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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

In re: ☒ NEVADA COPPER, INC. ☒ NEVADA COPPER CORP. ☒ NC DITCH COMPANY LLC ☒ NC FARMS LLC ☒ LION IRON CORP. ☒ 0607792 B.C. LTD. Debtors.[1]	Lead Case No.: 24-50566-hlb Chapter 11 Jointly Administered with: Case No. 24-50567-hlb Case No. 24-50568-hlb Case No. 24-50569-hlb Case No. 24-50570-hlb Case No. 24-50571-hlb

SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION OF
ROBB MCWILLIAMS OF ALIXPARTNERS, LLP

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I, Robb McWilliams, state under penalty of perjury, that:

1. I am a Partner and Managing Director of AlixPartners, LLP ("AlixPartners"),[2] which has a place of business at 2101 Cedar Springs Road, Suite 1100, Dallas, TX 75201.

1. The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases and the last four digits of their registration numbers in the jurisdiction in which they are organized are: Nevada Copper, Inc. (1157) (Nevada); Nevada Copper Corp. (5323) (British Columbia); 0607792 B.C. Ltd. (2524) (British Columbia); Lion Iron Corp. (2904) (Nevada); NC Farms LLC (0264) (Nevada); and NC Ditch Company LLC (4396) (Nevada).

2 Capitalized terms used herein shall have meanings ascribed to them in 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* [Docket No. 174].

2. Except as otherwise noted, I have personal knowledge of the matters set forth herein and, if called as a witness, would testify competently thereto.

3. I submit this supplemental declaration (the "Declaration") in furtherance of paragraph 9 of the *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*, entered on July 31, 2024 [Docket No. 473] (the "Retention Order") , and in accordance with Section 330 (a)(3)(F) of the Bankruptcy Code.

4. Effective January 1, 2025, the standard hourly rate ranges established by AlixPartners for professionals are set forth below:

Rate Ranges as of January 1, 2025	
Title	**Hourly Rate**
Partner/ Partner & Managing Director	US 1,225 – US 1,540
Senior Vice President/ Director	US 850 – US 1,150
Vice President	US 650 – US 835
Analyst/ Consultant	US 250 – US 640

5. The increased rates are consistent with, and typical of, compensation arrangements entered into by comparable firms that render similar services. Recently, AlixPartners conducted a market review of billing rates for restructuring services and, as a result, has made certain comparable market rate adjustments, in addition to the normal and customary business and promotion-related increases. Accordingly, AlixPartners submits that the increase in rates set forth herein is reasonable, market-based and designed as fair compensation for the services provided.

6. The individual billing rates assigned to the professionals providing services in these Chapter 11 Cases will be reflected on the invoices and fee applications.

7. The Engagement Letter dated as of May 2, 2024 by and between AlixPartners and the Debtors informed the Debtors that our rates are revised semi-annually.

8. Pursuant to paragraph 9 of the Retention Order, AlixPartners will serve a copy of this Declaration upon the Debtors, the United States Trustee, and counsel to the official committee of unsecured creditors appointed in these Chapter 11 Cases at least 28 business days prior to the effective date of the rate changes described herein.

9. The Debtors have received notice of AlixPartners' hourly rate increases as set forth herein.

Dated: December 3, 2024
Dallas, Texas

AlixPartners, LLP

/s/ Robb McWilliams
Robb McWilliams
Partner & Managing Director