclosures,

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and asks that every recipient: (a) contact the legal department in the event that they have a connection or relationship with an interested party that is not included in our disclosures; (b) if they have a connection or relationship with an interested party that is included in our disclosures, confirm that it is accurately described; and (c) contact the legal department if they own securities of the Debtors. Members of the legal team review all email responses and draft any supplemental disclosures appropriate to reflect information received in response to the firmwide email. After the review process described in the immediately preceding paragraph, supplemental disclosures are thereafter filed with the Bankruptcy Court.

After the Initial Disclosures are filed with the Bankruptcy Court, AlixPartners also provides the names of the Debtors, their owners/investors, lenders and, on a case-by-case basis, other named entities (collectively, the "Investor Search Parties"), to the Institutional Investors, and requests that each Institutional Investor run a check of the Investor Search Parties across all investment portfolios including, upon reasonable investigation, (i) private and public funds, (ii) loan positions, and (iii) known positions across CLO holdings (all of the foregoing subject to the exceptions listed below, the "Investor Connections Check"). The exceptions to the Investor Connections Check are (i) investments over which the Institutional Investors do not possess actual investment authority and discretion ("direct control"), (ii) index replication position, (iii) investments owned in separate accounts managed by independent parties not affiliated with the Institutional Investors, and (iv) pooled investment vehicles in which the Institutional Investors do not exercise actual control or in which the Institutional Investors do not have visibility sufficient to ascertain such vehicle's investments. Members of the legal team review all responses received from the Institutional Investors and draft disclosures appropriate to reflect information received from the Institutional Investors that, following review, are filed with the Bankruptcy Court.

Upon receipt of the responses from the Institutional Investors to the Investor Connections Check, AlixPartners will file any supplemental disclosures which may be required.

To the extent AlixPartners learns of connections that are not included herein, AlixPartners will promptly file a supplemental disclosure.

Further, AlixPartners may have had, currently have or may in the future have business relationships with, among other entities, portfolio companies of the Institutional Investors and portfolio companies of private equity funds in which they are limited partners, in matters unrelated to the Debtors or their affiliates in these Chapter 11 Cases. Based on, among other things, the business separation between each of the Investors and AlixPartners, the contractual client confidentiality obligations of AlixPartners and the information barriers referred to above, AlixPartners believes that it does not hold or represent an interest adverse to the estate with respect to any such engagement.

Other than as specifically noted herein, AlixPartners has not undertaken to determine the existence, nature, and/or full scope of any business relationships or connections that the Investors may have with the Investor Search Parties, the Debtors and their affiliates, and other parties in interest in these Chapter 11 Cases.

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Specifically, AlixPartners obtained from the Debtors and/or their representatives the Parties in Interest List, which is attached hereto as Schedule 1 and conducted a search for connections in accordance with the procedures set forth above.

AlixPartners represents that, to the best of its knowledge, it knows of no fact or situation that would represent a conflict of interest, cause it not to be disinterested or hold or represent an interest adverse to the Debtors' estates, and furthermore wishes to the disclose the following with respect to the Holdings Enterprise (collectively, "*AP*", unless otherwise noted):

- AP interacts with U.S. Bankruptcy Court judges and representatives of the U.S. Trustee Program regularly in its capacity as a professional consulting firm that offers turnaround and restructuring services.
- AP has issued debt in the form of a USD-denominated senior secured term loan, and a Euro-denominated senior secured term loan (collectively, the "*Term Loans*"), as well as revolving credit facility (the "*Revolving Credit Facility*").

Bank of America, N.A. serves as the Administrative Agent for the Term Loans and the Revolving Credit Facility and as such manages all trading of the Term Loans and Revolving Credit Facility between investors. Many of the holders of the Term Loans are pools organized by banks, mutual fund management companies and other fund managers (collectively, "*Fund Managers*") who pool debt instruments issued by multiple / different borrowers and offer interests in the pools to investors. The identities of the investors in the pools cannot be ascertained by AP. The Term Loans are actively traded. Thus, the list of Fund Managers and other investors directly holding the Term Loans can become outdated quickly. On a monthly basis, AP reviews the list of investors in the Term Loans for the purpose of making relationship disclosures in chapter 11 cases. As of the last monthly report, no Fund Manager or other investor in the Term Loans. In the event that any entity accumulates a 10% or greater interest in the combined US-denominated and Euro-denominated Term Loans. AP will disclose the name of such entity.

