UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA GREENSBORO DIVISION

In re

MOREHEAD MEMORIAL HOSPITAL,

Debtor.

Case No. 17-10775

Chapter 11

DISCLOSURE STATEMENT FOR JOINT CHAPTER 11 PLAN OF ORDERLY LIQUIDATION PURSUANT TO SECTION 1125 OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE

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I. <u>INTRODUCTION</u>

On July 10, 2017 (the "Petition Date"), Morehead Memorial Hospital (the "Debtor") filed a voluntary petition for relief under Chapter 11 of Title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code") in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Middle District of North Carolina (the "Bankruptcy Court"). The case is administered under bankruptcy case number 17-10775 (the "Chapter 11 Case"). Since the Petition Date, the Debtor has remained in possession of its assets, and managed its business as debtor-in-possession, pursuant to Sections 1107 and 1108 of the Bankruptcy Code. On July 24, 2017, the Office of the United States Bankruptcy Administrator appointed a committee of unsecured creditors pursuant to Sections 1102(a) and 1102(b)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code (the "Committee" and, collectively with the Debtor, the "Plan Proponents").

The Plan Proponents submit this disclosure statement (the "**Disclosure Statement**") pursuant to Section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code in connection with the solicitation of votes to accept or reject their Chapter 11 Plan of Orderly Liquidation, dated March 21, 2018, a copy of which is attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A</u> (the "**Plan**"). The summary of the Plan provided herein is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Plan. To the extent that the information provided in this Disclosure Statement and the Plan (including any Plan supplements or amendments) conflict, the terms of the Plan (including any Plan supplements or amendments) will control. Terms not otherwise specifically defined herein will have the meanings attributed to them in the Plan. Each definition in this Disclosure Statement and in the Plan includes both the singular and plural. Headings are for convenience or reference and shall not affect the meaning or interpretation of this Disclosure Statement.

At a hearing to be held on the adequacy of this Disclosure Statement, the Plan Proponents will request that the Bankruptcy Court approve this Disclosure Statement as containing "adequate information" in accordance with Section 1125(b) of the Bankruptcy Code to enable a hypothetical, reasonable investor typical of claimholders in a Class of Claims entitled to vote as set forth in the Plan to make an informed judgment about whether to accept or reject the Plan. A hearing to consider the adequacy of this Disclosure Statement (the "**Disclosure Statement Hearing**") will be held on <u>Wednesday April 25, 2018 at 9:30 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time</u>, before the Honorable Benjamin A. Kahn, United States Bankruptcy Judge, at the Bankruptcy Court, 101 S. Edgeworth St., Greensboro, NC 27401.

After the Disclosure Statement is approved, the Bankruptcy Court will set a deadline to file and serve objections, if any, to confirmation of the Plan, in the manner described in section V(C) of this Disclosure Statement. The hearing to confirm the Plan (the "Confirmation Hearing") may be adjourned from time to time by the Bankruptcy Court without further notice except for the announcement of the adjournment date made at the Confirmation Hearing or at any subsequent adjourned Confirmation Hearing.

The following documents are attached as Exhibits to this Disclosure Statement:

¹ Unless otherwise defined in this Disclosure Statement, all capitalized terms contained in this Disclosure Statement have the meanings ascribed to them in the Plan. To the extent that a definition of a term in the text of this Disclosure Statement and the definition of such term in the Plan are inconsistent, the definition in the Plan shall control.

Exhibit A: The Plan

Exhibit B: Liquidation Analysis

Exhibit C: Schedule of the Estimated Potential Range of Recovery to

Holders of Allowed Claims in Classes of Impaired Claims (to be filed on the docket at least ten days prior to the Disclosure

Statement Hearing)

You are urged to carefully review the contents of the Plan and Disclosure Statement, including all exhibits attached thereto, before making your decision to vote to accept or reject the Plan. If your Claim is part of an "impaired" Class (as defined in section V(B)(3) of this Disclosure Statement), you are entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan. Particular attention should be directed to the provisions of the Plan affecting or impairing your rights as they may presently exist, including, but not limited to, the provisions which provide for injunctions and releases.

This Disclosure Statement is intended to provide adequate information of a kind, and in sufficient detail, to enable the Debtor's creditors to make an informed judgment about the Plan, including whether to accept or reject the Plan. This Disclosure Statement sets forth certain information regarding (i) the Debtor's prepetition operating and financial history; (ii) the Debtor's need to file for relief under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code; (iii) significant events that have occurred during the Debtor's Chapter 11 Case; (iv) the terms of the Plan; (v) the manner in which distributions will be made under the Plan; (vi) certain effects of confirmation of the Plan; (vii) certain risk factors associated with the Plan; and (viii) the confirmation process and the voting procedures that Holders of Claims entitled to vote under the Plan must follow for their votes to be counted.

This Disclosure Statement is subject to the Bankruptcy Court's approval as containing information of a kind, and in sufficient detail, adequate to enable a hypothetical, reasonable investor typical of each of the Classes whose votes are being solicited to make an informed judgment with respect to the Plan. THE BANKRUPTCY COURT'S APPROVAL OF THIS DISCLOSURE STATEMENT DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A DETERMINATION WITH RESPECT TO THE MERITS OF THE PLAN. ALL CREDITORS ARE ENCOURAGED TO READ THIS DISCLOSURE STATEMENT AND ITS EXHIBITS CAREFULLY AND IN THEIR ENTIRETY BEFORE DECIDING TO VOTE TO ACCEPT OR REJECT THE PLAN.

II. <u>DESCRIPTION OF THE DEBTOR'S BUSINESSES AND REASONS FOR THE DEBTOR'S CHAPTER 11 FILING²</u>

A. The Debtor

The Debtor is a North Carolina non-profit corporation that owned and operated a 108-bed hospital (the "Hospital") on a 22-acre campus located at 117 East Kings Highway, Eden, North Carolina ("Hospital Real Property"). Founded in 1924, the Debtor was a two-state healthcare system that serviced patients in a 12-zip code area encompassing Rockingham County, North Carolina and neighboring southern Virginia areas. The Debtor was one of the top five employers in Rockingham County and employed approximately 700 individuals that provided comprehensive medical services to more than 31,000 people who visited the Debtor's facilities on an annual basis.

The Hospital is one of seven hospital facilities in its local market, serving a population of approximately 20,000 people. On the main Hospital campus, the Debtor offered inpatient and day hospital services, an emergency department, a skilled nursing facility, a cancer treatment center, and five operating rooms. The Debtor's range of services on the Hospital campus included:

- A 108-bed hospital facility including 87 medical-surgical beds, nine intensive care beds, and twelve birthing center beds;
- Modern equipment and procedures including an electronic medical records system, CT, MRI, lithotripsy, vascular laboratory, laser surgery, angiography, digital mammography, and stereotactic breast biopsy procedure;
- More than ten clinics for delivery of community-based health and wellness;
- A 121-bed skilled nursing facility offering short-term, intermediate, and long-term skilled nursing care;
- A wound care center with the area's only hyperbaric chambers offering state-of-theart care for difficult-to-heal wounds;
- An occupational health center that supports local industries and businesses with wellness, injury, and workers' compensation management; and
- An on-site cancer center.

² All representations in this section, including with respect to the Debtor's background, prepetition events, and the Debtor's reasons for filing the Chapter 11 Case, are based on the Debtor's characterization of the relevant facts and prior representations in this Chapter 11 Case. The Committee accepts these representations for the purposes of this Disclosure Statement but reserves the right to dispute them in the event that any subsequent investigation reveals different or conflicting facts. Nothing in this section shall bind the Committee or be construed to constitute an admission or any fact or waiver of any right by the Committee.

In addition to the Hospital Real Property, the Debtor also owned several parcels of real property located in Eden, North Carolina, that are contiguous to, or in the general vicinity of, the Hospital Real Property. The Debtor's off-campus facilities included (i) the Wright Diagnostic Center, offering ultrasound, mammography, urology and wound treatment services; (ii) Morehead West Urgent Care, a primary care facility; (iii) the Morehead Rehabilitation Center, a physical therapy and occupational therapy facility; and (iv) the Matthews Health Center, a family practice facility occupying the same facility as Morehead West Urgent Care.

B. The Debtor's Capital Structure and Pre-Petition Indebtedness.

1. The Debtor's Prepetition Capital Structure

- 2005 Bond Transaction. On June 15, 2005, the Debtor issued FHA-insured North Carolina Medical Care Commission Mortgage Revenue Bonds, Series 2005 of \$47,675,000 (the "Series 2005 Bonds") to fund the costs of certain capital improvements of the Hospital's healthcare facilities and to refinance certain of its old debt. The Series 2005 Bonds were issued pursuant to the Health Care Facilities Finance Act, Chapter 131A of the North Carolina General Statutes, as amended, and a Trust Indenture, dated as of June 15, 2005, between the North Carolina Medical Commission (the "Commission") and Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. (as successor to Wachovia Bank, N.A.), as Trustee (the "Bond Trustee"). The proceeds of the Series 2005 Bonds were loaned by the Commission to the Debtor pursuant to a Loan Agreement, dated as of June 1, 2005, between the Commission and the Debtor. The obligations of the Debtor were evidenced by a Deed of Trust Note, dated as of June 15, 2005 (the "Series 2005 Note") from the Debtor to the Bond Trustee for the Series 2005 Bonds. The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development ("HUD"), acting by and through the Federal Housing Commissioner ("FHA"), insured the advancement of funds pursuant to Section 242 of title II of the National Housing Act, as amended. The Debtor entered into an FHA Regulatory Agreement, a Building Loan Agreement with Bond Trustee, and certain other documents delivered to FHA and the Trustee, as beneficiary. In September 2008, final endorsement required by HUD was completed.
- b. 2012 Refinance with Berkadia. In late 2012, the Debtor refinanced its Series 2005 Bonds obligation with a third party commercial mortgage company, Berkadia Commercial Mortgage, LLC ("Berkadia"). The purpose of the refinance was to reduce then-existing debt service payments. On December 14, 2012, the Debtor entered into a Deed of Trust Note with Berkadia in the amount of \$40,566,294 (the "Berkadia Note"). The proceeds of the Berkadia loan were put into an escrow account which was used to service the existing Series 2005 Bonds until they were eligible to be redeemed in May 2015. Under the terms of the Berkadia Note, the interest rate on the new mortgage is a fixed rate of 3.59% with a maturity date in April 2032. As of the Petition Date, the amount outstanding under the Berkadia Note was approximately \$34 In conjunction with its refinancing, the Debtor entered into a new Regulatory Agreement with HUD. The Debtor was required to establish a Mortgage Reserve Fund (the "MRF") with the Bond Trustee. The MRF provides funds in case of a financial emergency, to cure or prevent a default, engage a consultant, or implement a turnaround plan for the Debtor. The Debtor was required to make quarterly payments to the MRF which, when coupled with investment income, would equal certain required levels of debt service funds. As of the Petition Date, the MRF had a balance of approximately \$5.5 million.

2. The Debtor's Prepetition Other Indebtedness

In addition to the foregoing obligations to Berkadia, as at the Petition Date, the Debtor's pension plan was underfunded by tens of millions of dollars. The pension plan is guaranteed by the Pension Benefit Guaranty Company. Further, as of the Petition Date, the Debtor owed approximately \$1.3 million to First-Citizens Bank & Trust Company ("First-Citizens") because of mortgage debt secured by two properties not otherwise subject to the Berkadia mortgage. Finally, as of the Petition Date, the Debtor owed approximately \$5.7 million in unsecured debt to trade creditors.

C. Factors Precipitating the Debtor's Chapter 11 Filing

The factors described below, among others, led to the Debtor's increased inability to recapture costs associated with patient services.

1. Decrease in Patient Volume and Net Revenue

The Debtor experienced decreased or flat revenues because of the changing nature of healthcare delivery in the United States, especially in rural areas. Delivery of medical services has increasingly been provided in an ambulatory and emergency room setting. As a result, the length of patient stays has been reduced, resulting in declining inpatient volumes and revenue. Throughout the four years prior to the Petition Date, the Debtor's inpatient admissions decreased by 40%, while outpatient visits remained relatively flat.

As patient volume decreased, so did the Debtor's net revenues. Throughout the four-year period prior to the Petition Date, the Debtor's annual net revenue decreased by approximately \$15 million.

The decline in patient volume also reduced the amount of free cash flow generated by the Debtor. For the first eight months of 2017, the Debtor generated net losses of approximately \$2.5 million on total net revenues of approximately \$49 million, compared to a net loss of approximately \$3.4 million on total net revenues of just over \$50 million during the same period the previous year. These losses left the Debtor with extremely limited liquidity.

2. Low Reimbursement Rates for Medical Services

Reimbursements from Medicare and Medicaid, which account for approximately 44% of the Debtor's pre-Petition Date net patient service revenue (and approximately 75% of inpatient admissions), remained flat or declined. At the same time, managed care companies used their leverage to keep reimbursement rates low and imposed complex procedures for reimbursement of submitted claims, which resulted in outright denial of claims or delay in reimbursements. The Debtor experienced increased levels of billing and payment denials due to increasingly complex authorization and billing requirements. In addition, as a non-profit community hospital, the Debtor's mission was to provide care to all patients, regardless of their ability to pay. There is a growing number of low-income residents without health insurance and ability to pay for costly care. Although the Debtor received reimbursement from the State of North Carolina for a portion of such charity care, the Debtor's commitment to provide uncompensated care in the face

of declining volume of paying patients further exacerbated the Debtor's financial condition and contributed to its need to seek Chapter 11 relief.

3. Rising Costs and Increased Competition

Overall medical costs are rising faster than inflation. Medical equipment and technology continue to advance and grow costlier. Pharmaceutical costs have risen dramatically. While the Debtor had technology to meet the healthcare needs of its patients, it could not keep up with the resources and technology available to some of its larger hospital system competitors. The Debtor had difficulty in attracting and retaining clinical providers. Increased competition from other providers in nearby larger metropolitan areas made the challenge even more acute for the Debtor.

4. Accumulation of Unsecured Debt

The Debtor's gradual accumulation of substantial unsecured debt, combined with its inability to pay such debt on a current basis, restricted the Debtor's trade credit and created substantial cash flow issues. The Debtor began the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016 with a \$4,010,529 cash balance, which was far short of the amount that was needed to maintain normal operations and service indebtedness. One result of the Debtor's lack of liquidity was that it fell into arrears to its trade vendors, which created both financial and operational issues. Moreover, this limited liquidity, together with the Debtor's current debt service, its ongoing pension obligations, and the variables in accounts receivable collection in the healthcare industry, made the Debtor extremely vulnerable to cash swings.

III. THE CHAPTER 11 CASE

The foregoing events and conditions affecting the Debtor's cash flow, among others, resulted in the decline in the Debtor's financial condition and led to the filing of the Chapter 11 Case. On the July 10, 2017 Petition Date, the Debtor filed a voluntary petition for relief under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code.

A. Significant Events During the Bankruptcy Case

1. The Employment of Professionals

During the course of the Chapter 11 Case, the Court approved the employment of the following professionals:

- Waldrep LLP—Counsel for the Debtor, retained August 23, 2017 *nunc pro tunc* to the Petition Date;
- Grant Thornton LLP—Financial Consultant for the Debtor, retained August 29, 2017 *nunc pro tunc* to the Petition Date, and subject to a Stipulation Regarding Sharing Information with the Committee dated August 17, 2017;

- Hammond Hanlon Camp LLC—Operational and Strategic Advisor and Investment Banker for the Debtor, retained August 29, 2017 *nunc pro tunc* to the Petition Date:
- Womble Bond Dickinson (US) LLP Special Counsel for the Debtor, retained August 23, 2017 *nunc pro tunc* to the Petition Date;
- Donlin, Recano & Company, Inc.—Administrative Agent for the Debtor, retained August 28, 2017 *nunc pro tunc* to the Petition Date; and Information Agent for the Committee, retained November 6, 2017;
- Sills Cummis & Gross P.C.—Co-Counsel for the Committee, retained August 18, 2017 *nunc pro tunc* to August 1, 2017; and
- Nelson Mullin Riley & Scarborough LLP—Co-Counsel for the Committee, retained August 18, 2017 *nunc pro tunc* to August 1, 2017.

2. Appointment of Committee

On July 24, 2017, the Office of the United States Bankruptcy Administrator appointed the Committee pursuant to Sections 1102(a) and 1102(b)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code.

3. Postpetition Financing

No postpetition financing was obtained in the Chapter 11 Case.

4. Use of Cash Collateral

In the ordinary course of its business, the Debtor has required cash on hand and cash flow from its operations to fund its working capital, liquidity needs and other routine payables. In addition, the Debtor has required cash on hand to fund its Chapter 11 Case and to successfully restructure its debt. Accordingly, during the course of the Chapter 11 Case, the Debtor sought and obtained approval from the Bankruptcy Court to use "cash collateral" (as such term is defined in Section 363(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, "Cash Collateral") through seven agreed interim orders and an additional order entered on March 1, 2018 in response to an emergency motion filed by the Debtor on February 12, 2018 after further consent to use of cash collateral could not be obtained from the relevant secured creditors.

5. The Debtor's Sale Process

On November 30, 2017, at the conclusion of a court-approved sale process, the Bankruptcy Court approved the sale (the "Sale") of substantially all of the Debtor's assets to the University of North Carolina Healthcare System ("UNCHCS" or "Purchaser" and such assets being referred to herein as the "Transferred Assets") pursuant to the terms of the approved asset purchase agreement to Purchaser for a cash payment of \$11,500,000 and certain other consideration. The Sale was the culmination of long-running efforts to sell the Hospital, detailed below, and closed on January 1, 2018.

Hammond Hanlon Camp, LLC ("**H2C**") was engaged by the Debtor to act as its investment banker on February 10, 2016. On August 29, 2017, the Court entered an Order approving, on a final basis, the Debtor's postpetition employment of H2C as investment banker as well as operational and strategic advisor, *nunc pro tunc* to the Petition Date.

H2C engaged in a marketing process consisting of (i) preparing a Confidential Information Memorandum (the "CIM"); (ii) contacting more than 30 potential strategic and financial investors; (iii) circulating the CIM to prospective investors who executed non-disclosure agreements; (iv) creating and populating an electronic data room with extensive due diligence materials; and (v) communicating extensively with interested parties regarding hospital operations, strategic alternatives, and the sale of the Transferred Assets. After discussing offers with several prospective purchasers, some of which proposed to act as a stalking horse bidder, the Debtor determined that it was in the best interests of the estate to proceed without a stalking horse bidder.

In furtherance of the Sale, on August 30, 2017, the Debtor's filed a motion for (i) an order (a) establishing bid procedures related to the sale of Debtor's assets, (b) scheduling a hearing to consider the proposal sale approving the forma and manner of notice thereof, (c) establishing procedures relating to the assignment and assumption of certain executory contracts and unexpired leases, and (d) granting related relief and (ii) an order (a) approving the proposed sale, (b) authorizing the assumption and assignment of certain executory contracts and unexpired leases, and (c) granting related relief.

On September 19, 2017, the Bankruptcy Court entered an order approving bidding procedures and related matters associated with the sale process (the "Bid Procedures Order"). Pursuant to the Bid Procedures Order, parties wishing to participate in the sale process as prospective buyers were required to submit "Qualified Bids" (as defined in the Bid Procedures Order) by noon (Eastern Standard Time) on October 23, 2017 (the "Bid Deadline").

