

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
HOUSTON DIVISION

In re:

ASCEND PERFORMANCE MATERIALS  
HOLDINGS INC., *et al.*,<sup>1</sup>

Debtors.

Chapter 11

Case No. 25-90127 (CML)

Jointly Administered

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NOTICE OF HYBRID HEARING SCHEDULED FOR  
JULY 17, 2025 AT 3:00 P.M. (CENTRAL TIME)

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a *hybrid* hearing on the *Application of the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors of Ascend Performance Materials Holdings Inc., Et Al., For Entry of an Order (I) Authorizing the Retention and Employment of Ducera Partners LLC As Investment Banker As of May 9, 2025, and (II) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No, 426] will take place on **July 17, 2025, at 3:00 p.m. (prevailing central time)** before the Honorable Judge Christopher M. Lopez, United States Bankruptcy Judge, Courtroom 401, 4th Floor, 515 Rusk Street, Houston, Texas 77002.

**Audio Participation**

Audio communication will be by use of the Court's regular dial-in number. The dial-in number is 832-917-1510. You will be responsible for your own long-distance charges. Judge Lopez's conference room number is 590153. Parties are encouraged to review the Court's procedures for telephonic appearances located at: <https://www.txs.uscourts.gov/page/united->

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<sup>1</sup> A complete list of each of the Debtors in these chapter 11 cases may be obtained on the website of the Debtors' claims and noticing agent at <https://dm.epiq11.com/Ascend>. The location of Debtor Ascend Performance Materials Holdings Inc.'s principal place of business is 1010 Travis St., Suite 900, Houston, Texas 77002.

[states-bankruptcy-judge-christopher-m-lopez](#). Each person who speaks at the hearing should be prepared to restate that person's name each time the person speaks in order to assist any transcriber of the audio recording.

**Video Participation**

Parties may participate in the hearing and by use of an internet connection. The internet site is [www.gotomeeting.com](http://www.gotomeeting.com). A GoTo app is available for download to computers. It is recommended that you download the free GoTo app on each device that will be used to connect to a hearing. Connecting via web browser only may limit the availability of some GoTo features. Persons connecting by mobile device will need to download the free GoTo app.

Once connected to GoTo, a participant should enter the meeting code "JudgeLopez". A participant can also connect using the link on Judge Lopez's homepage on the Southern District of Texas website. Once connected to GoTo, click the settings icon in the upper right corner and enter your name under the person information setting.

Audio connections by phone are required for all video participants.

Dated: July 7, 2025

Respectfully Submitted,

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I certify that on July 7, 2025, I caused a copy of the foregoing document to be served by the Electronic Case Filing System for the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas.

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