The participants in the Revolving Credit Facility are Bank of America, N.A., Credit Suisse, Deutsche Bank AG Host Bank, Goldman Sachs Lending Partners LLC, HSBC Bank USA, NA, and JPMorgan Chase Bank N.A.

- The Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. The IRS is a lienholder and adverse litigation party to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- The United States Department of Justice ("DOJ"), including the United States Attorney General's Office, is a current and former client of AP in matters unrelated to the Debtors. The DOJ is a litigation party, adverse litigation party, lessor and professional to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.

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- AP follows a practice to solicit from the members of its Boards their connections to the parties in interest independent of AP. In response, one or more of the members of its Boards have offered the following disclosures:
  - Chubb Insurance Company of Canada ("*Chubb*") is an insurance provider to the Debtors. Chubb is a vendor to an AP investor or one of its affiliates. AP has a group insurance program in place for all US managing directors and AP board members under which personal excess liability (umbrella) insurance may be purchased from Chubb at group rates.
  - Pricewaterhouse Coopers LLP ("*PwC*") is an unsecured creditor to the Debtors. An AP Board member and an employee of one of his affiliates are former employees of PwC.
  - Robert Half, a contract counterparty to the Debtors. Robert Half Legal is a vendor to an AP investor or one of its affiliates.
  - U.S. Bank Global Corporate Trust is a lender to the Debtors. U.S. Bank is a vendor to an AP investor or one of its affiliates.
- Adobe Inc., a contract counterparty to the Debtors, is a vendor to AP.
- ADP Canada Co. Payroll Technologies, a benefit provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*ADP*"), are adverse litigation parties, professionals and director-affiliated companies to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. ADP is a former employer of a current AP employee. ADP is an employee benefits provider to AP.
- AIG Specialty Insurance Co., an insurance provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*AIG*"), are bondholders, adverse litigation parties, non-adverse litigation parties, investors, lessors, lenders and related parties to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. AIG is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. AIG is a former AP employees.
- Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld ("*Akin*"), a creditor professional in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a professional, counsel and opposing counsel to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Akin is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Akin is a legal service provider to AP.
- Allen Overy Shearman Sterling US LLP ("A&O Shearman"), a professional to the Debtors, is a professional and counsel to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. A&O Shearman is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. A&O Shearman is a former employer of a current AP employee.
- Allied World Specialty Insurance Company, an insurance provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Allied*"), are adverse litigation parties, non-adverse litigation parties, lenders and litigation parties to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Allied is an insurance provider to AP.

- Alvarez & Marsal Canada Inc., a professional to the Debtors, and affiliates ("A&M") are professionals, parent companies, adverse litigation parties and litigation parties to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. A&M is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. A&M is a former employer of current AP employees.
- Amazon.com, an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, and affiliated entities ("*Amazon*"), are related parties, adverse litigation parties, non-adverse litigation parties, litigation parties, professionals to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Amazon is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Amazon is a former employer of current AP employees. Amazon is a vendor to AP.
- Aon and Aon Reed Stenhouse Inc., surety parties to the Debtors, and interested parties in these Chapter 11 Cases, and affiliated entities ("*Aon*"), are bondholders, non-adverse litigation parties, adverse litigation parties, lenders, lienholders and professionals to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Aon is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Aon is a former employer of current AP employees. Aon is an insurance provider to AP.
- Applied Industrial Technologies, Inc., an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a lienholder to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Aspen Insurance, an insurance provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Aspen*"), are bondholders, adverse litigation parties, non-adverse litigation parties, related parties and litigation parties to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Aspen is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Atlas Copco Customer Finance USA LLC, a lienholder to the Debtors, and affiliated entities, are adverse litigation parties and litigation parties to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Beazley, an insurance provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities, are adverse litigation parties to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Bennett Jones LLP, a creditor professional in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a professional to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Berkley Industrial Comp. and Berkley Industrial Comp. d/b/a Carolina Casualty Insurance Company, interested parties in these Chapter 11 Cases and benefit providers to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Berkley*"), are bondholders, investors and adverse litigation parties to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Berkley is an insurance provider to AP.
- Berkshire Hathaway Homestate Insurance Co. and Berkshire Hathaway Specialty Insurance Company, insurance providers to the Debtors and interested parties in these Chapter 11 Cases, and affiliated entities ("*Berkshire Hathaway*"), are bondholders, adverse litigation parties, litigation parties, parent companies, related parties and investors

to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Berkshire Hathaway is an insurance provider to AP.