Pursuant to the Bid Procedure Order, on October 25, 2017, the Debtor filed a Notice of Qualified Bidders, which identified seven "Qualified Bidders" (as defined in the Bid Procedures Order), including Empower iHCC, Inc. ("Empower"), First-Citizens, and UNCHCS.

On October 30, 2017, the Debtor conducted a public auction to sell substantially all the assets of the Hospital. After the auction, the Debtor determined that Empower and UNCHCS were the "Successful Bidder" and "Next-Highest Bidder" (as defined in the Bid Procedures Order), respectively. Berkadia, HUD, and First Citizens objected to the Empower bid, while the Committee offered qualified support for the Empower bid but, among other concerns, questioned the financial wherewithal of Empower to consummate the Sale. The Bankruptcy Court conducted an initial hearing on the approval of the Empower bid on November 8, 2017, at which the Court determined that it could not approve the Empower bid at that time (due to, among other things, a failure to demonstrate financial wherewithal to close the transaction) and continued the hearing to November 13, 2017.

In the interim, on November 10, 2017, UNCHCS provided an amended bid consisting of the following core terms:

- A cash payment of \$11,500,000;
- The assumption of \$1,000,000 of administrative expenses;
- The assumption of \$1,000,000 of employee paid leave obligations;
- A capital expenditures commitment of \$20,000,000 over three (3) years;
- A commitment to operate the Hospital for a period of no less than five (5) years,
- An agreement to collect the account receivables for return to the Debtor for a fee of 3%;
- The assumption of cure amounts for any contracts assumed (if any) by UNCHCS; and
- A commitment to close the Sale within 60 days of Court approval.

This was an improvement on the Empower bid in several respects, including with respect to the receivables collection fee rate, the assumption of cure amounts for any assumed contract, the commitment to close the Sale within 60 days, and the backing of a well-funded state health care system.

At the November 13, 2017 hearing, the Court determined that Empower could not overcome the feasibility concerns raised by the Committee and other creditors, and approved UNCHCS's amended bid. On November 30, 2017, the Court entered an order (i) authorizing and approved the Sale of the Transferred Assets to UNCHCS free and clear of all liens, claims, encumbrances, and other interests, (ii) approving the corresponding Asset Purchase Agreement between the Debtor and UNCHCS, and (iii) granting related relief (the "Sale Order"). Among other things, the Sale Order preserved all parties' rights with respect to (a) the allocation of the purchase price to the various encumbered and unencumbered Transferred Assets and (b) any right to surcharge secured creditors' collateral under Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code.

The Sale transaction closed on January 1, 2018.

6. Potential Unencumbered Assets

The Plan Proponents have worked diligently to preserve the Estate's assets by identifying and pursuing Assets or proceeds thereof that may be unencumbered by liens of secured creditors (including Berkadia and First-Citizens) in the Chapter 11 Case. These Assets, with respect to which the Plan Proponents reserve all rights, include several parcels of real property, the Debtor's membership interest in Advanced Home Care, Inc., and the Debtor's interest in certain life insurance policies of its former employees, which may add hundreds of thousands of dollars or more to the Estate.

7. Potential Adversary Proceedings and Post-Confirmation Causes of Action

Except as otherwise provided herein or in the Plan, the Plan Proponents expressly reserve, retain and preserve all claims and causes of action, including, without limitation:

- **a.** All causes of action arising under Chapter 5 of the Bankruptcy Code and any state or federal fraudulent conveyance or voidable preference statutes;
- **b.** All Tort Claims (as defined in the Plan);
- **c.** All D&O Claims (as defined in the Plan);
- **d.** All Life Insurance Claims (as defined in the Plan);
- **e.** All legal and equitable defenses against any Claim or Cause of Action asserted against the Debtor; and
- All claims, demands and causes of action of any kind or nature whatsoever held by, through or on behalf of the Debtor and/or the Estate against any other Person, that have not otherwise been resolved or disposed of are preserved in full, whether or not such claims or causes of action are specifically identified in this Disclosure Statement.

This Disclosure Statement constitutes notice to any party in interest of the intent to pursue any and all such causes of action to judgment and collection, and that the proceeds of all such causes of action are essential to the Plan.

8. Establishment of Bar Dates

(A) Bar Date for Prepetition Claims. On July 18, 2017, the Clerk of the Bankruptcy Court issued a Notice of Chapter 11 Bankruptcy Case which fixed November 14, 2017 as the last day for the filing of proofs of claim in this case for all prepetition Claims against the Debtor arising prior to the Petition Date (July 10, 2017), except claims by Governmental Units, which must have been filed by January 6, 2018 (together with the November 14, 2017 deadline, as applicable, the "Bar Date").

Any Claim required to be filed before the Bar Date that was not timely filed is forever barred from assertion against the Debtor, the Estate, or property thereof, and the holder of such Claim is not entitled to vote on the Plan or to participate in any distribution in this case.

(B) Administrative Bar Date. On February 23, 2018, the Bankruptcy Court entered an Order (the "Administrative Bar Date Order") fixing March 19, 2018 at 4:00 p.m. Eastern Daylight Time as the deadline (the "Administrative Bar Date") by which all proofs of claim for Administrative Expense Claims must have been filed, other than with respect to (A) all fees payable to the Clerk of the Bankruptcy Court or the Bankruptcy Administrator pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1930; (B) any Administrative Expense Claim already fixed and approved by Order of the Bankruptcy Court prior to the entry of the Administrative Bar Date Order; (C) any Administrative Expense Claim that has been paid in full prior to the entry of the Administrative Bar Date Order; (D) any Administrative Expense Claim of a Governmental Unit that is subject to 11 U.S.C. § 503(b)(1)(D); (E) any Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claim; (F) Administrative Expense Claims of Committee members for expenses pursuant to Bankruptcy Code Section 503(b)(3)(F); (G) fees and expenses payable to Donlin; and (H) any Administrative Expense Claims excepted from the Administrative Bar Date Order.

The Plan provides that any Administrative Expense Claims required to be filed pursuant to the provisions of the Administrative Bar Date Order and not filed on or before the Administrative Bar Date are forever barred from assertion against the Debtor, the Estate, or property thereof, and the holder of such Administrative Expense Claim is not entitled to vote on the Plan or to participate in any distribution in this case.

Notwithstanding the fact that a Creditor may have provided goods or services to the Debtor and such Claim may be entitled to administrative expense status or listed on the Debtor's books and records, the Plan expressly provides that only Creditors who timely filed proof of an Administrative Expense Claim and such Claim becomes Allowed will be entitled to participate in any distribution as Holders of Administrative Expense Claims in this Case.

IV. PENSION PLAN ISSUES AND TERMINATION

The Debtor previously maintained the Pension Plan of Morehead Memorial Hospital (the "Pension Plan"). Effective May 1, 2013, the Pension Plan was frozen as to new participants and those who were below age 50 with less than 10 years of service. Effective December 31, 2014, benefit accruals for all remaining participants in the Pension Plan were frozen. Shortly after the commencement of the Chapter 11 Case, the Debtor and the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation (the "PBGC") began discussing various issues with respect to the Pension Plan, including the termination thereof.

On January 9, 2018, the PBGC issued to the Debtor a Notice of Determination and an accompanying letter (together, the "PBGC Correspondence") indicating, among other things, that the PBGC had determined (i) under Section 4042(a)(1) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended ("ERISA"), 29 U.S.C. § 1342(a)(1), that the Pension Plan has not met the minimum funding standard required under Section 412 of the Internal Revenue Code; (ii) under Section 4042(a)(2) of ERISA, 29 U.S.C. § 1342(a)(2), that the Pension Plan will be unable to pay benefits when due; (iii) under Section 4042(c) of ERISA, 29 U.S.C. § 1342(c), that the Pension Plan must be terminated in order to protect the interests of the Pension Plan's participants; and (iv) the PBGC intended to proceed under ERISA Section 4042, 29 U.S.C. § 1342, to have the Pension Plan terminated (the "Pension Plan Termination") and the PBGC appointed as statutory trustee thereof (the "Pension Plan Trusteeship").

Consistent with the Debtor's prior discussions with the PBGC, the PBGC Correspondence indicated that the Pension Plan Termination and Pension Plan Trusteeship could be accomplished either by an agreement between the PBGC and the Debtor or by an order of a United States District Court. The Debtor and the PBGC decided to effectuate the Pension Plan Termination and the Pension Plan Trusteeship by agreement (rather than litigation) in order to, among other things, avoid the expense and delay necessarily associated with litigation.

As a result, in January 2018, the Debtor and the PBGC entered into that certain Agreement for Appointment of Trustee and Termination of Plan (the "**PBGC Termination and Trusteeship Agreement**"). Pursuant to the PBGC Termination and Trusteeship Agreement, the Pension Plan was terminated as of September 30, 2017 and the PBGC was appointed the trustee of the Pension Plan under 29 U.S.C. § 1342(c).

To the extent that interested parties have any questions regarding the Pension Plan, such parties should call the PBGC's Customer Contact Center at 1-800-400-7242.

V. <u>SUMMARY OF THE PLAN</u>

THIS SECTION PROVIDES A SUMMARY OF THE STRUCTURE, CLASSIFICATION, TREATMENT, AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PLAN, AND IS QUALIFIED IN ITS ENTIRETY BY REFERENCE TO THE PLAN, WHICH IS ATTACHED TO THIS DISCLOSURE STATEMENT AS <u>EXHIBIT A</u>. THIS SUMMARY DOES NOT PURPORT TO BE COMPLETE, AND CREDITORS ARE URGED TO READ THE PLAN IN FULL.

The Claims against the Debtor are divided into Classes according to their seniority and other criteria. The Classes of Claims for each of the Debtor and the funds and other property to be distributed under the Plan are described more fully below.

A. Introduction

Pursuant to the Plan, the Plan Proponents propose an orderly liquidation of the Debtor's remaining Assets. The Plan provides that all funds realized from the collection and liquidation of the Debtor's Assets will be paid to Creditors on account of their Allowed Claims in accordance with the distributive priorities of the Bankruptcy Code and the Plan. The Plan will be implemented by establishing a Liquidating Trust that will be administered by the Liquidating Trustee. On the Effective Date, the Debtor's Assets, except the D&O Claims, Tort Claims, Life Insurance Claims, and rights in and proceeds of any related Insurance Policies, will be transferred to the Liquidating Trust for the benefit of Holders of Allowed Claims. Thereafter, the Liquidating Trustee will be responsible for liquidating the Assets, including the pursuit and resolution of any Causes of Action other than the D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims, and making distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims in accordance with the terms of the Plan.

On the Effective Date, the Estate's interest in any D&O Claims, Tort Claims, Life Insurance Claims, and rights in and proceeds of any related Insurance Policies will revest in the Debtor. The Debtor Representative shall be authorized to institute and to prosecute through final judgment or settle any D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims. Upon the entry of a final judgment or settlement, the relevant proceeds of the D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims shall be transferred to the Liquidating Trust for the benefit of the Holders of Allowed Claims, in accordance with the provisions of the Plan.

B. Voting Procedures and Confirmation Requirements

1. Ballots and Voting Deadlines

After approval of this Disclosure Statement, a Ballot for acceptance or rejection of the Plan will be sent to all creditors. Ballots must be timely filed, and all creditors will be given notice of the deadline to file Ballots (the "Voting Deadline"). Ballots not actually received by the Voting Deadline may not be counted, and Ballots that do not indicate either an acceptance or

rejection of the Plan will be deemed to constitute an acceptance of the Plan. If you have any questions regarding the procedure for voting, please contact:

Donlin, Recano & Company, Inc. Re: Morehead Memorial Hospital

P.O. Box 199043 Blythebourne Station Brooklyn, NY 11219 Tel: (212) 771-1128

Fax: (212) 481-1416

Correspondence sent by hand delivery or overnight mail should be sent to:

Donlin, Recano & Company, Inc. Re: Morehead Memorial Hospital 6201 15th Avenue Brooklyn, NY 11219

It is important for all Creditors that are entitled to vote on the Plan to exercise their right to vote to accept or reject the Plan. Even if you do not vote to accept the Plan, you may be bound by the Plan if it is accepted by the requisite Holders of Claims and confirmed by the Bankruptcy Court.

2. Parties in Interest Entitled to Vote

Any Holder of a Claim against the Debtor whose Claim has not been Disallowed previously by the Bankruptcy Court is entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan if such Claim belongs to an "impaired" Class (see subsection 3 below) under the Plan and either (i) has been scheduled by the Debtor and is not scheduled as disputed, contingent, or unliquidated, or (ii) such Holder has filed a proof of Claim before the Bar Date. In addition, any Claim to which an objection has been filed is not entitled to vote unless the Bankruptcy Court, upon application of the Holder of the Claim, temporarily allows the Claim in an amount that it deems proper for the purpose of accepting or rejecting the Plan. Any such application must be heard and determined by the Bankruptcy Court on or before the Voting Deadline. A vote may be disregarded if the Bankruptcy Court determines, after notice and a hearing, that the vote was not solicited or procured in good faith or in accordance with the provisions of the Bankruptcy Code.

3. Definition of Impairment

Pursuant to Section 1124 of the Bankruptcy Code, a class of claims is impaired under a plan unless, with respect to each claim of such class, the plan:

- 1. leaves unaltered the legal, equitable, and contractual rights of the holder of the claim or equity interest; or
- 2. notwithstanding any contractual provision or applicable law that entitles the holder of a claim or equity interest to demand or receive accelerated payment of such claim or equity interest after the occurrence of a default:

- (A) cures any such default that occurred before or after the commencement of the case under the Bankruptcy Code, other than a default of a kind specified in Section 365(b)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code;
- (B) reinstates the maturity of such claim or interest as it existed before such default;
- (C) compensates the holder of such claim or interest for any damages incurred as a result of any reasonable reliance on such contractual provision or such applicable law;
- (D) if such claim or such interests arises from any failure to perform a nonmonetary obligation, other than a default arising from failure to operate a nonresidential real property lease subject to Section 365(b)(1)(A) of the Bankruptcy Code, compensates the Holder of such claim or such interest (other than the debtor or an insider) for actual pecuniary loss incurred by such Holder as a result of such failure; and
- (E) does not otherwise alter the legal, equitable or contractual rights to which such claim or interest entitles the Holder of such claim or interest.

The following Classes are impaired under the Plan and entitled to vote:

- Class 5 (General Unsecured Claims)
- Class 6 (Convenience Claims)

C. Confirmation Procedure

1. Confirmation Hearing

After approval of this Disclosure Statement, the Confirmation Hearing will be set before the Honorable Benjamin A. Kahn, United States Bankruptcy Judge. The Confirmation Hearing may be adjourned from time to time by the Bankruptcy Court without further notice, except for an announcement of the adjourned date made at the Confirmation Hearing.

2. Procedure for Objections

Any objection to confirmation of the Plan must be made in writing and specify in detail the name and address of the objector, all grounds for the objection, and the amount of the Claim held by the objector. Any such objection must be filed with the Bankruptcy Court and served on counsel for the Plan Proponents and all parties who have filed a notice of appearance by the deadline set by the Bankruptcy Court.

3. Requirements for Confirmation

The Bankruptcy Court will confirm the Plan only if it meets all the requirements of Section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code. Among the requirements for confirmation are that the Plan be: (a) accepted by all impaired classes of Claims that are entitled to vote or, if rejected by

an impaired Class, that the Plan "does not discriminate unfairly" against and is "fair and equitable" with respect to such Class; (b) feasible; and (c) in the "best interests" of Creditors impaired under the Plan that have not voted to accept the Plan. The Bankruptcy Court also must find that:

- the Plan has classified Claims in a permissible manner;
- the Plan complies with the technical requirements of Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code; and
- the Plan has been proposed in good faith.

4. Voting and Acceptance of the Plan

As a condition to confirmation of the Plan, the Bankruptcy Code requires each Class of "impaired" Claims entitled to vote on the Plan to vote to accept the Plan. The Bankruptcy Code defines acceptance of a plan by a class of creditors as acceptance by holders of two-thirds (2/3) in dollar amount and more than one-half (1/2) number of those claims in that class actually voting. Holders of Claims who fail to vote will not be counted as either accepting or rejecting the Plan. A vote, moreover, may be disregarded if the Bankruptcy Court determines, after notice and a hearing, that it was not made or solicited in good faith.

Classes of Claims that are not "impaired" under the Plan are conclusively presumed to have accepted the Plan and, therefore, are not entitled to vote. Classes of Claims that receive no distribution under the Plan are conclusively presumed to have rejected the Plan and are not entitled to vote.

5. Best Interests Test

The "best interests" of impaired creditors test requires that each Holder of a Claim that has not voted to accept the Plan and belongs to an impaired Class receive or retain under the Plan property of a value that is not less than the value such Holder would receive or retain if the Debtor were liquidated under Chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code. To determine what members of each impaired Class of Claims would receive if the Debtor were liquidated, the Bankruptcy Court must determine the dollar amount that a liquidation of the Debtor's assets would generate in the context of a Chapter 7 liquidation. The amount available for satisfaction of Claims would consist of the proceeds resulting from the liquidation, reduced by the Claims of secured creditors to the extent of the value of their collateral, and the costs and expenses of the liquidation.

Because the Plan is a plan of orderly liquidation, each Class of Creditors will receive substantially the same treatment that it would receive if the Debtor's Assets were liquidated pursuant to Chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code, except that the Estate will neither be taxed with the additional expenses and commissions of a Chapter 7 trustee nor delayed by such a trustee's appointment and need to become familiar with this case. Attached as Exhibit B is a liquidation analysis prepared by the financial analyst for the Debtor and the Committee, Grant Thornton LLP, reflecting a greater distribution to Creditors pursuant to the Plan than Creditors would

receive in a hypothetical Chapter 7 liquidation. Accordingly, the Plan Proponents believe the Plan satisfies the "best interests" of impaired creditors test.

6. The Feasibility Test

The "feasibility" test requires the Bankruptcy Court to find that confirmation of the Plan is not likely to be followed by the liquidation or the need for further reorganization of the Debtor. Substantially all the Debtor's Assets have been sold, and the Plan provides for the orderly liquidation of the Debtor's Assets. Thus, confirmation of the Plan will not be followed by a liquidation (other than the orderly liquidation provided for in the Plan) or further reorganization.

7. The Fair and Equitable Test

If any impaired Class of Claims does not accept the Plan, the Bankruptcy Court may still confirm the Plan despite such non-acceptance under the "cram down" provisions set forth in Section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code. To obtain a confirmation under those circumstances, the Plan Proponents must show, among other things, that the Plan "does not discriminate unfairly" against and is "fair and equitable" with respect to each impaired Class of Claims that has rejected the plan.

Under Section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, a plan is "fair and equitable" to a class of claims or equity interests if, among other things, the plan provides: (i) with respect to secured claims, that each holder of a claim included in the rejecting class will receive or retain on account of its claim property that has a value, as of the effective date of the plan, equal to the allowed amount of such claim; and (ii) with respect to unsecured claims and equity interest, that the holder of any claim or equity interest that is junior to the claims or equity interest of such class will not receive or retain on account of such junior claim or equity interest any property at all unless the senior class is paid in full. A plan does not discriminate unfairly if the legal rights of a dissenting class are treated in a manner consistent with the treatment of other classes whose legal rights are similar to those of the dissenting class and if no class receives more than it is entitled to receive on account of its claim or interest.

