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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

V.

JOHN B. BIVONA; SADDLE RIVER ADVISERS, LLC; SRA MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATES, LLC; FRANK GREGORY MAZZOLA

Defendants.

Case No. 3:16-cv-1386

[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING THE RECEIVER'S ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION FOR THE RETENTION OF AN INDEPENDENT INVESTMENT BANKER

Date: N/A Time: N/A

Judge: Edward M. Chen

The Receiver in the above matter, Sherwood Partners Inc. ('Sherwood"), requests that this Court approve its Application pursuant to L.R. 7-11 for the retention of the independent investment banking firm of Oxis Capital, on the terms set forth in Exhibit A to the Application.

The Receiver has also requested that this Court approve a limitation on the liability of Oxis Capital similar to that afforded to any Retained Personnel, as defined in this Court's Order of October 11, 2016 (Docket No. 142), and grant it authority to make informational inquiries of the pre-IPO companies in the Receivership Estate on behalf of the Receiver, while conducting its scope of work.

The Receiver represents that the affected parties to this matter have been involved in the selection of Oxis Capital and no affected party opposes its retention, and the request for a limitation on its liability and

entitlement to the retention of counsel and payment for legal fees involved in defending itself from any claim of negligence in its work.

GOOD CAUSE APPEARING, the Court hereby authorizes the Receiver to retain the firm of Oxis Capital on the terms set forth in Exhibit A to the Application.

GOOD CAUSE FURTHER APPEARING, the Court therefore issues the following order:

"Oxis Capital shall be provided the same limitation on liability that the Court has provided for Retained Personnel in Section XII of its Order of October 11, 2016 (Docket No. 142) for all Retained Personnel. Further, in the event any litigation is commenced against Oxis Capital relating to the performance of any of its work set forth in, or implied from its engagement letter, the Receiver may (with the Court's prior approval) retain legal counsel for the purpose of defending Oxis. Finally, Oxis is hereby authorized to make inquiries on the Receiver's behalf of any pre-IPO company issuer of securities which are part of the Receivership Estate, on any matter relevant to the performance of its scope of work."

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: December _1, 2017



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