- BMO Harris Bank and Bank of Montreal/Banque De Montreal, banking service providers and lienholders to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*BMO*"), are adverse litigation parties, non-adverse litigation parties, bondholders, lenders, lessors, lienholders, litigation parties, professionals and shareholders to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. BMO is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. BMO is a former AP employee.
- BrandSafway Services LLC, a lienholder to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*BrandSafway*"), are director-affiliated companies to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. BrandSafway is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Canopius/Amlin, insurance providers to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Canopius/Amlin*"), are adverse litigation parties to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Canopius/Amlin is an insurance provider to AP.
- Capurro Trucking, an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, and affiliated entities, are lessors to a current AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- CAT Financial and Caterpillar Financial SARL, equipment lessors, suppliers and vendors to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Caterpillar*"), are adverse litigation parties, non-adverse litigation parties, lessors, lenders, lienholders and litigation parties to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Caterpillar is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Caterpillar is a former employer of current AP employees. Caterpillar is a vendor to AP.
- CDS & Co, a shareholder to the Debtors, and affiliated entities, are shareholders to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
  - CDW Direct LLC, an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, and affiliated entities ("*CDW*"), are lessors to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. CDW is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. CDW is a vendor to AP.
  - Charter Communications, a utility provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Charter*"), are adverse litigation parties, non-adverse litigation parties and lessees to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Charter is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
  - Chubb Insurance Company of Canada, an insurance provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Chubb*"), are affiliates, bondholders, adverse litigation parties, lenders and non-adverse litigation parties to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Chubb is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Chubb is an insurance provider to AP. AP has a group insurance program in place for all

US managing directors and AP board members under which personal excess liability (umbrella) insurance may be purchased from Chubb at group rates.

- CIGNA, a benefit provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*CIGNA*"), are affiliates, adverse litigation parties, bondholders, lenders and professionals to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. CIGNA is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. CIGNA is an insurance provider to AP.
- CIT Bank, N.A. and CIT Group/Equipment Financing, Inc., lienholders and equipment lessors to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*CIT*"), are lenders, lessors, lienholders and adverse litigation parties to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. CIT was a member of the official committee of unsecured creditors that retained AP in Modell's Sporting Goods, Inc., a former bankruptcy matter unrelated to the Debtors.
- Citigroup Global Markets Inc., a professional to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Citi*"), are adverse litigation parties, bondholders, investors, lenders, lessors, lienholders, litigation parties, parent companies, professionals and shareholders to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Citi is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Citi is a former employer of current AP employees.
- City of Reno, a governmental authority to the Debtors, is an adverse litigation party to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Cleary, Gottlieb, Steen & Hamilton LLP ("*Cleary*"), a creditor professional in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a professional and counsel to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Cleary is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- CNA Canada, CNA Hardy and Continental Casualty Company, insurance providers to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*CNA*"), are adverse litigation parties, non-adverse litigation parties, bondholders, affiliates, lenders, litigation parties and lienholders to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. CNA is an insurance provider to AP.
- Computershare, an unsecured creditor to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Computershare*"), are professionals to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Computershare is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Computershare is a member of the official committee of unsecured creditors that retained AP in Rite Aid Corporation, a bankruptcy matter unrelated to Debtors.
  - Davis, Graham & Stubbs LLP, a creditor professional in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a professional to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- De Lage Landen Financial Services, Inc., an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a lender, lessor, lessee, lienholder and adverse litigation party to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.