THE PLAN PROPONENTS WILL SEEK CONFIRMATION OF THE PLAN UNDER THE "CRAM DOWN" PROVISIONS OF SECTION 1129(b) IF LESS THAN THE REQUISITE AMOUNT OR NUMBER OF CLAIMS OR INTERESTS IN ANY ONE OR MORE CLASSES VOTE TO ACCEPT THE PLAN.

8. Other Requirements of Section 1129

The Plan Proponents believe that the Plan meets all the other technical requirements of Section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code, including that the Plan has been proposed in good faith.

D. Classification of Claims and Interests and Their Treatment Under the Plan

1. Classification of Claims

Section 1122 of the Bankruptcy Code requires the Plan to place a Claim in a particular Class only if such Claim is substantially similar to the other Claims in that Class. The Plan

Proponents believe the Plan's classifications place substantially similar Claims in the same Class and thus meet the requirements of Section 1122 of the Bankruptcy Code.

The Plan classifies Claims into six (6) Classes: Class 1 consisting of all Priority Non-Tax Claims; Class 2 consisting of the Berkadia Secured Claim; Class 3 consisting of the First-Citizens Secured Claim; Class 4 consisting of all Secured Claims of Other Lienholders; Class 5 consisting of all General Unsecured Claims; and Class 6 consisting of all Convenience Claims. For each Class, the Plan states whether the Claims are Impaired (Classes 1-4 are not Impaired; Classes 5-6 are Impaired) and how the Holders of the Claims will be treated under the Plan. The Classes and proposed treatment of Allowed Claims of each Class under the Plan are summarized and described below. After Confirmation, and upon the occurrence of the Effective Date, the Plan binds the Debtor and all Creditors, whether or not those Creditors have accepted the Plan.

2. Unclassified Claims

Pursuant to Section 1123(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code, Claims of a kind specified in Sections 507(a)(2) or (8) of the Bankruptcy Code are not to be designated in a class. Thus, Administrative Expense Claims and Priority Tax Claims against the Debtor, as well as statutory fees under 28 U.S.C. § 1930, are treated separately under the Plan as unclassified Claims.

a. Administrative Expense Claims

Administrative expenses are Claims for fees, costs or expenses of administering the Debtor's Chapter 11 Case that are allowed under Section 503(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, including all professional compensation requests pursuant to Sections 330 and 331 of the Bankruptcy Code. As of the Administrative Bar Date, the filed Administrative Expense Claims are estimated to be approximately \$2,500,000, exclusive of Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims, which amount is based upon proofs of claim that have been filed with the Bankruptcy Court.³

i. General. The Plan provides that, subject to the allowance procedures and the deadlines provided in the Plan, except to the extent any entity entitled to payment of an Allowed Administrative Expense Claim has received payment on account of such Claim prior to the Effective Date or agrees to a different treatment, each Holder of an Allowed Administrative Expense Claim shall receive, in full and final satisfaction of its Allowed Administrative Expense Claim, Cash in an amount equal to the amount of such Allowed Administrative Expense Claim, on or before the date that is thirty (30) Business Days after the later of (i) the Effective Date and (ii) entry of a Final Order determining and allowing such Allowed Administrative Expense Claim, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

ii. Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims. The Plan provides that all Professionals seeking payment of Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims shall file their respective final Fee Applications no later than sixty (60)

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³ The estimated claim totals in this section V(D) are provided by the Debtor based on its professionals' initial review of the filed proofs of claim in the Chapter 11 Case, except that the estimated amounts for the Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims were provided by the relevant professionals. Neither the Committee nor its professionals has had the opportunity to verify the estimates as of the filing of this Disclosure Statement.

days after the Effective Date. All Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims shall be treated as Administrative Expense Claims as set forth in section IV(A)(1)(a) of the Plan, or shall be paid on such other terms as may be mutually agreed upon between the Holder of an Allowed Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claim and the Debtor, or the Liquidating Trustee, as the case may be. Failure to timely file a final Fee Application shall result in the Professional Fee Compensation and Reimbursement Claim being forever barred and discharged.

- **iii. Priority Tax Claims.** The Plan provides that, in full and final satisfaction of each Allowed Priority Tax Claim, if any, except to the extent any entity entitled to payment of any Allowed Priority Tax Claim has received payment on account of such Claim prior to the Effective Date or agrees to a different treatment, each Holder of an Allowed Priority Tax Claim shall receive Cash in an amount equal to the amount of such Allowed Priority Tax Claim on or before the date that is thirty (30) Business Days after the later of (i) the Effective Date and (ii) entry of a Final Order determining and allowing such Allowed Priority Tax Claim, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.
- **iv. Statutory Fees.** The Plan provides that, on or before the date that is thirty (30) days after the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall make all payments required to be paid to the Bankruptcy Administrator pursuant to Section 1930 of Title 28 of the United States Code. All fees payable pursuant to Section 1930 of Title 28 of the United States Code after the Effective Date shall be paid by the Liquidating Trustee on a quarterly basis until the Chapter 11 Case is closed, converted, or dismissed.

3. Classified Claims

The following describes the Plan's classification of those Claims against the Debtor required to be classified under the Bankruptcy Code:

- a. Class 1 consists of Priority Non-Tax Claims of the Debtor. In full and final satisfaction of each Allowed Priority Tax Claim, if any, except to the extent any entity entitled to payment of any Allowed Priority Tax Claim has received payment on account of such Claim prior to the Effective Date or agrees to a different treatment, each Holder of an Allowed Priority Tax Claim shall receive Cash in an amount equal to the amount of such Allowed Priority Tax Claim on or before the date that is thirty (30) Business Days after the later of (i) the Effective Date and (ii) entry of a Final Order determining and allowing such Allowed Priority Tax Claim, or as soon thereafter as is practicable. The Priority Non-Tax Claims are not Impaired. Holders of Class 1 Priority Non-Tax Claims, therefore, are conclusively presumed to have accepted the Plan and are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.
- **b.** Class 2 consists of the Berkadia Secured Claim. To the extent the Berkadia Secured Claim is Allowed, Berkadia will receive, in full and final satisfaction of such Claim, on or before the date that is thirty (30) Business Days after the later of (i) the Effective Date and (ii) entry of both (a) a Final Order allowing the Berkadia Secured Claim and (b) a Final Order determining any applicable surcharge under Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code, or as soon thereafter as is practicable, Cash in an amount equal to the amount of the Allowed Berkadia Secured Claim, less the amount of the costs of sale of Berkadia's Collateral and the amount of

any surcharge under Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code. The Berkadia Secured Claim is not Impaired. Therefore, with respect to the Berkadia Secured Claim, Berkadia is conclusively presumed to have accepted the Plan and is not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

- c. Class 3 consists of the First-Citizens Secured Claim. To the extent the First-Citizens Secured Claim is Allowed, First-Citizens will receive, in full and final satisfaction of such Claim, on or before the date that is thirty (30) Business Days after the later of (i) the Effective Date and (ii) entry of both (a) a Final Order determining and allowing the First-Citizens Secured Claim and (b) a Final Order determining any applicable surcharge under Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code, or as soon thereafter as is practicable, Cash in an amount equal to the amount of the Allowed First-Citizens Secured Claim, less the amount of the costs of sale of First-Citizens' Collateral and the amount of any surcharge under Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code. The First-Citizens Secured Claim is not Impaired. Therefore, First-Citizens is conclusively presumed to have accepted the Plan and is not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.
- **d.** Class 4 consists of the Secured Claims of Other Lienholders. Each Holder of an Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder shall, in the sole discretion of the Plan Proponents, be treated in one of the following ways:
- i. on the Effective Date, the legal, equitable, and contractual rights of the Holder of an Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder shall be reinstated in accordance with the provisions of Section 1124(2) of the Bankruptcy Code notwithstanding any contractual provision or applicable non-bankruptcy law that entitles the Holder of an Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder to demand or receive payment of such Allowed Secured Claim before the stated maturity of such Allowed Secured Claim from and after the occurrence of a default; provided, however, that any contractual right that does not pertain to the payment when due of principal and interest on the obligation on which such Claim is based, including, but not limited to, financial covenant ratios, negative pledge covenants, covenants or restrictions on merger or consolidation, covenants regarding corporate existence, or covenants prohibiting certain transactions or actions contemplated by the Plan or conditioning such transactions or actions on certain factors, shall not be enforceable as to any breach that occurred on or prior to the Effective Date or any breach determined by reference back to a date preceding the Effective Date;
- ii. on the Effective Date, the Holder of an Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder shall (i) retain a Lien securing such Allowed Secured Claim and (ii) receive deferred Cash payments from the Liquidating Trust totaling at least the value of such Allowed Secured Claim as of the Effective Date in full and final satisfaction of such Allowed Secured Claim;
- **iii.** on the Effective Date, the collateral securing such Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder shall be surrendered to the Holder of such Allowed Secured Claim in full satisfaction of such Allowed Secured Claim; or
- **iv.** the Holder of an Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder shall be paid, in Cash, an amount equal to such Holder's Allowed Secured Claim, on or before

the date that is thirty (30) Business Days after the later of (i) the Effective Date and (ii) entry of a Final Order determining and allowing such Claim as a Secured Claim, or as soon thereafter as is practicable, in full and final satisfaction of such Allowed Secured Claim. To the extent the collateral securing an Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder has been or is to be sold pursuant to an Order of the Bankruptcy Court, any amount to be paid to the Holder of such Allowed Secured Claim pursuant to the preceding sentence shall be net of the costs of sale of such collateral and otherwise subject to the rights of the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee pursuant to Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code.

Treatment of a Claim under Class 4 shall not affect any General Unsecured Claim for any Allowed Deficiency Claim of the applicable Holder.

Class 4 is not Impaired. Therefore, Holders of Class 4 Secured Claims are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan. Each Holder of a Class 4 Secured Claim is conclusively presumed to have accepted the Plan pursuant to Section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code.

- **e.** Class 5 consists of all General Unsecured Claims. Each Holder of an Allowed General Unsecured Claim will receive, in full and final satisfaction of such Claim, on one or more GUC Distribution Dates, a Pro Rata share of the net proceeds of the GUC Liquidating Trust Assets. Class 5 is Impaired. Therefore, Holders of Class 5 Claims are entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.
- Class 6 consists of all Convenience Claims. Each Holder of an Allowed Convenience Claim will receive, in full and final satisfaction of such Claim, on or before the date that is thirty (30) business Days after the Effective Date, or as soon thereafter as practicable, Cash in an amount equal to the lesser of (i) five hundred dollars (\$500.00) and (ii) the Allowed amount of such Holder's Convenience Claim; provided, however, that the total distribution to Holders of Allowed Convenience Claims under this Plan shall not exceed fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) (the "Convenience Class Cap"), and if the foregoing treatment would result in distributions to Holders of Allowed Convenience Claims that exceed the Convenience Class Cap in the aggregate, each Holder of an Allowed Convenience Claim will instead receive a Pro Rata share of \$50,000.00, with the amount of each such Holder's Convenience Claim fixed at the lesser of (i) five hundred dollars (\$500.00) and (ii) the Allowed amount of such Holder's Convenience Claim for the purpose of determining its Pro Rata share.

4. General Claim Treatment Provisions

- **a. Objections.** The failure of any party to object to any Claim in the Chapter 11 Case, including Secured Claims (including the First-Citizens Secured Claim, the Berkadia Secured Claim, and Secured Claims of Other Lienholders), shall be without prejudice to the rights of the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee to contest, object to, or otherwise defend against such Claim if and when such Claim is sought to be enforced by the Holder of such Claim. Procedures for objections to Claims are set forth in section VII(M) of the Plan.
- **b.** Attachment of liens. Pursuant to the Sale Order, no Lien with respect to any Secured Claim shall attach to any property sold free and clear pursuant to the APA.

c. Survival and release of Liens. Notwithstanding Section 1141(c) or any other provision of the Bankruptcy Code, all pre-petition Liens on property of the Debtor held with respect to any Allowed Secured Claim shall survive the Effective Date and continue in accordance with the contractual terms or statutory provisions governing such Claim until such Allowed Secured Claim is satisfied, at which time such Lien shall be released, shall be deemed null and void, and shall be unenforceable for all purposes; provided, however, that the Debtor or Liquidating Trustee, as the case may be, may condition delivery of any final payment upon receipt of an executed release of the Lien.

Any and all Liens securing any Secured Claim that is not an Allowed Claim shall be released, shall be deemed null and void, and shall be unenforceable for all purposes. Nothing in the Plan shall preclude the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee from challenging the validity of any alleged Lien on any asset of the Debtor or the value of the property that secures any alleged Lien, and all such rights are expressly preserved.

d. Surcharge under Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code. All rights of Holders of Secured Claims under the Plan are subject to the rights of the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee to surcharge the applicable Collateral pursuant to Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code, which rights are expressly preserved.

This Disclosure Statement constitutes notice to any party in interest of the intent to pursue the surcharge of any and all collateral of Berkadia, First-Citizens, and any Other Lienholders pursuant to Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code (including as set forth in the Sale Order and any other Orders of the Bankruptcy Court), and that such surcharges and the proceeds thereof are essential to the Plan.

E. Estimated Range of Potential Recoveries for Impaired Classes of Claims

A schedule of the estimated potential range of recovery to holders of Allowed Claims in the Classes of Impaired Claims is attached hereto as Exhibit C. The range of recoveries set forth in Exhibit C is not a guarantee of actual results, but is an estimate based on the currently available information and assumptions that are subject to material change. The actual distributions to holders of Allowed Claims in the Classes of Impaired Claims will necessarily be affected by a variety of contingencies that cannot be determined with certainty at this time, including, without limitation, the ultimate amount of funds that will be available for distribution with respect to the Allowed Claims after payment in full of unclassified Claims, Claims senior in priority to each such Class, and the expenses of effectuating the Plan and administering the Liquidating Trust; the aggregate amount of Allowed Claims in each such Class; the results of the claim objection and reconciliation process; and the results of prosecution of the Chapter 5 Actions and other Causes of Action, which may have a material effect on funding a distribution to holders of Allowed Claims in Classes of Impaired Claims.

Based on an initial review of the Claims filed in the Case, it is estimated that the total Allowed General Unsecured Claims will be approximately \$63,400,000. The Plan Proponents further project that at least approximately \$3,000,000 will be available to satisfy the Allowed Claims in Class 5 (General Unsecured Claims). The actual amount distributed to Holders of

Class 5 General Unsecured Claims (and the timing any such distributions) will vary based on the Assets recovered and the reconciled amount of General Unsecured Claims that are Allowed.

F. Means for Execution of the Plan

1. Overview

The Plan provides for the disposition of substantially all the Assets and the distribution of the net proceeds thereof to Holders of Allowed Claims, consistent with the priority provisions of the Bankruptcy Code. The Plan also creates a mechanism for the Liquidating Trustee and Debtor Representative to pursue Claims and Causes of Action, including the D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims, to enable recoveries to Creditors.

2. Establishment of Liquidating Trust; Appointment of Liquidating Trustee and Debtor Representative; Revesting of D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims in Estate

Prior to the Effective Date, the Debtor shall execute the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The Liquidating Trust Agreement is hereby incorporated into the Plan in its entirety as if set forth in full. The Liquidating Trust Agreement shall contain provisions customary to trust agreements utilized in comparable circumstances, including, but not limited to, any and all provisions necessary to ensure the continued treatment of the Liquidating Trust as a grantor trust.

On the Effective Date, and in accordance with the Confirmation Order, the Estate's title to all the Assets (other than the D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims, which shall revest in the Debtor and may be pursued by the Debtor Representative) shall automatically pass to the Liquidating Trust, free and clear of all Claims and equity interests in accordance with Section 1141 of the Bankruptcy Code. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Plan Proponents reserve the right to modify the Plan to exclude certain Assets from transfer to the Liquidating Trust. The Confirmation Order shall constitute a determination that the transfers of the Assets to the Liquidating Trust are legal and valid and consistent with the laws of the State of North Carolina.

All parties shall execute any documents or other instruments as necessary to cause title to the applicable Assets to be transferred to the Liquidating Trust. The Assets will be held in trust for the benefit of all Holders of Allowed Claims pursuant to the terms of the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

The Liquidating Trustee will be appointed as of the date of execution of the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The Liquidating Trustee will pay or otherwise make distributions on account of all Allowed Claims against the Debtor in accordance with the terms of the Plan.

On the Effective Date, the Debtor Representative shall be deemed appointed pursuant to Section 1123(b)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code and vested with all power and authority granted to the Debtor Representative under the Plan.

On the Effective Date, the Estate's interest in any D&O Claims, Tort Claims, Life Insurance Claims, Tort Claims, and rights in and proceeds of any Insurance Policies necessary

for the prosecution of all such Claims will revest in the Debtor. The Debtor Representative shall be authorized to institute and to prosecute through final judgment or settle the D&O Claims, Tort Claims, Life Insurance Claims, and Tort Claims in his discretion. Upon the entry of a final judgment or settlement, the relevant proceeds of the D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims shall be transferred to the Liquidating Trust for the benefit of the Holders of Allowed Claims, in accordance with the provisions of the Plan.

The Plan shall be interpreted so as to afford, for the benefit of all Holders of Allowed Claims, the greatest opportunity for maximum recovery by the Liquidating Trustee and the Debtor Representative on the Assets, D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims, and rights in and proceeds of any Insurance Policies. The Proceeds of all Causes of Action are material to the implementation of the Plan and the recoveries to Creditors.

3. Income Tax Status

For federal income tax purposes, all parties (including, without limitation, the Debtor, the Liquidating Trustee, and the Beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust Estate) shall treat the Liquidating Trust as a liquidating trust within the meaning of Treasury Income Tax Regulation section 301.7701-4(d) and IRS Revenue Procedure 94-45, 1994-2 C.B. 124. For federal income tax purposes, the transfer of Assets to the Liquidating Trust under the Plan shall be treated as a deemed transfer to the Beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust Estate in satisfaction of their Claims followed by a deemed transfer of the Assets by the Beneficiaries to the Liquidating Trust. For federal income tax purposes, the Beneficiaries will be deemed to be the grantors and owners of the Liquidating Trust and its assets. For federal income tax purposes, the Liquidating Trust will be taxed as a grantor trust within the meaning of IRC sections 671-677 (a non-taxable passthrough tax entity) owned by the Beneficiaries. The Liquidating Trust will file federal income tax returns as a grantor trust under IRC section 671 and Treasury Income Tax Regulation section 1.671-4 and report, but not pay tax on, the Liquidating Trust's tax items of income, gain, loss deductions, and credits ("Tax Items"). The Beneficiaries will report such Tax Items on their federal income tax returns and pay any resulting federal income tax liability. All parties will use consistent valuations of the assets transferred to the Liquidating Trust for all federal income tax purposes. The assets shall be valued based on the Liquidating Trustee's good faith determination of their fair market value.

4. Powers and Authority of the Liquidating Trustee

The powers of the Liquidating Trustee are set forth in full in the Liquidating Trust Agreement and shall include, among other things: (a) the power to sell, lease, license, abandon, or otherwise dispose of all remaining assets of the Liquidating Trust Estate subject to the terms of the Plan; (b) the power to effect distributions under the Plan to the Holders of Allowed Claims; (c) the authority to pay all costs and expenses of administering the Liquidating Trust Estate after the Effective Date (including the Post-Effective Date Expenses), including the power to employ and compensate Persons to assist the Liquidating Trustee in carrying out the duties hereunder, and to obtain and pay premiums for insurance and any other powers necessary or incidental thereto; (d) the power to implement the Plan including any other powers necessary or incidental thereto; (e) the authority to settle Claims, applicable Causes of Action, including

Chapter 5 Actions, or disputes as to amounts owing to the Estate; (f) the authority to participate in any post-Effective Date motions to amend or modify the Plan or the Liquidating Trust Agreement, or appeals from the Confirmation Order; (g) the authority to participate in actions to enforce or interpret the Plan; and (h) the power to bind the Liquidating Trust. Each of the foregoing powers may be exercised by the Liquidating Trustee without further order of the Bankruptcy Court. Notwithstanding any of the foregoing, the Liquidating Trustee may not materially amend or alter the terms and provisions of the Plan.

5. Funding of the Liquidating Trust

The funding of the Liquidating Trust for the payments to be made to Holders of Allowed Claims under the Plan and the payment of Post-Effective Date Expenses will be from (i) the Liquidating Trust Expense Reserve, (ii) the Debtor's Cash on hand as of the Effective Date, which will be transferred to the Liquidating Trust as of the Effective Date and proceeds from the investment of such Cash, and (iii) the proceeds of the liquidation of the Assets, including, without limitation, any Claims or Causes of Action.

6. Liquidating Trust's Post-Effective Date Expenses

All expenses related to implementation of the Plan incurred from and after the Effective Date through the date on which the Liquidating Trust is dissolved will be expenses of the Liquidating Trust, and the Liquidating Trustee will disburse funds from the Liquidating Trust Expense Reserve, as appropriate, for purposes of paying the Post-Effective Date Expenses of the Liquidating Trust without the need for any further Order of the Court. The Post-Effective Date Expenses shall include, but are not limited to, the fees and expenses of the Liquidating Trustee, the fees and expenses of the Debtor Representative, the fees and expenses of the professionals employed by the Liquidating Trustee and/or the Debtor Representative, and other costs, expenses and obligations of the Liquidating Trust until the date the Liquidating Trust is terminated in accordance with section VII(L) of the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

Prior to making a distribution to any Holders of Allowed Claims under the Plan, the Liquidating Trustee may place in reserve and/or in a separate account any funds that may be needed to pay Claims that are subject to dispute and Claims that have otherwise not been Allowed in the event that all or a portion of such Claims become Allowed Claims (the "Distribution Reserve"). When a Claim is Allowed or Disallowed (and thus becomes an Allowed Claim or a Disallowed Claim, in whole or in part), the funds set aside on account of such Claim shall be released from the Distribution Reserve and shall be available for distribution in accordance with the terms of the Plan to either (i) the Holder of the Claim that has become an Allowed Claim, or (ii) if Disallowed, the Holders of Allowed Claims. Consistent with the terms of the Plan, the Liquidating Trustee, in its sole discretion, on and after the Effective Date, shall have authority to increase or decrease the Distribution Reserve, as reasonably necessary and appropriate, and upon satisfaction of all Allowed Claims required to be paid from the Distribution Reserve, to transfer amounts held therein for distribution pursuant to the Plan.

7. Use of Existing Accounts

The Liquidating Trustee may use the Debtor's existing bank accounts (as of the Effective Date) for the purposes set forth in the Plan, to the extent possible and desired. The Liquidating Trustee also may close the Debtor's existing bank accounts, at its discretion, and transfer all amounts therein to one or more accounts, in accordance with the terms of the Plan. Alternatively, notwithstanding any provisions to the contrary in the Plan, the Liquidating Trustee may invest some or all of the funds that would otherwise be deposited into the accounts established pursuant to the Plan in allowed investments under applicable non-bankruptcy law.

8. Employment and Compensation

The Liquidating Trustee shall serve without bond and shall receive compensation for serving as Liquidating Trustee as set forth in the Liquidating Trust Agreement. At any time after the Effective Date and without further Order of the Bankruptcy Court, the Liquidating Trustee may employ Persons or Entities, including Professionals (which may, but need not, include Professionals previously or currently employed in the Chapter 11 Case) reasonably necessary to assist the Liquidating Trustee in the performance of his duties under the Liquidating Trust Agreement and the Plan. Such Persons or Entities shall be compensated and reimbursed by the Liquidating Trustee for their reasonable and necessary fees and out of pocket expenses on a monthly basis in arrears.

9. Vesting of Authority in Debtor Representative

Upon the Effective Date, the Debtor's board of directors shall be dissolved and the thencurrent members of the board of directors and officers of the Debtor shall be relieved of their positions and corresponding duties and obligations; provided, however, that the Debtor Representative shall be responsible for effectuating transfers of Assets in accordance with the Plan and otherwise satisfying the Debtor's obligations under the terms of the Plan. On and after the Effective Date, the Debtor Representative shall have full and complete authority to act on behalf of and bind the Debtor without further action or approval of the Bankruptcy Court or the board of directors of the Debtor. After the D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims are liquidated and the proceeds of such Causes of Action are transferred to the Liquidating Trust Estate in accordance with the Plan, the Debtor Representative shall be empowered, but not directed, to effectuate the dissolution of the Debtor in accordance with the laws of the State of North Carolina.

10. Termination of the Committee; Creation of Plan Oversight Committee

On the Effective Date, the Committee shall be dissolved, the retention and employment of the Committee's Professionals shall terminate, and the members of the Committee will be released and discharged of and from all further authority, duties, responsibilities, and obligations related to and arising from and in connection with the Chapter 11 Case, other than for purposes of filing and/or objecting to final Fee Applications filed in the Chapter 11 Case.

On the Effective Date, the Committee shall be replaced by the POC that shall consist of not less than three (3) Persons or Entities that are Beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust. The identities of the Persons and/or Entities that will serve on the POC as of the Effective Date will

be filed by the Committee with the Court no later than five (5) days before the Confirmation Hearing. The POC may also include such other Persons or Entities (including ex officio members) as may be requested by the POC, which Persons or Entities shall have agreed to participate in the performance of the POC's functions as set forth in the Plan. The POC's sole function and responsibility shall be to advise the Liquidating Trustee in the performance of the Liquidating Trustee's duties and obligations under the Plan with respect to the liquidation of Assets for the benefit of the Holders of Allowed Claims. The members of the POC shall serve without compensation but may be reimbursed for reasonable expenses incurred in the performance of their duties as members of the POC.

11. Liquidating Trustee as Successor in Interest to the Debtor and Committee

Except as to the D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims, the Liquidating Trustee is the successor in interest to the Plan Proponents, and thus, after the Effective Date, to the extent the Plan requires an action by the Debtor (and except as it relates to the D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims or is otherwise delegated to the Debtor Representative), the action shall be taken by the Liquidating Trustee on behalf of the Debtor and the Creditors' Committee, as applicable. The Liquidating Trustee may not materially amend or alter the terms and provisions of the Plan.

For federal and applicable state income tax purposes, all parties (including, without limitation, the Debtor, the Liquidating Trustee, and the Beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust Estate) shall treat the transfer of Assets to the Liquidating Trust in accordance with the terms of the Plan, as a sale by the Debtor of such Assets to the Liquidating Trust Estate at a selling price equal to the fair market value of such Assets on the Effective Date. The Liquidating Trust shall be treated as the owner of all Assets that it holds.

12. Termination of the Liquidating Trust Estate

The existence of the Liquidating Trust and the authority of the Liquidating Trustee will commence as of the Effective Date and will remain and continue in full force and effect until the earlier of (a) the date on which all of the Assets are liquidated in accordance with the Plan, the funds in the Liquidating Trust have been completely distributed in accordance with the Plan, all tax returns and any other filings or reports have been filed with the appropriate state or federal regulatory authorities and the Order closing the Chapter 11 Case is a Final Order or (b) five (5) years after the date of creation of the Liquidating Trust, unless extended by the Bankruptcy Court as provided in the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

At such time as the Liquidating Trust has been fully administered (*i.e.*, when all things requiring action by the Liquidating Trustee have been done, and the Plan has been substantially consummated) and in all events within sixty (60) days after the Final Distribution Date, the Liquidating Trustee will file an application for approval of his final report and the entry of the final decree by the Bankruptcy Court.

13. Objections to Claims

a. Objection Procedures

From and after the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall have the exclusive right and standing to (i) object to and contest the allowance of all Claims, (ii) compromise and settle any Disputed Claim or Claim that has not otherwise been Allowed without Bankruptcy Court approval, subject to the notice procedure set forth in section VII(M)(2) of the Plan; and (iii) litigate to final resolution objections to Claims.

No distribution shall be made pursuant to the Plan to a Holder of Claim, Disputed or otherwise, unless and until such Claim is or becomes an Allowed Claim.

All objections to Claims shall be filed with the Bankruptcy Court, and served upon the Holders of such Claims, on or before the one hundred eightieth (180th) day after the Effective Date. The time period for filing objections to Claims shall automatically renew for successive periods of one hundred eighty (180) days each until the earlier of (i) the date upon which all Claims have been Allowed or Disallowed or (ii) the date fixed by the Court upon motion of the Liquidating Trustee or a holder of a Claim.

b. Resolution of Disputed Claims and Claims that Have Not Otherwise Been Allowed

If the Holder of a Disputed Claim or Claim that has not otherwise been Allowed and the Liquidating Trustee agree to a settlement of such Claim for an amount that does not exceed \$[10,000], the Liquidating Trustee shall be authorized to enter into and effectuate such settlement without any further notice or approval of the Bankruptcy Court, and the settled Claim shall be deemed an Allowed Claim. If the Holder of such a Claim and the Liquidating Trustee agree to a settlement of such Claim and the settlement amount exceeds \$[10,000], the Liquidating Trustee shall provide notice of the proposed settlement (with a fourteen-day (14) period to object) to the Persons or Entities on the Post-Effective Date Notice List. If no objection is received within the fourteen-day (14) period, the settled Claim shall be deemed to be an Allowed Claim, without the need for further review by or approval of the Bankruptcy Court or any other party. If an objection to a proposed settlement is received within the 14-day period and such objection cannot otherwise be resolved, then the Liquidating Trustee shall schedule a hearing in the Bankruptcy Court to resolve the objection.

Until such time as an unliquidated Claim, contingent Claim, or a contingent portion of an Claim becomes Allowed or is Disallowed, such Claim will be treated as a Disputed Claim for all purposes related to distributions. The Holder of an unliquidated or contingent Claim will be entitled to a distribution under the Plan only when and if such unliquidated or contingent Claim becomes an Allowed Claim.

G. Provisions Governing Distributions

1. **Delivery of distributions.** Distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims shall be made at the address of the Holder of such Claim as indicated on the records of the Debtor, or a filed proof of Claim, as applicable.

- 2. Undeliverable distributions. If any Allowed Claim Holder's distribution is returned as undeliverable, no further distributions shall be made to such Holder unless and until the Liquidating Trustee is notified in writing of such Holder's then-current address. Undeliverable distributions shall remain in the possession of the Liquidating Trustee until such time as a distribution becomes deliverable. Undeliverable Cash shall not be entitled to any interest, dividends or other accruals of any kind. Within twenty-one (21) days after the end of each calendar quarter following the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall make all distributions that become deliverable during the preceding calendar quarter, except as otherwise provided in the Plan. Any check that is not cashed or otherwise deposited within three months after the check's date shall be deemed an undeliverable distribution under the Plan.
- 3. Failure to claim undeliverable distributions. In an effort to ensure that all Holders of Allowed Claims receive their allocated distributions, the Liquidating Trustee will file with the Bankruptcy Court a listing of unclaimed distribution Holders. This list will be maintained and updated as needed for as long as the Chapter 11 Case stays open. Any Holder of an Allowed Claim that does not assert a Claim pursuant to the Plan for an undeliverable distribution within three (3) months after the first attempted delivery shall have its Claim for such undeliverable distribution discharged and shall be forever barred from asserting any such Claim against the Debtor, the Liquidating Trust Estate, or the Liquidating Trustee, or their respective property. In such cases, any Cash held for distribution on account of such Claims shall be property of the Liquidating Trust Estate, free of any restrictions thereon, and shall revert to the account from which such payment was originally issued to be distributed pursuant to the Plan. Nothing contained in the Plan shall require the Liquidating Trustee to attempt to locate any Holder of an Allowed Claim.
- **4. Compliance with tax requirements.** In connection with the Plan, the Liquidating Trustee shall comply with all tax withholding and reporting requirements imposed on it by any Governmental Unit, and all distributions pursuant to the Plan shall be subject to such withholding and reporting requirements. For tax purposes, distributions received in respect of Allowed Claims will be allocated first to the principal amount of Allowed Claims with any excess allocated, if applicable, to unpaid interest that accrued on such Claims.

Notwithstanding any other provision of the Plan, (a) each Holder of an Allowed Claim that is to receive a distribution pursuant to the Plan shall have sole and exclusive responsibility for the satisfaction and payment of any tax obligations imposed by any Governmental Unit, including income, withholding, and other tax obligations, on account of such distribution, and (b) no distribution shall be made to or on behalf of such Holder pursuant to the Plan unless and until such Holder has made arrangements satisfactory to the Liquidating Trustee for the payment and satisfaction of such withholding tax obligations or such tax obligation that would be imposed upon any disbursing agent in connection with such distribution. Any property to be distributed pursuant to the Plan shall, pending the implementation of such arrangements, be treated as an undeliverable distribution under the Plan.

5. Minimum distributions. If the amount of Cash to be distributed to the Holder of an Allowed Claim is less than \$50 on a particular Distribution Date, the Trustee may hold the Cash distributions to be made to such Holder until the aggregate amount of Cash to be

distributed to such Holder is in an amount equal to or greater than \$50. Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, if the aggregate amount of Cash distribution owed to any Holder of an Allowed Claim never equals or exceeds \$50, then the Liquidating Trustee shall not be required to distribute Cash to any such Holder.

Section VIII(E) of the Plan, governing minimum distributions, shall not apply to Holders of Allowed Convenience Claims, who shall be entitled to receive distributions in the amounts determined by section IV(B)(6) of the Plan irrespective of the amounts of such distributions.

- **6. Rounding.** Whenever any payment of a fraction of a cent would otherwise be called for, the actual payment shall reflect a rounding of such fraction to the nearest whole cent, with one-half cent being rounded up to the nearest whole cent.
- 7. Setoffs and recoupments. The Liquidating Trustee may, pursuant to Section 553 of the Bankruptcy Code or applicable non-bankruptcy law, exercise the right of setoff or recoupment against any Allowed Claim and the distributions to be made pursuant to the Plan on account of such Claim (before distribution is made on account of such Claim), the claims, rights, and causes of action of any nature that the Debtor may hold against the Holder of such Allowed Claim; provided, however, that (i) neither the failure to effect such a setoff or recoupment nor the allowance of any Claim hereunder shall constitute a waiver or release by the Liquidating Trustee of any such claims, rights and causes of action that the Liquidating Trust may possess against such Holder, and (ii) no such setoff or recoupment shall be in derogation of the APA.
- 8. Settlement of claims and controversies. Pursuant to Sections 363 and 1123(b) of the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rule 9019 and in consideration for the distributions and other benefits provided pursuant to the Plan, the provisions of the Plan shall constitute a good faith compromise of all Claims and controversies relating to the contractual, legal, and subordination rights that a Holder of a Claim may have with respect to any Allowed Claim, or any distribution to be made on account of such Allowed Claim. The entry of the Confirmation Order shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's approval of the compromise or settlement of all such Claims and controversies, as well as a finding by the Bankruptcy Court that such compromise or settlement is in the best interests of the Debtor, their Estate, and Holders of Claims and is fair, equitable, and reasonable.

H. Procedures for Treatment of Disputed Claims and Claims that Have Otherwise Not Been Allowed

1. Payments and distributions on disputed Claims and Claims that have otherwise not been Allowed. Notwithstanding any provision in the Plan to the contrary, except as otherwise agreed by the Liquidating Trustee, in its sole discretion, no partial payments and no partial distributions will be made with respect to a Disputed Claim or Claim that has otherwise not been Allowed until such disputes are resolved by settlement or Final Order and the Claim has been Allowed. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any Person or Entity who holds both an Allowed Claim(s) and a separate and distinct Disputed Claim(s) or Claim that has otherwise not been Allowed will receive the appropriate payment or distribution on account of the Allowed Claim(s), although, except as otherwise agreed by the Liquidating Trustee in his sole discretion, no payment or distribution will be made on the Disputed Claim(s) or Claim(s) that have

otherwise not been Allowed until such dispute is resolved by settlement or Final Order and the Claim(s) have been Allowed. In the event there are Disputed Claim(s) or Claim(s) that have otherwise not been Allowed requiring adjudication and resolution, the Liquidating Trustee reserves the right, or upon order of the Bankruptcy Court, to establish appropriate reserves for potential payment of such Claims.

- 2. Safekeeping of distributable property. Pending entry of a Final Order determining an objection to any Disputed Claim or Allowing a Claim that has not otherwise been Allowed, the Liquidating Trustee shall take appropriate steps to safeguard the Cash, notes or other instruments that would be distributed on account of such Claim if Allowed, but the Liquidating Trustee shall not be required to establish any formal escrow or reserve for such distributable property unless it determines, or the Bankruptcy Court orders, that an escrow or reserve is necessary to ensure that such property is available if and when such Claim is Allowed.
- 3. Allowance of Claims. Except as expressly provided in the Plan or in any Order entered in the Chapter 11 Case prior to the Effective Date (including the Confirmation Order), no Claim shall be deemed Allowed, unless and until such Claim is deemed Allowed under the Plan or the Bankruptcy Code or the Bankruptcy Court enters a Final Order in the Chapter 11 Case allowing such Claim. Except as expressly provided in the Plan or in any Order entered in the Chapter 11 Case prior to the Effective Date (including the Confirmation Order), the Liquidating Trust Estate on and after the Effective Date will have and retain any and all rights and defenses the Debtor had with respect to such Claim as of the Petition Date.

I. Jurisdiction

- 1. Retention of jurisdiction. Notwithstanding the entry of the Confirmation Order and the occurrence of the Effective Date, the Bankruptcy Court shall retain exclusive jurisdiction over the Chapter 11 Case until the Chapter 11 Case is closed, including jurisdiction to issue any other Order necessary to administer the Estate or the Liquidating Trust Estate and enforce the terms of the Plan, and/or the Liquidating Trust Agreement pursuant to, and for the purposes of, Sections 105(a) and 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code and for, among other things, the following purposes:
- **a.** To determine the type, allowance, and payment of any Claims upon any objections thereto (or other appropriate proceedings) by the Liquidating Trustee or any other party-in-interest entitled to proceed in that manner;
- **b.** Except as otherwise limited in the Plan, to recover all Assets of the Debtor and property of the Debtor's Estate, wherever located;
- c. To hear and determine any issue arising under the Plan; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, any action, controversy, dispute, claim, or question arising out of or relating to the right of any party to enforce, contest, and/or litigate the existence, primacy, and/or scope of available coverage and/or any defenses to coverage under the Insurance Policies shall be referred to and resolved solely in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Insurance Policies and applicable non-bankruptcy law, including, but not limited to, any choice of law, forum, or jurisdiction provision therein;

- **d.** To hear and determine matters concerning state, local, and federal taxes in accordance with Sections 346, 505, and 1146 of the Bankruptcy Code;
 - **e.** To hear any other matter not inconsistent with the Bankruptcy Code;
 - **f.** To enter a final decree closing the Chapter 11 Case;
- **g.** To ensure that distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims are accomplished pursuant to the provisions of the Plan;
- **h.** To decide or resolve any motions, adversary proceedings, contested or litigated matters, and any other matters and grant or deny any applications involving the Debtor that may be pending on or instituted by the Liquidating Trustee after the Effective Date;
- **i.** To issue injunctions, enter and implement other Orders, or take such other actions as may be necessary or appropriate to restrain interference by any Person or Entity with the occurrence of the Effective Date or enforcement of the Plan, except as otherwise provided therein;
- **j.** To determine any other matters that may arise in connection with or relate to the Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the Confirmation Order, or any contract, instrument, release, indenture, or other agreement or document created in connection with the Plan or the Disclosure Statement:
- **k.** To enforce, interpret, and determine any disputes arising in connection with any stipulations, Orders, the Sale Order, judgments, injunctions, releases, exculpations, indemnifications, and rulings entered in connection with the Chapter 11 Case (whether or not the Chapter 11 Case has been closed);
- **l.** To adjudicate any adversary proceeding or other proceeding which may be commenced against any Person or Entity arising from, related to, or in connection with (i) any Chapter 5 Action; (ii) the D&O Claims; (iii) Tort Claims; (iv) the Life Insurance Claims; and (v) claims against third parties relating to the facts and circumstances surrounding the same; provided, however, that nothing in the Plan or the Confirmation Order shall vest the Bankruptcy Court with exclusive jurisdiction over any claims identified in subclauses (ii) through (v) of this subparagraph (l) or over any dispute relating to coverage under the D&O Policies;
- **m.** To resolve disputes concerning any reserves with respect to Disputed Claims or the administration thereof;
- **n.** To resolve any disputes concerning whether a Person or Entity had sufficient notice of the Chapter 11 Case, the applicable Bar Date, the hearing on the approval of the Disclosure Statement as containing adequate information, the hearing on the confirmation of the Plan for the purpose of determining whether a Claim is discharged hereunder, or for any other purpose.