- Department of Homeland Security, a governmental authority to the Debtors, is a bondholder to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Department of Homeland Security is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Department of Interior BLM and United States Department of the Interior Bureau of Land Management, governmental authorities and surety parties to the Debtors, are bondholders and lessors to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Dorsey & Whitney LLP, an unsecured creditor to the Debtors, is a professional and counsel to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Dorsey & Whitney LLP is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Dorsey & Whitney LLP is a legal service provider to AP.
- DSV Air & Sea, Inc., an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, is an adverse litigation party and litigation party to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- DXP Enterprises, Inc., an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a litigation party to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Elliott Investment Management, an affiliate of lenders to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Elliott*"), are affiliates, associated companies, bondholders, lenders, adverse litigation parties, parent companies and shareholders to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Elliott is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Epiq Corporate Restructuring, LLC, a professional to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Epiq*"), are professionals to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Epiq is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Epiq is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Epiq is a former employee of current AP employees.
- FastTrack, an insurance provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities, are associated companies to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), a governmental authority to the Debtors, is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Federal Express and FedEx Freight, interested parties in these Chapter 11 Cases, and affiliated entities ("*FedEx*"), are adverse litigation parties, lessees, lenders and lienholders to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. FedEx is a vendor to AP.
- Ferguson Enterprises, Inc., an unsecured creditor to the Debtors, is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- First Insurance Funding (a division of Lake Forest Bank & Trust Company), First Insurance Funding Corp. and First Insurance Funding of Canada, unsecured creditors and

insurance providers to the Debtors, are lenders to a current AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.

- FLSmidth, an unsecured creditor to the Debtors, and affiliated entities, are adverse litigation parties and litigation parties to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- GM Financial, a lienholder to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*GM*"), are lessors, lenders, adverse litigation parties, litigation parties and lienholders to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. GM is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. GM is a former employer of current AP employees.
- Grainger, an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, and affiliated entities ("*Grainger*"), are adverse litigation parties, lienholders, non-adverse litigation parties and litigation parties to current AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Grainger is a former employer of a current AP employee.
- Graphic Products, Inc., an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a lienholder to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Great American Insurance Group (GAIG), an insurance provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Great American*"), are adverse litigation parties and non-adverse litigation parties to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Great American is a current AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Great American is an insurance provider to AP.
- Guy F. Atkinson Construction, LLC, a supplier and vendor to the Debtors, is a litigation party to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Herc Rentals Inc., an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a member of the official committee of unsecured creditors that retained AP in Orbital Infrastructure Group, Inc., a bankruptcy matter unrelated to Debtors.
- Hitachi Solutions Canada, Ltd., an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, and affiliated entities ("*Hitachi*"), are associated companies, adverse litigation parties, lienholders, litigation parties, director-affiliated companies, lenders and parent companies to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Hitachi is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Hitachi is a former employer of a current AP employee. Hitachi is a vendor to AP.
- HosePower USA, an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, and affiliated entities, are adverse litigation parties to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Humana Insurance Co., a benefit provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Humana*"), are litigation parties and lessors to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Humana is a member of the official committee of unsecured

creditors that retained AP in Rite Aid Corporation, a bankruptcy matter unrelated to Debtors.

- Insight Direct USA, Inc. ("*Insight Direct*"), an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a professional to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Insight Direct is a vendor to AP.
- Intact Insurance Company, an insurance provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities, are insurance providers to AP.
- International Finance Corporation (IFC), a governmental authority to the Debtors, is an associated company to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Jackson Kelly PLLC, an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a professional to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Kaman Industrial Technologies Corporation, a lienholder to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Kaman*"), are adverse litigation parties to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Kaman is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- KfW IPEX-Bank GmbH, a lender to the Debtors, and affiliated entities, are lenders to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Komatsu Equipment Co., a lienholder to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Komatsu*"), are lienholders and adverse litigation parties to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Komatsu is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Konica Minolta Premiere Finance, a contract counterparty to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Konica Minolta*"), are lienholders and lessors to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Konica Minolta is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Lloyd's Insurance Company, an insurance provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Lloyd's*"), are non-adverse litigation parties, adverse litigation parties, lenders and litigation parties to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Lloyd's is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Lloyd's is an insurance provider to AP.
- Maddox Industrial Transformer, LLC, an unsecured creditor to the Debtors, is a lienholder to a current AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Manchester Securities Corp., a lender to the Debtors, is an affiliate of a current AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Manpower, a temporary labor or staffing agency to the Debtors, is a former employer of a current AP employee.