2. Consent to jurisdiction. All creditors who have filed claims in the Chapter 11 Case shall be deemed to have consented to the jurisdiction of the Bankruptcy Court for purposes of the Causes of Action.

J. Treatment of Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases

- 1. Rejection of Executory Contracts and unexpired leases. On the Effective Date and subject to section VI(A) and VI(C) of the Plan, all Executory Contracts and unexpired leases of the Debtor will be deemed rejected, as of the Effective Date, other than Executory Contracts and unexpired leases that were previously assumed, assumed and assigned, or rejected by Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court (which contracts will be treated in accordance with such Final Order). The Confirmation Order will constitute an Order approving the foregoing.
- 2. Bar date for rejection damages. If the rejection of an Executory Contract or unexpired lease pursuant to the Plan and the Confirmation Order or a previous or subsequent order of the Court gives rise to a Claim by the other party or parties to such contract or lease, such Claim shall be forever barred and shall not be enforceable against the Debtor, the Liquidating Trust, or the Estate unless a proof of Claim is filed and served on the Debtor or the Liquidating Trust, as the case may be, and its counsel within thirty (30) days after the Confirmation Date. Notwithstanding the foregoing, to the extent that any such Claim is or was subject to a previously-established bar date in the Chapter 11 Case, such previously-established bar date shall be deemed operative and will not be deemed extended by virtue of section VI(B) of the Plan. All such Claims for which proofs of Claim are required to be filed for contracts to which MMH is a party, if Allowed, will be classified and treated as Class 5 General Unsecured Claims, subject to the provisions of the Plan.
- 3. **Insurance Policies.** For the avoidance of doubt, the Debtor's rights with respect to all Insurance Policies under which either of the Debtor may be a beneficiary or assignee (including all Insurance Policies that may have expired prior to the Petition Date, all Insurance Policies in existence on the Petition Date, all Insurance Policies entered into by the Debtor after the Petition Date, and all Insurance Policies under which the Debtor holds rights to make, amend, prosecute, and benefit from claims) shall revest in the Debtor as necessary for the Debtor Representative to pursue and prosecute any Causes of Action, and to the extent that any Insurance Policies are not necessary for the pursuit and prosecution of any Causes of Action, all such Insurance Policies shall be transferred to the Liquidating Trust from the Effective Date until its dissolution, unless any such Insurance Policy is otherwise cancelled by the Liquidating Trustee in its discretion. Notwithstanding any provision providing for the rejection of Executory Contracts, any Insurance Policy that is deemed to be an Executory Contract shall neither be rejected nor assumed by operation of the Plan and shall be the subject of a specific motion by the Liquidating Trust, which shall retain the right to assume or reject any such Executory Contracts pursuant to and subject to the provisions of Section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code following the Effective Date.

The Confirmation Order shall constitute a determination that no default by the Debtor exists with respect to any of the Insurance Policies requiring Cure and that nothing in the Sale Order, any underlying agreements or the Plan shall be construed or applied to modify, impair, or otherwise affect the enforceability of the Insurance Policies or any coverage thereunder with

regard to any Claims or Causes of Action, including the D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims. The Plan shall be liberally construed to protect the interests of all Creditors in all Causes of Action and to limit any Claims against the Estate.

K. Releases, Exculpations and Related Provisions

- Term of bankruptcy injunction or stay. All injunctions or stays provided for in 1. the Chapter 11 Case under Sections 105 or 362 of the Bankruptcy Code, or otherwise, and in existence on the Confirmation Date, shall remain in full force and effect until the Effective Date, except for any injunction in the Sale Order, which shall remain in full force and effect until then and at all times after the Effective Date. Except as otherwise expressly provided in the Plan or to the extent necessary to enforce the terms and conditions of the Plan, the Confirmation Order, or a separate Order of the Bankruptcy Court, as of the Effective Date, all entities who have held, hold, or may hold Claims against the Debtor, are permanently enjoined, on and after the Confirmation Date, from (i) commencing or continuing in any manner any action or other proceeding of any kind with respect to any such Claim or taking any act to recover such Claim outside of the claims allowance procedure discussed in the Plan and the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rules; (ii) the enforcement, attachment, collection, or recovery by any manner or means of any judgment, award, decree, or Order against the Debtor, the Liquidating Trust or the Liquidating Trustee on account of any such Claim; (iii) creating, perfecting, or enforcing any encumbrance of any kind against the Debtor or against the property or interests in property of the Debtor on account of any such Claim; and (iv) asserting any right of setoff, subrogation, or recoupment of any kind against any obligation due from the Debtor or against the property or interests in property of the Debtor on account of any such Claim. Such injunction shall extend for the benefit of the Debtor Representative, the Liquidating Trustee, and any successors of the Debtor, and to any property and interests in property subject to the Plan.
- **2. Exculpation.** Except to the extent arising from willful misconduct or gross negligence, any and all claims, liabilities, causes of action, rights, damages, costs, and obligations held by any party other than the United States of America against the Debtor, the Committee and its members, the POC and its members, and/or each of their respective attorneys, accountants, agents, and other professionals, whether known or unknown, matured or contingent, liquidated or unliquidated, existing, arising, or accruing, whether or not yet due in any manner related to or in connection with (i) the Chapter 11 Case or any act or omission in connection with, arising out of, or related to the Chapter 11 Case; (ii) any act or omission in connection with, arising out of, or related to the Sale; (iii) the formulation, negotiation, prosecution, or implementation of the Plan; (iv) the solicitation of acceptances of the Plan; or (v) the Confirmation, consummation, or implementation of the Plan, will be deemed fully waived, barred, enjoined, released, and discharged in all respects, except as to rights, obligations, duties, claims, and responsibilities preserved, created, or established by terms of the Plan.
- 3. Limitation on liability of Liquidating Trustee and Debtor Representative. Neither the Liquidating Trustee nor the Debtor Representative will be liable for any act they may do or omit to do as Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative under the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement, as applicable, while acting in good faith and in the exercise of their reasonable business judgment; nor will the Liquidating Trustee or the Debtor Representative be liable in any event except for gross negligence, willful fraud, or willful

misconduct. The foregoing limitation on liability also will apply to any Person (including any Liquidating Trustee Professional) employed by the Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative and acting on behalf of the Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative in the fulfillment of their respective duties hereunder or under the Liquidating Trust Agreement. Also, the Liquidating Trustee and all Liquidating Trustee Professionals shall be entitled to indemnification out of the assets of the Liquidating Trust against any losses, liabilities, expenses (including attorneys' fees and disbursements), damages, taxes, suits, or claims that the Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative may incur or sustain by reason of being or having been a Liquidating Trustee of the Liquidating Trust or Debtor Representative or for performing any functions incidental to such service; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that the foregoing shall not relieve the Liquidating Trustee, the Debtor Representative, or the Liquidating Trustee's Professionals from liability for bad faith, willful misfeasance, reckless disregard of duty, gross negligence, fraud, self-dealing, or breach of fiduciary duty.

The Liquidating Trust is deemed to release each Person and Entity exculpated, or whose liability is limited, under this subsection from any liability arising from any act or omission occurring after the Petition Date and in connection with, relating to or arising out of the Chapter 11 Case, except as provided in the Plan.

- Releases by the Debtor. Pursuant to Section 1123(b) of the Bankruptcy Code and except as otherwise specifically provided in the Plan, for good and valuable consideration, including the service of the Released Parties to facilitate the expeditious liquidation of the Debtor and the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Plan, on and after the Effective Date, the Released Parties are deemed released and discharged by the Debtor and its Estate from any and all claims, obligations, rights, suits, damages, Causes of Action, remedies, and liabilities whatsoever, including any derivative claims asserted or assertable on behalf of the Debtor, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, existing or hereinafter arising, in law, equity, or otherwise, that the Debtor or its Estate would have been legally entitled to assert in their own right (whether individually or collectively) or on behalf of the Holder of any Claim or other Person, based on or relating to, or in any manner arising from, in whole or in part, the Debtor, the Debtor's Chapter 11 Case, the Sale, the transactions or events giving rise to any Claim that is treated in the Plan, the business or contractual arrangements between the Debtor and any Released Party, the restructuring of Claims before or during the Debtor's Chapter 11 Case, the negotiation, formulation, or preparation of the Plan, the Disclosure Statement, or any related agreements, instruments, or other documents, other than a Claim against a Released Party arising out of the gross negligence or willful misconduct of any such person or entity.
- 5. Releases by Holders of Claims. ON THE EFFECTIVE DATE, EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THE PLAN AND EXCEPT FOR THE RIGHT TO ENFORCE THE PLAN, ALL PERSONS WHO HAVE (I) (A) VOTED TO ACCEPT THE PLAN OR WHO ARE PRESUMED OR DEEMED TO HAVE VOTED TO ACCEPT THE PLAN UNDER SECTION 1126(f) OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE AND/OR (B) ARE ENTITLED TO VOTE TO ACCEPT OR REJECT THE PLAN AND WHO VOTE TO REJECT THE PLAN OR ABSTAIN FROM VOTING, AND (II) DO NOT MARK THEIR BALLOTS AS OPTING OUT OF THE RELEASES GRANTED UNDER THIS SECTION OR OTHERWISE OPT OUT OF THE RELEASES GRANTED UNDER THIS SECTION IN WRITING BY THE DEADLINE TO VOTE TO ACCEPT OR REJECT THE PLAN, AS APPLICABLE, SHALL, TO THE

FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, BE DEEMED TO FOREVER RELEASE, WAIVE, AND DISCHARGE THE RELEASED PARTIES AND EACH OF THEIR RESPECTIVE CONSTITUENTS, PRINCIPALS, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, REPRESENTATIVES, ATTORNEYS, PROFESSIONALS, AFFILIATES, FUNDS, SUCCESSORS, PREDECESSORS, AND ASSIGNS, OF AND FROM ALL LIENS, CLAIMS, CAUSES OF ACTION, LIABILITIES, ENCUMBRANCES, SECURITY INTERESTS, INTERESTS, OR CHARGES OF ANY NATURE OR DESCRIPTION WHATSOEVER RELATING TO THE DEBTOR, THE CHAPTER 11 CASE, OR AFFECTING PROPERTY OF THE ESTATES, WHETHER KNOWN OR UNKNOWN, SUSPECTED OR UNSUSPECTED, SCHEDULED OR UNSCHEDULED, CONTINGENT OR NOT CONTINGENT, UNLIQUIDATED OR FIXED, ADMITTED OR DISPUTED, MATURED OR UNMATURED, SENIOR OR SUBORDINATED, WHETHER ASSERTABLE DIRECTLY OR DERIVATIVELY BY, THROUGH, OR RELATED TO THE DEBTOR, AGAINST SUCCESSORS OR ASSIGNS OF THE DEBTOR AND THE INDIVIDUALS AND ENTITIES LISTED ABOVE WHETHER AT LAW, IN EQUITY OR OTHERWISE, BASED UPON ANY CONDITION, EVENT, ACT, OMISSION OCCURRENCE, TRANSACTION OR OTHER ACTIVITY, INACTIVITY, INSTRUMENT, OR OTHER AGREEMENT OF ANY KIND OR NATURE OCCURRING, ARISING, OR EXISTING PRIOR TO THE EFFECTIVE DATE IN ANY WAY RELATING TO OR ARISING OUT OF, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, THE DEBTOR, THE CHAPTER 11 CASE, THE PURSUIT OF CONFIRMATION OF THE THE NEGOTIATION AND CONSUMMATION OF THE SALE. CONSUMMATION OF THE PLAN OR THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE PLAN, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION, THE NEGOTIATION AND SOLICITATION OF THE PLAN, ALL REGARDLESS OF WHETHER (A) A PROOF OF CLAIM HAS BEEN FILED OR IS DEEMED TO HAVE BEEN FILED, (B) SUCH CLAIM IS ALLOWED OR (C) THE HOLDER OF SUCH CLAIM HAS VOTED TO ACCEPT OR REJECT THE PLAN. EXCEPT FOR WILLFUL MISCONDUCT OR GROSS NEGLIGENCE. AVOIDANCE OF DOUBT, NOTHING CONTAINED IN THE PLAN SHALL IMPACT THE RIGHT OF ANY HOLDER OF AN ALLOWED CLAIM TO RECEIVE A DISTRIBUTION ON ACCOUNT OF ITS ALLOWED CLAIM IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE PLAN.

- 6. Injunction. FROM AND AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE, TO THE EXTENT OF THE RELEASES AND EXCULPATION GRANTED IN THE PLAN, THE RELEASING PARTIES SHALL BE PERMANENTLY ENJOINED FROM COMMENCING OR CONTINUING IN ANY MANNER AGAINST THE RELEASED PARTIES AND THE EXCULPATED PARTIES AND THEIR ASSETS AND PROPERTIES, AS THE CASE MAY BE, ANY SUIT, ACTION, OR OTHER PROCEEDING, ON ACCOUNT OF OR RESPECTING ANY CLAIM, DEMAND, LIABILITY, OBLIGATION, DEBT, RIGHT, CAUSE OF ACTION, INTEREST, OR REMEDY RELEASED OR TO BE RELEASED PURSUANT TO THE PLAN.
- 7. Nondischarge of the Debtor. In accordance with Section 1141(d)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Confirmation Order will not discharge Claims. However, no Holder of a Claim may receive any payment from, or seek recourse against, any assets that are to be distributed under the Plan other than assets required to be distributed to that Holder pursuant to the Plan. As of the Confirmation Date, all Persons are enjoined from asserting against any

property that is to be distributed under the Plan any Claims, rights, causes of action, liabilities, or interests based upon any act, omission, transaction, or other activity that occurred before the Effective Date except as expressly provided in the Plan or the Confirmation Order.

- 8. Discharge or Release with Respect to Pension Plan. For the avoidance of doubt, nothing in the Debtor's bankruptcy proceedings, Confirmation Order, Plan, the Bankruptcy Code (including Section 1141 thereof), or any other document filed in the Debtor's Chapter 11 Case shall in any way be construed to discharge, release, limit, or relieve the Debtor or any other party, in any capacity, from any liability or responsibility with respect to the Pension Plan or any other defined benefit pension plan under any law, governmental policy, or regulatory provision; and PBGC and the Pension Plan shall not be enjoined or precluded from enforcing such liability or responsibility by any of the provisions of the Plan; provided, however, that any and all monetary claims against the Debtor and/or its estate relating to such liabilities or responsibilities shall be paid and/or satisfied solely as set forth in, and consistent with the terms of, the Plan.
- **9.** Cancellation of documents. On the Effective Date, except to the extent otherwise provided in the Plan, any and all notes, instruments, debentures, certificates, and other documents evidencing Claims against the Debtor shall be deemed inoperative and unenforceable solely as against the Debtor and its Estate.
- 10. Effect of Plan on released Claims and Liens. Nothing contained in the Plan shall revive, preserve, or transfer any Claims or Liens that have been released pursuant to the Sale Order, the APA, or otherwise.

L. Miscellaneous Provisions

- 1. Conditions to confirmation and the Effective Date. The following are conditions precedent to the occurrence of the Effective Date, each of which must be satisfied or waived in writing:
- **a.** the Confirmation Order, authorizing and directing that the Debtor take all actions necessary or appropriate to enter into, implement, and consummate the contracts, instruments, releases, and other agreements or documents created in connection with the Plan and the transactions contemplated thereby, including, without limitation, the transactions contemplated by the Liquidating Trust Agreement, shall have been entered and become a Final Order;
- **b.** the Liquidating Trustee shall have accepted, in writing, the terms of his service and compensation, and such terms and compensation shall have been approved by the Bankruptcy Court in the Confirmation Order;
 - **c.** the Liquidating Trust shall have been established; and
- **d.** all other actions, authorizations, consents and regulatory approvals required (if any) and necessary to implement the provisions of the Plan shall have been obtained, effected or executed in a manner acceptable to the Plan Proponents or, if waivable, waived by the Person or Persons entitled to the benefit thereof.

- **2. Effect of failure of condition.** If each condition to the Effective Date has not been satisfied or duly waived within thirty (30) days after the Confirmation Date, then (unless the period for satisfaction or waiver of conditions has been extended at the joint option of the Plan Proponents for a period not exceeding sixty (60) days) upon motion by any party in interest, made before the time that each of the conditions has been satisfied or duly waived and upon notice to such parties in interest as the Bankruptcy Court may direct, the Confirmation Order will be vacated by the Bankruptcy Court; <u>provided, however</u>, that notwithstanding the filing of such motion, the Confirmation Order may not be vacated if each of the conditions to the Effective Date is either satisfied or duly waived by the Plan Proponents or the Liquidating Trustee, as the case may be, before the Bankruptcy Court enters a Final Order granting such motion. If the Confirmation Order is vacated pursuant to the Plan, the Plan shall be deemed null and void in all respects, and nothing contained in the Plan shall (A) constitute a waiver or release of any Claims by or against the Debtor or (B) prejudice in any manner the rights of the Debtor or the Committee.
- 3. Waiver of conditions to confirmation and Effective Date. The Plan Proponents, jointly and in their sole discretion, may waive any or all of the conditions to the Effective Date, in whole or in part, at any time, without notice or an Order of the Bankruptcy Court. In that event, the Plan Proponents will be entitled to render any or all of their performance under the Plan prior to what otherwise would be the Effective Date if the above-referenced conditions were not waived, including, but not limited to, the right to perform under any circumstances which would moot any appeal, review, or other challenge of any kind to the Confirmation Order if the Confirmation Order is not stayed pending such appeal, review, or other challenge. The failure to satisfy or to waive any condition may be asserted by the Debtor or the Committee regardless of the circumstances giving rise to failure of such condition to be satisfied (including any action or inaction by the Debtor). The failure of the Debtor or the Committee to exercise any of the foregoing rights will not be deemed a waiver of any other rights, and each such right will be deemed an ongoing right that may be asserted at any time.
- 4. Modification of the Plan. The Plan and any Exhibits thereto may be modified jointly by the Plan Proponents, or the Liquidating Trustee, as applicable, from time to time in accordance with Bankruptcy Code Section 1127 and Bankruptcy Rule 3019. The Plan and any exhibits thereto may be modified at any time before the entry of the Confirmation Order pursuant to Section 1127(a) of the Bankruptcy Code; and after the entry of the Confirmation Order, the Plan Proponents, or the Liquidating Trustee, as applicable may, upon Order of the Bankruptcy Court, amend or modify the Plan and any Exhibits thereto in accordance with Section 1127(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, or remedy any defect or omission or reconcile any inconsistency in the Plan in such manner as may be necessary to carry out the purpose and intent of the Plan.

Objections with respect to any amendments or modifications to the Plan (as and to the extent permitted hereby) filed after the deadline for objections to the Plan, as set by the Bankruptcy Court, may be brought at the Confirmation Hearing. The Plan, and any modification or supplement thereof, may be inspected in the Office of the Clerk or its designee during normal business hours. Holders of Claims may obtain a copy of the Plan and any supplement or modification, if any, by contacting the Administrative Agent, Donlin, at (212) 771-1128 or by reviewing such document on the internet at https://www.donlinrecano.com/Clients/mmh/Index. The documents annexed to the Disclosure Statement or contained in any modification or

supplement to the Plan or the Disclosure Statement are an integral part of the Plan and shall be approved by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to the Confirmation Order.

- **5. Extension of time.** For cause shown, any deadlines in the Plan that are applicable to the Debtor, the Liquidating Trustee, the Debtor Representative, or the Liquidating Trust Estate and which are not otherwise extendable, may be extended by the Bankruptcy Court.
- 6. Post-Effective Date notice list. Because certain Persons may not desire to continue to receive notices after the Effective Date, the Plan provides for the establishment of a Post-Effective Date Notice List. Persons on such Post-Effective Date Notice List will be given certain notices and in some cases an opportunity to object to certain matters under the Plan (as described in the Plan). Any Person desiring to be included in the Post-Effective Date Notice List must (i) file a request to be included on the Post-Effective Date Notice List and include thereon its name, contact person, address, telephone number and facsimile number, within thirty (30) days after the Effective Date, and (ii) concurrently serve a copy of its request to be included on the Post-Effective Date Notice List on the Liquidating Trustee and his counsel. On or before sixty (60) days after the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall compile a list of all Persons on the Post-Effective Date Notice List and file such list with the Bankruptcy Court. Those parties set forth in section XII(J) of the Plan shall be included in the Post-Effective Date Notice List without the necessity of filing a request.
- **7. Revocation of Plan.** The Plan Proponents reserve the right to jointly revoke or withdraw the Plan prior to the Effective Date and to jointly file subsequent plans of reorganization or liquidation. If the Plan is withdrawn or revoked, or if confirmation or the Effective Date of the Plan does not occur, then (i) the Plan shall be null and void in all respects; (ii) any settlement or compromise embodied in the Plan (including the fixing or limiting to an amount certain any Claim or Class of Claims), assumption or rejection of Executory Contracts or leases affected by the Plan, and any document or agreement executed pursuant to the Plan, shall be deemed null and void, and except as in the Plan provided and as provided in the Settlement Agreement or the Sale and Settlement Order; and (iii) nothing contained in the Plan shall (a) constitute a waiver or release of any Claims by or against the Debtor or any other person, (b) prejudice in any manner the Debtor's or any other Person's rights, or (c) constitute the Debtor's or any other Person's admission of any sort.
- **8. Successors and assigns.** The rights, benefits, and obligations of any Person or Entity named or referred to in the Plan shall be binding on, and shall inure to the benefit of any heir, executor, administrator, and lawful successor or assign of such Person or Entity.
- **9. Reservation of rights.** Except as expressly set forth in the Plan, the Plan shall have no force or effect until the Bankruptcy Court has entered the Confirmation Order. Neither the filing of the Plan, any statement or provision contained in the Plan, nor the Debtor's taking of any action with respect to the Plan or the Disclosure Statement shall be or shall be deemed to be an admission or waiver of any of the Debtor's rights with respect to the Holders of Claims prior to the Effective Date.
- 10. Service of documents. Any pleading, notice, or other document required or permitted to be made in accordance with the Plan shall be made in writing and shall be delivered

personally, by facsimile transmission, electronic mail or by first class U.S. mail, postage prepaid, as follows:

If to the Debtor:

Waldrep LLP
Attn: Thomas W. Waldrep, Jr.
Jennifer B. Lyday
Francisco T. Morales
101 S. Stratford Road, Suite 210
Winston-Salem, NC 27104

If to the Committee:

Sills Cummis & Gross P.C. Attn: Andrew H. Sherman Boris I. Mankovetskiy One Riverfront Plaza Newark, NJ 07102

and

Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP Attn: Terri L. Gardner GlenLake One, Suite 200 4140 Parklake Avenue Raleigh, NC 27612

- 11. Filing of additional documents and notice of Effective Date. On or before the Effective Date, the Debtor and/or the Committee may file with the Bankruptcy Court such agreements and other documents as may be necessary or appropriate to effectuate and further evidence the terms and conditions of the Plan. The Liquidating Trustee shall file a notice of the Effective Date as soon as practicable after the Effective Date and shall serve such notice on all parties that are entitled to notice under Bankruptcy Rule 2002.
- **12. Severability.** The provisions of the Plan shall not be severable unless the Plan Proponents agree to such severance and such severance would constitute a permissible modification of the Plan pursuant to Section 1127 of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 13. Entire agreement. The Plan, and any supplements or amendments to the Plan, supersedes all previous and contemporaneous negotiations, promises, covenants, agreements, understandings, and representations on such subjects (other than the Liquidating Trust Agreement), all of which have become merged and integrated into the Plan.
- 14. Governing law. Except to the extent the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rules, or other federal law is applicable, or to the extent an exhibit to the Plan provides otherwise, the rights and obligations arising under the Plan shall be governed by, and construed and enforced in

accordance with, the laws of the State of North Carolina, without giving effect to the principles of conflicts of law of such jurisdiction.

15. Closing of the Chapter 11 Case. Consistent with the other terms of the Plan, the Liquidating Trustee shall promptly, upon the full administration of the Chapter 11 Case, file with the Bankruptcy Court all documents required by Bankruptcy Rule 3022 and any applicable Order of the Bankruptcy Court to close the Chapter 11 Case.

VI. ALTERNATIVES TO CONFIRMATION AND CONSUMMATION OF THE PLAN

The Plan Proponents believe the Plan is in the best interests of the Creditors and should accordingly be accepted and confirmed. If the Plan as proposed, however, is not confirmed, the following three alternatives may be available to the Debtor: (i) a liquidation of the Debtor's Assets pursuant to Chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code; (ii) an alternative plan of liquidation may be proposed and confirmed; or (iii) the Debtor's Chapter 11 Case may be dismissed.

A. Chapter 7 Liquidation

If a plan pursuant to Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code is not confirmed by the Bankruptcy Court, the Debtor's Chapter 11 Case may be converted to a liquidation case under Chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code, in which case a trustee would be elected or appointed, pursuant to applicable provisions of Chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code, to liquidate the Assets of the Debtor for distribution in accordance with the priorities established by the Bankruptcy Code. The Debtor believes that such a liquidation would result in smaller distributions being made to the Debtor's Creditors than those provided for in the Plan because (a) the likelihood that other Assets of the Debtor would have to be sold or otherwise disposed of in a less orderly fashion, (b) additional administrative expenses attendant to the appointment of a trustee and the trustee's employment of attorneys and other professionals, (c) additional expenses and Claims, some of which would be entitled to priority, which would be generated during the liquidation and from the rejection of leases and other executory contracts. The Debtor has determined that confirmation of the Plan will provide each Holder of an Allowed Claim with a recovery that is not less than such Holder would receive pursuant to liquidation of the Debtor under Chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code.

B. Alternative Plan Pursuant to Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code

If the Plan is not confirmed, the Debtor may propose a different plan, which might involve an alternative means for the reorganization or liquidation of the Debtor's Assets. However, it is difficult to speculate on or assess the terms and potential treatment of Allowed Claims under any such alternative plan. Furthermore, for the Debtor and/or Creditors to formulate, solicit and confirm any such alternative plan would likely require the Estate to incur additional administrative and other expenses, may substantially delay distributions to Creditors, and may result in lower recoveries to Creditors than the proposed Plan. The Debtor believes that the terms of the Plan provide for an orderly and efficient liquidation of the Debtor's Assets and will result in the realization of the most value for Holders of Claims against the Debtor's Estate.

C. Dismissal of the Debtor's Chapter 11 Case.

Dismissal of the Debtor's Chapter 11 Case would have the effect of restoring (or attempting to restore) all parties to the *status quo ante*. Upon dismissal of the Debtor's Chapter 11 Case, the Debtor would lose the protection of the Bankruptcy Code, thereby requiring, at the very least, an extensive and time-consuming process of negotiation with the various creditors of the Debtor, and possibly resulting in costly and protracted litigation in various jurisdictions. Most significantly, dismissal of the Debtor's Chapter 11 Case would permit secured creditors to foreclose upon any Assets that are subject to their Liens. Dismissal would also permit unpaid unsecured creditors to obtain and enforce judgments against the Debtor. The Debtor believes that these actions could lead ultimately to the liquidation of the Debtor's Assets under Chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code. Therefore, the Debtor believe that dismissal of the Chapter 11 Case is not a preferable alternative to the Plan.

VII. CERTAIN FEDERAL TAX CONSEQUENCES

THE FOLLOWING DISCUSSION IS INTENDED ONLY AS A SUMMARY OF CERTAIN U.S. FEDERAL TAX CONSEQUENCES OF THE PLAN AND IS NOT A SUBSTITUTE FOR CAREFUL TAX PLANNING WITH A TAX PROFESSIONAL. THE FOLLOWING DISCUSSION IS FOR INFORMATION PURPOSES ONLY AND IS NOT TAX ADVICE. THE TAX CONSEQUENCES ARE IN MANY CASES UNCERTAIN AND MAY VARY DEPENDING ON A HOLDER'S PARTICULAR CIRCUMSTANCES. ACCORDINGLY, EACH HOLDER IS STRONGLY URGED TO CONSULT ITS TAX ADVISOR REGARDING THE U.S. FEDERAL, STATE, LOCAL, AND APPLICABLE NON-U.S. INCOME AND OTHER TAX CONSEQUENCES OF THE PLAN.

TO COMPLY WITH INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE CIRCULAR 230, TAXPAYERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT (A) ANY DISCUSSION OF U.S. FEDERAL TAX ISSUES CONTAINED OR REFERRED TO IN THIS DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (INCLUDING ANY ATTACHMENTS) IS NOT INTENDED OR WRITTEN TO BE USED, AND CANNOT BE USED, BY ANY TAXPAYER FOR THE PURPOSE OF AVOIDING PENALTIES THAT MAY BE IMPOSED ON A TAXPAYER UNDER THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, (B) ANY SUCH DISCUSSION IS WRITTEN IN CONNECTION WITH THE PROMOTION OR MARKETING OF THE TRANSACTIONS OR MATTERS ADDRESSED HEREIN, AND (C) TAXPAYERS SHOULD SEEK ADVICE BASED ON THEIR PARTICULAR CIRCUMSTANCES FROM AN INDEPENDENT TAX ADVISOR.

A. General

The following discussion summarizes certain material U.S. federal income tax consequences to the Debtor, the Liquidating Trust and Holders entitled to vote on the Plan. This discussion is based on current provisions of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "IRC"), applicable Treasury Regulations, judicial authority and current administrative rulings and pronouncements of the Internal Revenue Service (the "Service"). There can be no assurance that the Service will not take a contrary view, no ruling from the Service has been or will be sought nor will any counsel provide a legal opinion as to any of the expected tax consequences set forth below.

Legislative, judicial or administrative changes or interpretations may be forthcoming that could alter or modify the statements and conclusions set forth herein. Any such changes or interpretations may or may not be retroactive and could affect the tax consequences to Holders of Claims, the Liquidating Trust or the Debtor. It cannot be predicted at this time whether any tax legislation will be enacted or, if enacted, whether any tax law changes contained therein would affect the tax consequences described herein.

The following summary is for general information only. The tax treatment of a Holder may vary depending upon such Holder's particular situation. This summary does not address all of the tax consequences that may be relevant to a Holder, including any alternative minimum tax consequences and does not address the tax consequences to a Holder that has made an agreement to resolve its claim in a manner not explicitly provided for in the Plan. This summary also does not address the U.S. federal income tax consequences to persons not entitled to vote on the Plan or Holders subject to special treatment under the U.S. federal income tax laws, such as brokers or dealers in securities or currencies, certain securities traders, tax-exempt entities, financial institutions, insurance companies, foreign persons, partnerships and other pass-through entities, Holders that have a "functional currency" other than the United States dollar and Holders that have acquired Claims in connection with the performance of services. The following summary assumes that the Claims are held by Holders as "capital assets" within the meaning of Section 1221 of the IRC and that all Claims denominated as indebtedness are properly treated as debt for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

The tax treatment of Holders and the character, amount and timing of income, gain or loss recognized as a consequence of the Plan and the distributions provided for by the Plan may vary, depending upon, among other things: (i) whether the Claim (or portion thereof) constitutes a Claim for principal or interest; (ii) the type of consideration received by the Holder in exchange for the Claim and whether the Holder receives distributions under the Plan in more than one taxable year; (iii) whether the Holder is a citizen or resident of the United States for tax purposes, is otherwise subject to U.S. federal income tax on a net basis, or falls into any special class of taxpayers, such as those that are excluded from this discussion as noted above; (iv) the manner in which the Holder acquired the Claim; (v) the length of time that the Claim has been held; (vi) whether the Claim was acquired at a discount; (vii) whether the Holder has taken a bad debt deduction with respect to the Claim (or any portion thereof) in the current or prior years; (viii) whether the Holder has previously included in income accrued but unpaid interest with respect to the Claim; (ix) the method of tax accounting of the Holder; (x) whether the Claim is an installment obligation for U.S. federal income tax purposes; and (xi) whether the "market discount" rules are applicable to the Holder. Therefore, each Holder should consult its tax advisor for information that may be relevant to its particular situation and circumstances, and the particular tax consequences to such Holder of the transactions contemplated by the Plan.

B. U.S. Federal Income Tax Consequences to the Debtor

MMH is a not-for-profit corporation that is exempt from federal income taxation under 501(c)(3) of the IRC. It is intended that nothing in the Plan shall adversely affect the tax-exempt status of MMH. Accordingly, the Debtor does not expect the implementation of the Plan to have any adverse federal income tax consequences on the Debtor before or after the Effective Date. If

the tax-exempt status of MMH would terminate, MMH may be subject to tax on its income, which would reduce the amount of distributions payable to the Holders of Claims.

C. U.S. Federal Income Tax Treatment with Respect to the Liquidating Trust

It is intended that the Liquidating Trust will be treated as a "grantor trust" for U.S. federal income tax purposes. In general, a grantor trust is not a separate taxable entity. The Service, in Revenue Procedure 94-45, 1994-2 C.B. 684, set forth the general criteria for obtaining an advanced ruling as to the grantor trust status of a liquidating trust under a Chapter 11 plan. The Debtor are not requesting a private letter ruling regarding the status of the Liquidating Trust as a grantor trust. Consistent with the requirements of Revenue Procedure 94-45, however, the Liquidating Trust Agreement requires all relevant parties to treat, for federal income tax purposes, the transfer of the Debtor's Assets to the Liquidating Trust as (i) a transfer of such assets to the Beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust (to the extent of the value of their respective interests in the applicable Liquidating Trust Assets) followed by (ii) a transfer of such assets by such Beneficiaries to the Liquidating Trust (to the extent of the value of their respective interests in the applicable Liquidating Trust Assets), with the beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust being treated as the grantors and owners of the Liquidating Trust. Each beneficiary of the Liquidating Trust will generally recognize gain (or loss) in its taxable year that includes the Effective Date in an amount equal to the difference between the amount realized in respect of its Claim and its adjusted tax basis in such Claim. The amount realized for this purpose should generally equal the amount of cash and the fair market value of any other assets received or deemed received for U.S. federal income tax purposes under the Plan in respect of such Holder's Claim. A Holder that is deemed to receive for U.S. federal income tax purposes a non-cash asset under the Plan in respect of its Claim should generally have a tax basis in such asset in an amount equal to the fair market value of such asset on the date of its deemed receipt.

The Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement generally provide that the Beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust must value the assets of the Liquidating Trust consistently with the values determined by the Liquidating Trustee for all U.S. federal, state, and local income tax purposes. As soon as possible after the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall make a good faith valuation of the assets transferred to the Liquidating Trust.

Consistent with the treatment of the Liquidating Trust as a grantor trust, the Liquidating Trust Agreement and the Plan will require each Holder to report on its U.S. federal income tax return its allocable share of the Liquidating Trust's income. Therefore, a Holder may incur a U.S. federal income tax liability with respect to its allocable share of the income of the Liquidating Trust whether or not the Liquidating Trust has made any distributions to such Holder. The character of items of income, gain, deduction, and credit to any Holder and the ability of such Holder to benefit from any deduction or losses will depend on the particular situation of such Holder.

In general, a distribution of underlying assets from the Liquidating Trust to a Beneficiary thereof may not be taxable to such Holder because such Holders are already regarded for U.S. federal income tax purposes as owning such assets. Holders are urged to consult their tax advisors regarding the appropriate U.S. federal income tax treatment of distributions from the Liquidating Trust.

The Liquidating Trustee will file with the Service tax returns for the Liquidating Trust as a grantor trust pursuant to Treasury Regulation Section 1.671-4(a) and will also send to each Holder a separate statement setting forth such Holder's share of items of Liquidating Trust income, gain, loss, deduction, or credit. Each such Holder will be required to report such items on its U.S. federal income tax return.

The discussion above assumes that the Liquidating Trust will be respected as a grantor trust for U.S. federal income tax purposes. If the Service were to successfully challenge such classification, the U.S. federal income tax consequences to the Liquidating Trust and the beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust could differ materially from those discussed herein (including the potential for an entity level tax to be imposed on all income of the Liquidating Trust).

D. U.S. Federal Income Tax Treatment with Respect to Holders of Allowed Claims that are Beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust.

Holders of Allowed Claims as of the Effective Date that are Beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust should be treated as receiving from the Debtor their respective shares of the applicable assets of the Liquidating Trust in satisfaction of their Allowed Claims, and simultaneously transferring such assets to the Liquidating Trust. Accordingly, a Holder of such Claim should generally recognize gain or loss in an amount equal to the amount deemed realized on the Effective Date (as described above) less its adjusted tax basis of its Claim. Additionally, such Holders should generally recognize their allocable share of income, gain, loss and deductions recognized by the Liquidating Trust on an annual basis.

Because a Holder's ultimate share of the assets of the Liquidating Trust based on its Allowed Claim will not be determinable on the Effective Date due to, among other things, the existence of Disputed Claims and the value of the assets at the time of actual receipt not being ascertainable on the Effective Date, such Holder should recognize additional or offsetting gain or loss if, and to the extent that, the aggregate amount of cash and fair market value of the assets of the Liquidating Trust ultimately received by such Holder is greater than or less than the amount used in initially determining gain or loss in accordance with the procedures described in the preceding paragraph. It is unclear when a Holder of an Allowed Claim that is a beneficiary of the Liquidating Trust should recognize, as an additional amount received for purposes of computing gain or loss, an amount attributable to the disallowance of a Disputed Claim.