- Markel Canada Limited, an insurance provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Markel*"), are associated companies, adverse litigation parties, lessors, non-adverse litigation parties and shareholders to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Markel is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Markel is an insurance provider to AP.
- Marsh Canada Limited and Marsh USA LLC, insurance providers to the Debtors and interested parties in these Chapter 11 Cases, and affiliated entities ("*Marsh*"), are non-adverse litigation parties and professionals to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Marsh is a former employer of a current AP employee. Marsh is a vendor to AP.
- Maxim Crane Works LP, a lienholder to the Debtors, is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- McInnes Cooper, an unsecured creditor to the Debtors, is a professional to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. McInnes Cooper is a vendor to AP.
- McDonald Carano, a professional to the Debtors, is a professional to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- McMaster-Carr, an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, and affiliated entities ("*McMaster-Carr*"), are lienholders, litigation parties and adverse litigation parties to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. McMaster-Carr is a former employer of current AP employees.
- Mercuria Energy Trading, Mercuria Holdings (Singapore) Pte Ltd and Mercuria Investments US, Inc., lenders, unsecured creditors and shareholders to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Mercuria*"), are lenders and shareholders to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Mercuria is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Milbank LLP, a creditor professional in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a professional and counsel to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Milbank LLP is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Milbank LLP is a former employer of a current AP employee.
- Miller Thomson LLP, an ordinary course professional to the Debtors, is a professional and opposing counsel to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Moelis & Company, a professional to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Moelis*"), are investment bankers, lenders, non-adverse litigation parties and professionals to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Moelis is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Motion Industries, Inc., an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a lessor and litigation party to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.

- MSC Industrial Supply, an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a lienholder to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Munich Reinsurance America, Inc., an insurance provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities, are adverse litigation parties and parent companies to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Nationwide, a benefit provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Nationwide*"), are bondholders, adverse litigation parties, lienholders, litigation parties and lenders to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Nationwide is an insurance provider to AP.
- Nevada Department of Taxation, a taxing authority to the Debtors, is a bondholder to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- NFS Leasing, Inc., a lienholder to the Debtors, is a lienholder to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- NOREX Inc., a contract counterparty to the Debtors, is a vendor to AP.
- Office Depot, an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, is an affiliate to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Office Depot is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Office Depot is a vendor to AP.
- Partners in Performance USA Inc., an unsecured creditor to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Partners in Performance*"), are former employers of current AP employees. Partners in Performance is a vendor to AP.
- Peoples United Bank, a lienholder to the Debtors, is a lienholder to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Pricewaterhouse Coopers LLP, an unsecured creditor to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*PwC*"), are non-adverse litigation parties and professionals to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. PwC is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. PwC is a former employer of current AP employees. PwC is a tax advisor to AP.
- Progressive Insurance, an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, is an adverse litigation party and litigation party to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Prudential Insurance Company of America, a benefit provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Prudential*"), are bondholders, lienholders, lessors, professionals, lenders and adverse litigation parties to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Prudential is a former employer of a current AP employee.
- QBE Insurance, an insurance provider to the Debtors, , and affiliated entities ("*QBE*"), are lenders, litigation parties, related parties, non-adverse litigation parties and adverse

litigation parties to current AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. QBE is an insurance provider to AP.

- Reliance Standard Life Insurance, a benefit provider to the Debtors, is a bondholder, lender and adverse litigation party to current AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Robert Half, a contract counterparty to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Robert Half*"), are professionals to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Robert Half is a former employer of current AP employees. Robert Half is a vendor to AP.
- Shred-It USA LLC, an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, and affiliated entities ("*Shred-It*"), are professionals to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Shred-It is a vendor to AP.
- Staples Contract & Commercial LLC, an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, and affiliated entities ("*Staples*"), were members of the official committee of unsecured creditors that retained AP in 24 Hour Fitness Worldwide, Inc., a former bankruptcy matter unrelated to the Debtors. Staples is a former employer of a current AP employee. Staples is a vendor to AP.
- Starr Indemnity & Liability Co., an insurance provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Starr*"), are adverse litigation parties to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Starr is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Starr is an insurance provider to AP.
- State of Nevada, a governmental authority to the Debtors, is a bondholder, litigation party and adverse litigation party to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Summit Engineering Corporation, an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a professional to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Summit Partners Credit Advisors LP, a shareholder to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Summit Partners*"), are non-adverse litigation parties, lenders, parent companies and professionals to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Summit Partners is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- SunBelt Rentals Inc., a lienholder to the Debtors, and affiliated entities, are lienholders and adverse litigation parties to current AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Swiss Reinsurance America Corp., an insurance provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities, are adverse litigation parties to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- TFORCE Freight, Inc., a lienholder to the Debtors, is a lienholder to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.