The character of any gain or loss as capital gain or loss or ordinary income or loss and, in the case of capital gain or loss, as short-term or long-term, will depend on a number of factors, including: (i) the nature and origin of the Claim; (ii) the tax status of the Holder of the Claim; (iii) whether the Claim has been held for more than one year; (iv) the extent to which the Holder previously claimed a loss or bad debt deduction with respect to the Claim; and (v) whether the Claim was acquired at a market discount. A Holder that purchased its Claim from a prior Holder at a market discount may be subject to the market discount rules of the IRC. Under those rules (subject to a *de minimis* exception), assuming that such Holder has made no election to accrue the market discount and include it in income on a current basis, any gain recognized on the exchange of such Claim generally would be characterized as ordinary income to the extent of the accrued market discount on such Claim as of the date of the exchange.

It is possible that the Service may assert that any loss should not be recognizable until the Liquidating Trustee makes its final distribution of the assets of the Liquidating Trust. Holders should consult their tax advisors regarding the possibility that the recognition of gain or loss may be deferred until the final distribution of the assets of the Liquidating Trust.

Although not free from doubt, Holders of Disputed Claims should not recognize any gain or loss on the date that the Liquidating Trust Assets are transferred to the Liquidating Trust, but should recognize gain or loss in an amount equal to: (i) the amount of cash and the fair market value of any other property actually distributed to such Holder less (ii) the adjusted tax basis of its Claim. It is possible, however, that such Holders may be required to recognize the fair market value of such Holder's allocable share of the Liquidating Trust Assets, as an amount received for purposes of computing gain or loss, either on the Effective Date or the date such Holder's Claim becomes an Allowed Claim.

Holders of Allowed Claims will be treated as receiving a payment of interest (includible in income in accordance with the Holder's method of accounting for tax purposes) to the extent that any cash or other property received (or deemed received) pursuant to the Plan is attributable to accrued but unpaid interest, if any, on such Allowed Claims. The extent to which the receipt of cash or other property should be attributable to accrued but unpaid interest is unclear. The Debtor and the Liquidating Trust intend to take the position, and the Plan provides, that such cash or property distributed pursuant to the Plan will first be allocable to the principal amount of an Allowed Claim and then, to the extent necessary, to any accrued but unpaid interest thereon. Each Holder should consult its tax advisor regarding the determination of the amount of consideration received under the Plan that is attributable to interest (if any). A Holder generally will be entitled to recognize a loss to the extent any accrued interest was previously included in its gross income and is not paid in full.

VIII. RISK FACTORS IN CONNECTION WITH THE PLAN

The Holders of Claims against the Debtor should read and carefully consider the following risk factors, as well as the other information set forth in this Disclosure Statement (and the documents delivered together herewith), before deciding whether to vote to accept or reject the Plan. These risk factors should not, however, be regarded as constituting the only risks associated with the Plan and its implementation.

A. Bankruptcy Considerations

Although the Plan Proponents believe that the Plan will satisfy all requirements necessary for confirmation by the Bankruptcy Court, there can be no assurance that the Bankruptcy Court will confirm the Plan as proposed. Moreover, there can be no assurance that modifications of the Plan will not be required for confirmation or that such modifications would not necessitate the re-solicitation of votes.

In addition, the occurrence of the Effective Date is conditioned on the satisfaction (or waiver) of the conditions precedent set forth in the Plan, and there can be no assurance that such conditions will be satisfied or waived. In the event the conditions precedent described in the Plan have not been satisfied, or waived (to the extent possible) by the Plan Proponents or

applicable parties (as provided for in the Plan) as of the Effective Date, then the Confirmation Order will be vacated, no Distributions will be made pursuant to the Plan, and the Debtor and all Holders of Claims will be restored to the *status quo ante* as of the day immediately preceding the Confirmation Date as though the Confirmation Date had never occurred.

Section 1122 of the Bankruptcy Code provides that a plan may place a claim or an equity interest in a particular class only if such claim or equity interest is substantially similar to the other claims or equity interests in such class. The Plan Proponents believe that the classification of Claims and Interests under the Plan complies with the requirements set forth in the Bankruptcy Code because each Class of Claims and Interests encompass Claims or Interests, as applicable, that are substantially similar to the other Claims and Interests in each such Class. Nevertheless, there can be no assurance that the Bankruptcy Court will reach the same conclusion.

The liquidation of certain Assets and the prosecution of certain Causes of Action may result in the availability of additional assets for distribution pursuant to the Plan's terms. The potential recoveries from any such actions, however, are unknown. In addition, there can be no assurance that the Liquidating Trust assets will be sufficient to pay the fees and expenses of the Liquidating Trustee or make any distributions to the Beneficiaries.

As to each Impaired Class that has not accepted the Plan, the Plan may be confirmed if the Bankruptcy Court determines that the Plan "does not discriminate unfairly" and is "fair and equitable" with respect to these Classes. The Plan Proponents believe that the Plan satisfies these requirements. Nevertheless, there can be no assurance that the Bankruptcy Court will reach the same conclusion.

B. No Duty to Update Disclosures

The Plan Proponents have no duty to update the information contained in this Disclosure Statement as of the date hereof, unless otherwise specified herein, or unless the Plan Proponents are required to do so pursuant to an order of the Bankruptcy Court. Delivery of the Disclosure Statement after the date hereof does not imply that the information contained herein has remained unchanged.

C. Representations Outside this Disclosure Statement

This Disclosure Statement contains representations concerning or related to the Debtor and the Plan that are authorized by the Bankruptcy Code and the Bankruptcy Court. Please be advised that any representations or inducements made outside this Disclosure Statement and any related documents which are intended to secure your acceptance or rejection of the Plan should not be relied upon by Holders of Claims that are entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

D. No Admission

The information and representations contained herein shall not be construed to constitute an admission of, or be deemed evidence of, any legal effect of the Plan on the Plan Proponents, the Liquidating Trustee, the Debtor Representative, or Holders of Claims.

E. Tax and Other Related Considerations

A discussion of potential tax consequences of the Plan is set forth in this Disclosure Statement. However, the content of this Disclosure Statement is not intended and should not be construed as tax, legal, business or other professional advice. Holders of Claims should seek advice from their own independent tax, legal or other professional advisors based on their own individual circumstances.

IX. RECOMMENDATION AND CONCLUSION

The Plan Proponents believe the Plan provides the best available alternative for maximizing the recoveries that Creditors may receive from the Estate. Therefore, the Plan Proponents recommend that all Creditors that are entitled to vote on the Plan vote to accept the Plan.

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Dated: March 21, 2018

MOREHEAD MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

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EXHIBIT A

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA GREENSBORO DIVISION

In re

Case No. 17-10775

MOREHEAD MEMORIAL HOSPITAL,

Chapter 11

Debtor.

JOINT CHAPTER 11 PLAN OF ORDERLY LIQUIDATION

Nothing contained herein shall constitute an offer, an acceptance, or a legally binding obligation of the Debtor or any other party in interest. This Plan is subject to approval of the Bankruptcy Court and other customary conditions. This Plan is not an offer with respect to any securities. This is not a solicitation of acceptances or rejections of the Plan. Acceptances or rejections with respect to this Plan may not be solicited until a disclosure statement has been approved by the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Middle District of North Carolina in accordance with Section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code. Such a solicitation will only be made in compliance with applicable provisions of securities and bankruptcy laws.

YOU SHOULD NOT RELY ON THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN, OR THE TERMS OF, THIS PLAN FOR ANY PURPOSE PRIOR TO THE CONFIRMATION OF THIS PLAN BY THE BANKRUPTCY COURT.

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INTRODUCTION

Morehead Memorial Hospital (the "**Debtor**"), the debtor-in-possession in the above-captioned Chapter 11 case, and the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors (the "**Committee**") appointed in this case, jointly propose the following plan of liquidation (as defined herein, the "**Plan**") pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code.

Pursuant to the Plan, the Debtor and the Committee (the "Plan Proponents") propose an orderly liquidation of the Debtor's remaining Assets. The Plan provides that all funds realized from the collection and liquidation of the Debtor's Assets will be paid to Creditors on account of their Allowed Claims in accordance with the distributive priorities of the Bankruptcy Code and this Plan. The Plan Proponents propose to implement the Plan by establishing, *inter alia*, a Liquidating Trust that will be administered by the Liquidating Trustee. On the Effective Date, certain of the Debtor's Assets will be transferred to the Liquidating Trust for the benefit of Creditors and certain assets will be administered by a Debtor Representative. Thereafter, the Liquidating Trustee will be responsible for liquidating the Assets and making distributions to Creditors in accordance with the terms of the Plan.

Transmitted with this Plan is a copy of the Disclosure Statement required by Section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code (as defined herein, together with its exhibits and as amended from time to time, the "Disclosure Statement"). The Disclosure Statement is provided to help Creditors understand this Plan. The Disclosure Statement contains, among other things, a discussion of the Debtor's history, business and operations, risk factors, and other related matters. The Disclosure Statement also provides a summary of this Plan. All Creditors and other parties-in-interest are encouraged to carefully review the Disclosure Statement prepared by the Plan Proponents before voting to accept or reject this Plan.

The Plan Proponents urge all creditors and other parties in interest to read this Plan and the Disclosure Statement in their entirety. No solicitation materials other than the Disclosure Statement and any documents, schedules, exhibits, or letters attached thereto or referenced therein, have been authorized by the Plan Proponents or the Bankruptcy Court for use in soliciting acceptances or rejections of this Plan.

The Voting Deadline to accept or reject this Plan will be set by order of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Middle District of North Carolina.

The Plan Proponents believe that this Plan will enable the Estate to efficiently liquidate its Assets for the benefit of the Creditors and accomplish the objectives of Chapter 11. Additionally, the Plan Proponents believe the Plan presents the most advantageous outcome for all the Debtor's Creditors and, therefore, confirmation of the Plan is in the best interests of the Estate. The Plan Proponents recommend that Creditors vote to accept the Plan.

II.

DEFINITIONS AND RULES OF CONSTRUCTION

A. Definitions

In addition to such other terms as are defined in other sections of the Plan, the following terms (which appear in the Plan as capitalized terms) have the following meanings as used in the Plan:

"Administrative Agent" means Donlin, in its capacity as the appointed administrative agent for the Debtor.

"Administrative Bar Date" means March 19, 2018 at 4:00 p.m. Eastern Daylight Time pursuant to the Administrative Bar Date Order, other than with respect to (A) all fees payable to the Clerk of the Bankruptcy Court or the Bankruptcy Administrator pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1930; (B) any Administrative Expense Claim already fixed and approved by Order of the Bankruptcy Court prior to the entry of the Administrative Bar Date Order; (C) any Administrative Expense Claim that has been paid in full prior to the entry of the Administrative Bar Date Order; (D) any Administrative Expense Claim of a Governmental Unit that is subject to 11 U.S.C. § 503(b)(1)(D); (E) any Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claim; (F) Administrative Expense Claims of Committee members for expenses pursuant to Bankruptcy Code Section 503(b)(3)(F); (G) fees and expenses payable to Donlin; and (H) any Administrative Expense Claims excepted from the Administrative Bar Date Order.

"Administrative Bar Date Order" means the Order Fixing a Bar Date for Filing Certain Administrative Expense Claim, Approving Administrative Expense Proof of Claim Forms, and Approving the Form and Manner of Notice of the Administrative Expense Claims Bar Date entered by the Bankruptcy Court on February 23, 2018 as Docket No. 640.

"Administrative Expense Claim" means any allowed and/or approved Claim (other than a Claim included in a Class under the Plan) that is entitled to administrative expense priority in accordance with Sections 503(b) and 507(a)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code or Order of the Bankruptcy Court, including (i) Claims for the actual, necessary costs and expenses of preserving the Estate arising or accruing during the period commencing on the Petition Date and ending on the Administrative Bar Date, (ii) Section 503(b)(9) Administrative Claims, and (iii) Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims.

"Allowed" means, with respect to a Claim, a Claim that is an Allowed Claim.

"Allowed Claim" means any Claim, proof of which was timely and properly filed or, if no proof of Claim was filed, which has been or hereafter is listed by the Debtor in its Schedules, as such Schedules may be amended by the Debtor from time to time in accordance with Bankruptcy Rule 1009, as liquidated in amount and not disputed or contingent and, in each case, as to which: (A) no objection to allowance has been interposed within the applicable period fixed by the Plan, the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, or the Bankruptcy Court, or (B) such Claim has been allowed, in whole or in part, by a Final Order; provided, however, that any Claims allowed solely for the purpose of voting to accept or reject the Plan pursuant to an Order

of the Bankruptcy Court shall not be considered "Allowed Claims" hereunder. Unless otherwise specified herein or by Order of the Bankruptcy Court, "Allowed Claim" shall not, for purposes of computation of distributions under the Plan, include interest on such Claim from and after the Petition Date.

- "APA" means that certain Asset Purchase Agreement entered into on or about December 19, 2017 between the Purchaser and the Debtor that was approved by the Sale Order.
- "Assets" means each and every item of property and interest of the Debtor or its Estate as of the Effective Date, whether tangible or intangible, legal or equitable, liquidated or unliquidated, and includes, without limitation, (i) all Excluded Assets (as defined in the APA); and (ii) all Cash (including, without limitation, all proceeds of the Sale), Chapter 5 Actions, rights in and proceeds of Insurance Policies applicable to the Debtor, and any other rights, privileges, deferred taxes, claims, Causes of Action or defenses, whether arising by statute or common law, and whether arising under the laws of the United States, other countries, or applicable state or local law.
- **"Bankruptcy Administrator"** means the Office of the United States Bankruptcy Administrator for the Middle District of North Carolina.
- "Bankruptcy Code" means Title 11 of the United States Code as now in effect or hereafter amended.
- **"Bankruptcy Court"** means the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Middle District of North Carolina, having jurisdiction over the Chapter 11 Case, or if such Court ceases to exercise jurisdiction over the Chapter 11 Case, such court or adjunct thereof that exercises jurisdiction over the Chapter 11 Case.
- **"Bankruptcy Rules"** means the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure as promulgated by the United States Supreme Court under section 2075 of Title 28 of the United States Code, as amended from time to time, and any Local Rules of the Bankruptcy Court, as now in effect or hereafter amended.
- **"Bar Date"** means the last date fixed by the Bankruptcy Court for filing proofs of Claim in the Chapter 11 Case. For Creditors holding a General Unsecured Claim, except Governmental Units, the Bar Date is November 14, 2017 and for Governmental Units, the Bar Date is January 6, 2018.
 - "Beneficiary" means a "beneficiary," as defined in the Liquidating Trust Agreement.
- "Berkadia" means Berkadia Commercial Mortgage LLC, a Delaware limited liability company.
- "Berkadia Loan Documents" means, collectively, the Berkadia Note and each of the other agreements, mortgages, instruments and other documents that purports to evidence, memorialize, secure and/or perfect the associated debt and security interests, mortgages and other liens relating to the Berkadia Note.

- "Berkadia Note" means that certain "Deed of Trust Note" dated December 14, 2012 executed by the Debtor in favor of Berkadia in the principal amount of \$40,566,294.00, a copy of which is attached to proof of Claim number 183 filed by Berkadia in the Chapter 11 Case.
- **"Berkadia Secured Claim"** means the Secured Claim of Berkadia pursuant to the Berkadia Loan Documents for the outstanding principal, interest, fees, and other amounts owed by the Debtor as of the Petition Date under the Berkadia Note.
- "Berkadia Unsecured Claim" means the Deficiency Claim of Berkadia pursuant to the Berkadia Loan Documents for the outstanding principal, interest, fees, and other amounts owed by the Debtor as of the Petition Date under the Berkadia Note.
- **"Business Day"** means any day that is not a Saturday, Sunday, or "legal holiday" as defined in Bankruptcy Rule 9006(a).
- "Cash" means cash constituting legal tender of the United States of America, cash equivalents and other readily marketable direct obligations of the United States of America, and fully FDIC-insured certificates of deposit issued by a bank.
- "Causes of Action" means any and all causes of action, grievances, arbitrations, suits, demands, demand letters, claims, complaints, notices of non-compliance or violation, enforcement actions, investigations or proceedings that belong to the Debtor and/or the Estate that are or may be pending on the Effective Date or that may be instituted or prosecuted by the Liquidating Trustee on behalf of the Estate, or by the Debtor Representative on behalf of the Debtor, against any Person or Entity, based in law or equity, including, but not limited to, under the Bankruptcy Code, whether direct, indirect, derivative, or otherwise and whether asserted or unasserted as of the Effective Date including, without limitation: (i) the right to object to Claims; (ii) all avoidance powers, actions (including all claims and causes of action arising under Chapter 5 of the Bankruptcy Code), rights, remedies or affirmative defenses under the Bankruptcy Code and state law; (iii) all Tort Claims; (iv) all claims under Insurance Policies applicable to the Debtor; (v) all Life Insurance Claims; and (v) all D&O Claims. Except as otherwise expressly provided in the Plan, any and all Causes of Action are preserved under the Plan.
- **"Chapter 5 Actions"** means any and all Claims arising under Chapter 5 of the Bankruptcy Code and any and all fraudulent conveyance or transfer Claims that, in either instance, could be brought under state or federal law.
- **"Chapter 11 Case"** means the case commenced by the Debtor under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code styled *In re Morehead Memorial Hospital*, Case No. 17-10775, currently pending before the Bankruptcy Court.
 - "Claim" means a "claim," as defined in Section 101(5) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- "Class" means any group of substantially similar Claims classified by the Plan pursuant to Section 1123(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code.

- "Closing" means January 1, 2018, the closing date of the sale of the Purchased Assets to the Purchaser pursuant to the APA.
- "Collateral" means any property or interest in property of the Estate of the Debtor subject to a Lien, charge, or other encumbrance to secure the payment or performance of a Claim, which Lien, charge or other encumbrance is valid, perfected and enforceable under applicable law and is not subject to avoidance under the Bankruptcy Code.
- "Committee's Professionals" means (a) the law firm of Sills Cummis & Gross P.C., (b) the law firm of Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP and (c) any and all other professionals that the Committee has retained or may retain, with Bankruptcy Court approval, to assist in the conduct of the Chapter 11 Case or to provide professional services for a specified purpose, all in accordance with Bankruptcy Code Section 327.
- "Confirmation Date" means the date on which the Clerk of the Bankruptcy Court enters the Confirmation Order on the docket of the Bankruptcy Court.
- "Confirmation Hearing" means the hearing held by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to Section 1128 of the Bankruptcy Code to consider confirmation of this Plan, as such hearing may be adjourned or continued from time to time.
- **"Confirmation Order"** means the order of the Bankruptcy Court confirming this Plan pursuant to Section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code.
- "Convenience Claim" means any Claim that is (i) equal to or less than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) or (ii) greater than hundred dollars (\$500.00) that the Holder of such Claim has voluntarily elected to reduce to five hundred dollars (\$500.00); provided, however, that "Convenience Claim" does not include any Unclassified Claim, any Priority Non-Tax Claim, or any Secured Claim (including the First-Citizens Secured Claim, the Berkadia Secured Claim, and Secured Claims of Other Lienholders). All Convenience Claims are deemed Allowed for the purposes of this Plan and distributions thereunder.
 - "Creditor" means a "creditor," as defined in Section 101(10) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- "Cure" means, with respect to the assumption of an Executory Contract or unexpired lease pursuant to Section 365(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, (A) the distribution of Cash, or the distribution of such other property as may be agreed upon by the parties or ordered by the Bankruptcy Court, in an amount equal to all unpaid monetary obligations, without interest, or such other amount as may be agreed upon by the parties under an Executory Contract or unexpired lease, to the extent such obligations are enforceable under the Bankruptcy Code and applicable bankruptcy law or (B) the taking of such other actions as may be agreed upon by the parties or ordered by the Bankruptcy Court.
- **"D&O Claims"** means rights and claims against the Debtor's current and former directors and officers for, *inter alia*, breach of fiduciary duty and the proceeds of any such claims, including from any Insurance Policies associated therewith.