- ThermoFisher Scientific, a contract counterparty to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*ThermoFisher*"), are lenders and litigation parties to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. ThermoFisher is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. ThermoFisher is a former employer of a current AP employee.
- Torys LLP ("*Torys*"), an ordinary course professional to the Debtors, is an adverse litigation party, professional and counsel to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Torys is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Total Quality Logistics, LLC, a lienholder to the Debtors, is a former employer of a current AP employee.
- U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, a lender to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("U.S. Bank"), are bondholders, adverse litigation parties, litigation parties, lenders, lessors, lienholders, professionals, non-adverse litigation parties and shareholders to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. U.S. Bank is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. U.S. Bank is an official member of the committee of unsecured creditors that retained AP in iMedia Brands, Inc., a bankruptcy matter unrelated to the Debtors. US Bank was a member of the official committee of unsecured creditors that retained AP in Tops Holding II Corporation, a former bankruptcy matter unrelated to the Debtors.
- ULINE, Inc., an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a lienholder to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. ULINE, Inc. is a vendor to AP.
- Union Pacific Railroad Company, an unsecured creditor to the Debtors, is a lessor, adverse litigation party and litigation party to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- United Central Industrial Supply Co, an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a non-adverse litigation party to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
  - United Rentals (North America), an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
  - United States Treasury, a taxing authority to the Debtors, is a former employer of a current AP employee.
- UPS and UPS Freight Dallas, interested parties in these Chapter 11 Cases, and affiliated entities ("*UPS*"), are lienholders and adverse litigation parties to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. UPS is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. UPS was a member of the official committee of unsecured creditors that retained AP in Bluestem Brands, Inc., a former bankruptcy matter unrelated to the Debtors. UPS is a vendor to AP.

- Vector Solutions, an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a director-affiliated company to a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Vector Solutions is a former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Vedder Price, an ordinary course professional to the Debtors, is a professional and counsel to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Waste Management of Nevada, a utility provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities, are adverse litigation parties and lessors to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- WebBank, a lienholder to the Debtors, is a lender and adverse litigation party to former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Weir Minerals North American, an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, and affiliated entities ("*Weir*"), are adverse litigation parties, litigation parties and lienholders to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Weir is a former employer of current AP employees.
- Wells Fargo Vendor Financial Services LLC, an interested party in these Chapter 11 Cases, and affiliated entities ("*Wells Fargo*"), are bondholders, litigation parties, non-adverse litigation parties, director-affiliated companies, lenders, lessors, lienholders, shareholders, professionals and adverse litigation parties to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Wells Fargo is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Wells Fargo was a member of the ad hoc committee of noteholders that retained AP in LBI Media, Inc., a former bankruptcy matter unrelated to the Debtors. Wells Fargo was a member of unsecured creditors that retained AP in 24 Hour Fitness Worldwide, Inc. and Extraction Oil & Gas, Inc., former bankruptcy matters unrelated to the Debtors. Wells Fargo is a former employer to a current AP employee.
- Wesco, a lienholder to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Wesco*"), are adverse litigation parties and litigation parties to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Wesco is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- White & Case LLP, a creditor professional in these Chapter 11 Cases, is a professional and counsel to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. White & Case LLP is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. White & Case LLP is a former employer of a current AP employee.
- Williams Scotsman, Inc., a lienholder to the Debtors, is a lessor and adverse litigation party to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.
- Workiva Inc., an unsecured creditor to the Debtors, is a professional to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors.

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• Zurich Insurance Company Ltd, an insurance provider to the Debtors, and affiliated entities ("*Zurich*"), are bondholders, joint venture parties, adverse litigation parties, non-adverse litigation parties, litigation parties and lienholders to current and former AP clients in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Zurich is a current and former AP client in matters unrelated to the Debtors. Zurich is a former employer of a current AP employee. Zurich is an insurance provider to AP.