- **"D&O Policies"** means, collectively, any "Directors and Officers" and other fiduciary liability insurance policies belonging to the Debtor or under which either of the Debtor is named as an insured or additional insured, including, without limitation, the policy issued by Wesco Insurance Company.
 - "Debtor" means Morehead Memorial Hospital.
- **"Debtor Representative"** means Edward J. Sanz, who was appointed and approved by the Bankruptcy Court as Estate Executive for the Debtor by final order dated February 26, 2018, or such successor as may be approved and appointed by the Bankruptcy Court.
- "Deficiency Claim" means a General Unsecured Claim in an amount equal to the difference between the total Allowed amount of a Claim and the value of any Collateral securing such Claim (*i.e.*, the total Allowed Claim amount minus the allowed Secured Claim amount), as determined consistent with Section 506(a) of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise agreed to by the Holder of the Claim.
- "Disallowed" means, with reference to any Claim, a Claim or any portion thereof that is or has been disallowed or expunged by Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court.
- **"Disclosure Statement"** means the disclosure statement relating to this Plan, including, without limitation, all exhibits and schedules thereto, as approved by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to Section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code.
- "Disputed Claim" means any Claim that has not been allowed by a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court and (i) has not been listed on the Schedules, or has been or hereafter is listed on the Schedules as unliquidated, disputed or contingent, regardless of whether a proof of claim has been filed as to such Claim; (ii) as to which the Debtor or, if not prohibited by the Plan, any other party in interest has interposed a timely objection and/or request for estimation in accordance with Section 502(c) of the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rule 3007, which objection and/or request for estimation has not been withdrawn or determined by a Final Order; or (iii) as to which proof of claim was required to be filed by Order of the Bankruptcy Court but as to which a proof of claim or interest was not timely or properly filed.
- **"Distribution Reserve"** shall have the meaning attributed to such term in section VII(F) of this Plan.
 - "Donlin" means Donlin, Recano & Company, Inc.
- **"Effective Date"** means the first Business Day after the Confirmation Order becomes a Final Order and all conditions to the Effective Date as set forth in section XII(A) of this Plan have been satisfied or, if waivable, jointly waived by the Debtor and the Committee.
 - "Entity" means an "entity," as defined in Section 101(15) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- **"Estate"** means the Estate created upon the commencement of the Chapter 11 Case under Section 541 of the Bankruptcy Code.

- **Executory Contract**" means any executory contract or unexpired lease as of the Petition Date, subject to Section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code, between a Debtor and any other Person or Persons, specifically excluding contracts and agreements entered into pursuant to the Plan or subject to Section 1113 of the Bankruptcy Code.
- **"Fee Application"** means an application by a Professional for a Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claim.
- **"Final Distribution Date"** means the date on which the distribution is made from the Liquidating Trust that finally and fully exhausts the assets of the Liquidating Trust.
- **"Final Order"** means an Order of the Bankruptcy Court or any other adjudicative body, which Order has not been stayed, and as to which the time to appeal or to move for reargument or rehearing has expired and no appeal, or motion for reargument or rehearing shall then be pending; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that the Confirmation Order shall be deemed a Final Order unless it has been stayed.
 - "First-Citizens" means First-Citizens Bank & Trust Company.
- "First-Citizens Loan Documents" means, collectively, the First-Citizens Note and each of the other agreements, mortgages, instruments and other documents that purports to evidence, memorialize, secure and/or perfect the associated debt and security interests, mortgages and other liens relating to the First-Citizens Note.
- "First-Citizens Note" means that certain "Promissory Note" dated October 31, 2007 executed by the Debtor in favor of First-Citizens in the principal amount of \$2,170,000.00, a copy of which is attached to proof of Claim number 44 filed by First-Citizens in the Chapter 11 Case.
- "First-Citizens Secured Claim" means the Secured Claim of First-Citizens pursuant to the First-Citizens Loan Documents for the outstanding principal, interest, fees, and other amounts owed by the Debtor as of the Petition Date under the First-Citizens Note.
- "General Unsecured Claim" means any Claim against the Debtor that is not an Unclassified Claim, a Priority Non-Tax Claim, a Secured Claim (including the First-Citizens Secured Claim, the Berkadia Secured Claim, and Secured Claims of Other Lienholders), or a Convenience Claim.
- "Governmental Unit" means a "governmental unit," as defined in Section 101(27) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- "GUC Distribution Date" means: (a) initially, the first Business Day that is thirty (30) days after the Effective Date or as soon thereafter as practicable; (b) thereafter, any interim date(s) that the Liquidating Trustee, in consultation with the POC, deems appropriate based on, among other things, the amount of the proceeds of the Liquidating Trust Estate on hand, whether there remain any other unpaid obligations under this Plan, the time and the status of pending or potential litigation, if any, affecting payment of such obligations, and the amount of any necessary reserves; and (c) thereafter, the Final Distribution Date.

"GUC Liquidating Trust Assets" means all Assets and other corpus of the Liquidating Trust Estate available for distribution to Holders of Allowed General Unsecured Claims (Class 5) after payment of all other amounts required by this Plan, including, but not limited to (i) payments to holders of Allowed Unclassified Claims, Allowed Priority Non-Tax Claims, Allowed Secured Claims (including, to the extent Allowed, the First-Citizens Secured Claim, the Berkadia Secured Claim, and the Secured Claims of Other Lienholders), and Allowed Convenience Claims; (ii) all required statutory fees; and (iii) all costs and expenses of administration of the Liquidating Trust, including all Post-Effective Date Expenses.

"Holder" means the legal or beneficial holder of any Claim against the Estate.

"Hospital" means the non-profit community hospital with its principal place of business located at 117 East Kings Highway, Eden, North Carolina.

"Impaired" means, when used in reference to a Claim or Class of Claims, a Claim or Class of Claims that is impaired within the meaning of Section 1124 of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Insurance Policy" includes any policy of insurance coverage of any kind (including any and all amendments, endorsements, renewals, and extensions thereof) that at any time belonged or belongs to or included or includes the Debtor as a named insured, additional insured, beneficiary, or assignee, including, without limitation, (i) the D&O Policies and (ii) the Life Insurance Policies.

"Lien" means a "lien," as defined in Section 101(37) of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Life Insurance Claims" means the rights of the Debtor as assignee of certain Life Insurance Policies under Split Dollar Agreements to receive cash proceeds from such Life Insurance Policies.

"Life Insurance Policies" means, collectively, any policies of life insurance insuring the lives of certain employees of the Debtor that were paid for and/or funded by premiums paid for by the Debtor.

"Liquidating Trust" means the trust to be established pursuant to this Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement that will effectuate the wind down of the Debtor and make distributions pursuant to the terms of the Plan and Liquidating Trust Agreement. With respect to any action required or permitted to be taken by the Liquidating Trust, the term includes the Liquidating Trustee or any other person authorized to take such action in accordance with the Liquidating Trust Agreement. In the event of any conflict between the terms of this Plan and the terms of the Liquidating Trust Agreement, the terms of this Plan shall govern.

"Liquidating Trust Agreement" means that certain agreement which will be entered into prior to the Effective Date by the Debtor and the Liquidating Trustee pursuant to article VII of the Plan, will be subject to approval by the Bankruptcy Court, and will become part of the Plan pursuant to the Confirmation Order. The Liquidating Trust Agreement will be filed with Bankruptcy Court prior to Confirmation.

- **"Liquidating Trust Estate"** means collectively, (i) all Assets transferred to the Liquidating Trust pursuant to this Plan on the Effective Date or at any time thereafter pursuant to this Plan, and (ii) such additional or different corpus as the Liquidating Trustee may from time to time acquire and hold in trust pursuant to the Liquidating Trust Agreement.
- "Liquidating Trust Expense Reserve" means the reserve established by the Liquidating Trustee to pay the Post-Effective Date Expenses.
- "Liquidating Trustee" means such person or entity as may be appointed and approved by the Bankruptcy Court as the trustee of the Liquidating Trust as of the date of execution of the Liquidating Trust Agreement, and any successor Liquidating Trustee appointed as provided in the Liquidating Trust Agreement. Any changes to the identity of the Liquidating Trustee will be subject to approval of the Bankruptcy Court and will become part of the Plan pursuant to the Confirmation Order. The Plan Proponents shall identity the Liquidating Trustee prior to Confirmation of the Plan.
- **"Liquidating Trustee Professionals"** means professionals for whom retention has been or is sought by the Liquidating Trustee for carrying out the objectives of the Liquidating Trust Agreement.
- "Order" means an order or judgment of the Bankruptcy Court or other adjudicative body.
- "Other Lienholders" means the holders of Liens against property of the Debtor or the Estate, other than Liens held by Berkadia or First-Citizens.
 - "PBGC" means Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation.
 - "Pension Plan" means that certain "Pension Plan of Morehead Memorial Hospital."
 - "Person" means a "person," as defined in Section 101(41) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- **"Petition Date"** means July 10, 2017, the date on which the Debtor filed its voluntary petition for relief commencing the Chapter 11 Case.
- **"Plan"** means this plan of orderly liquidation under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, including, without limitation, all exhibits, supplements, appendices, and schedules hereto, either in its present form or as it may be altered, amended, or modified from time to time.
- **"POC"** means the committee of persons appointed as of the Effective Date to advise the Liquidating Trustee in the performance of the Liquidating Trustee's duties and obligations under the Plan with respect to the liquidation of Assets for the benefit of the holders of Allowed Claims in Class 5 of the Plan.
- "Post-Effective Date Expense(s)" means all voluntary and involuntary costs, expenses, charges, obligations, or liabilities of any kind or nature, whether unmatured, contingent, or unliquidated incurred by the Liquidating Trust or the Debtor Representative after the Effective Date until the Liquidating Trust is dissolved, including, but not limited to, those expenses described in section VII(F) of this Plan.

- **"Post-Effective Date Notice List"** means the list, created pursuant to section XII(F) of the Plan, of persons who desire to receive notices after the Effective Date of the Plan.
 - "Priority Claim" means any Priority Non-Tax Claim or Priority Tax Claim.
- **"Priority Non-Tax Claim"** means any Claim, other than an Administrative Expense Claim or a Priority Tax Claim, entitled to priority in right of payment under Section 507(a) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- "Priority Tax Claim" means any claim of a Governmental Unit of the kind entitled to priority in payment as specified in Sections 502(i) and 507(a)(8) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- **"Pro Rata"** means a number (expressed as a percentage) equal to the proportion that an Allowed Claim in a particular Class bears to the aggregate amount of: (a) Allowed Claims plus (b) Claims, Disputed or undisputed, otherwise asserted but not yet Disallowed (in their aggregate face or, if applicable, estimated amount) in such Class as of the date of determination.
- "Professional" means a Person or Entity employed pursuant to a Final Order in accordance with Sections 327 or 1102 of the Bankruptcy Code and to be compensated for services rendered prior to the Effective Date pursuant to Sections 327, 328, 329, 330 and/or 331 of the Bankruptcy Code, or for which compensation and reimbursement has been Allowed by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to Section 503(b)(4) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- **"Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claim"** means a Claim of a Professional pursuant to Sections 330(a) and 503(b)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code for compensation or reimbursement of costs and expenses relating to services incurred after the Petition Date and prior to the Effective Date.
 - "Purchased Assets" means the "Assets" as defined in the APA.
- **"Purchaser"** means University of North Carolina Health Care System, the purchaser of the "Assets" (as defined in the APA) pursuant to the APA.
 - "Record Date" means the Confirmation Date.
- "Released Parties" means, collectively and individually, (i) the Debtor's attorneys, accountants, agents, and other professionals; (ii) the Committee and its members, attorneys, accountants, agents, and other professionals; and (iii) the POC and its members, attorneys, accountants, agents, and other professionals.
- "Sale" means the sale of the Purchased Assets to the Purchaser pursuant to the terms of the APA, which was approved by the Sale Order.
- "Sale Order" means the Order (A) Authorizing and Approving the Sale of Assets Free and Clear of All Liens, Claims, Encumbrances, and Other Interest, (B) Approving the Asset Purchase Agreement and (C) Granting Related Relief entered by the Bankruptcy Court on November 30, 2017 as Docket No. 445.

"Schedules" means the Schedules of Assets and Liabilities and the Statement of Financial Affairs filed by the Debtor with the Bankruptcy Court, pursuant to Section 521(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rule 1007(b), and the Official Bankruptcy Forms, as may be amended from time to time.

"Section 503(b)(9) Administrative Claim" means a Claim against the Debtor alleged to be entitled to an administrative expense priority under Section 503(b)(9) of the Bankruptcy Code for goods sold to the Debtor in the ordinary course of the Debtor's business and received by the Debtor within 20 days before the Petition Date.

"Secured Claim" means a Claim that is secured by a Lien on property in which the Estate has or had an interest, which Lien is valid, perfected and enforceable under applicable law or by reason of a Final Order, or that is subject to setoff under Section 553 of the Bankruptcy Code, to the extent of the value of the Creditor's interest in the Estate's interest in such property or to the extent of the amount subject to setoff, as applicable, as determined pursuant to Section 506(a) of the Bankruptcy Code; provided, however, that a Secured Claim shall not include any portion of the Claim to the extent that the value of such entity's Collateral is less than the amount of such Claim. Nothing herein revives or preserves any Lien on property sold free and clear pursuant to the APA.

"Secured Creditor" means a Creditor that holds a Secured Claim in the Chapter 11 Case.

"Split Dollar Agreements" means Split Dollar Life Insurance Agreements entered into by the Debtor and certain employees of the Debtor under which the employees of the Debtor agreed to collaterally assign the Life Insurance Policies to the Debtor as an inducement for the Debtor to make premium payments under the Life Insurance Policies.

"Tort Claims" means any and all claims of the Debtor against any of its former professionals and managers.

"Unclassified Claim" means any Claim that is not part of any Class, including Administrative Expense Claims and Priority Tax Claims.

"Voting Deadline" means the date fixed by the Bankruptcy Court Order after approval of the Disclosure Statement.

B. Interpretation, Rules of Construction, Computation of Time

1. Defined Terms

Any term used in the Plan that is not defined in the Plan, but that is used in the Bankruptcy Code or Bankruptcy Rules, has the meaning assigned to that term in the Bankruptcy Code or Bankruptcy Rules, as applicable, unless the context requires otherwise.

2. Rules of Interpretation

For purposes of this Plan:

- a. whenever from the context it is appropriate, each term, whether stated in the singular or the plural, shall include both the singular and the plural;
- b. any reference in this Plan to a contract, lease, instrument, release or other agreement or document being in a particular form or on particular terms and conditions means that such document shall be substantially in such form or substantially on such terms and conditions:
- c. any reference in the Plan to an existing document or exhibit filed or to be filed means such document or exhibit, as it may have been or may be amended, modified or supplemented through and including the Confirmation Date, which, after they are filed, may be amended, modified, or supplemented only with the express written consent of the Plan Proponents;
- d. unless otherwise specified in a particular reference, all references in the Plan to sections, articles and exhibits are references to sections, articles and exhibits of or to the Plan;
- e. the words "herein," "hereof," "hereto," "hereunder," and others of similar import refer to the Plan in its entirety rather than to only a particular portion of the Plan;
- f. captions and headings to articles and sections are inserted for convenience of reference only and are not intended to be a part of or to affect the interpretation of the Plan;
- g. all exhibits to the Plan are incorporated herein, regardless of when those exhibits are filed;
- h. to the extent any discrepancy exists between the description contained herein of a document or agreement that is an exhibit to the Plan and with the provisions of that exhibit, the actual agreement or document shall govern; and
- i. the rules of construction set forth in Section 102 of the Bankruptcy Code shall apply; and

3. Time Periods

- a. In computing any period of time prescribed or allowed by the Plan, the provisions of Bankruptcy Rule 9006(a) shall apply.
- b. Whenever a distribution of property is required to be made on a particular date, the distribution shall be made on such date, or as soon as practicable thereafter.

III.

DESIGNATION OF CLASSES OF CLAIMS

The following is a designation of the Classes of Claims for all purposes, including voting, confirmation, and distribution pursuant to the Plan and Sections 1122 and 1123(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code. A Claim is classified in a particular Class only to the extent that the Claim

qualifies within the description of that Class and is classified in a different Class to the extent that any remainder of the Claim qualifies within the description of such different Class. A Claim is in a particular Class only to the extent that the Claim is an Allowed Claim and has not been paid, released, or otherwise satisfied before the Effective Date.

This Plan is intended to deal with all Claims against the Debtor of whatever character, whether known or unknown, whether or not with recourse, whether or not contingent or unliquidated, and whether or not previously Allowed by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to Section 502 of the Bankruptcy Code. **However, only Holders of Allowed Claims will receive any distribution under this Plan.** For purposes of determining Pro Rata distributions under this Plan and in accordance with this Plan, Disputed Claims shall be included in the Class in which such Claims would be included if Allowed, until such Claims are finally Disallowed. This Plan will not provide any distributions on account of a Claim to the extent that such Claim has been disallowed, released, withdrawn, waived, or otherwise satisfied or paid as of the Effective Date. Classified Claims shall receive the treatment described in section IV(B) herein.

A. Classes of Claims

- **1. Class 1** consists of all Priority Non-Tax Claims.
- 2. Class 2 consists of the Berkadia Secured Claim.
- 3. Class 3 consists of the First-Citizens Secured Claim.
- **4. Class 4** consists of all Secured Claims of Other Lienholders.
- **5. Class 5** consists of all General Unsecured Claims.
- **6.** Class 6 consists of all Convenience Claims.

B. Impaired Classes

Class 5 and Class 6 are Impaired under the Plan. The treatment of Allowed Claims in the Impaired Classes under this Plan is in full and complete satisfaction of the legal, contractual, and equitable rights of each Holder of an Allowed Claim in each such Impaired Class. Subject to the provisions of any Order approving the Disclosure Statement, Holders of Claims in the Impaired Classes are entitled to vote on the Plan.

C. Terms of Confirmed Plan Control Unless Otherwise Specified

If the Plan is confirmed by the Bankruptcy Court, except as specifically set forth in this Plan and the Confirmation Order, the treatment of Claims set forth in the Plan and the Confirmation Order supersedes and replaces any agreements or rights the Holders of the Claims have in or against the Debtor or their property. **EXCEPT AS SPECIFICALLY SET FORTH IN THIS PLAN OR IN THE CONFIRMATION ORDER, NO DISTRIBUTIONS WILL BE MADE AND NO RIGHTS WILL BE RETAINED ON ACCOUNT OF ANY CLAIM, WHETHER AN ALLOWED CLAIM OR NOT.**

D. Holders of Claims as of Record Date

All distributions under the Plan will be tendered to the Persons or Entities that are the Holders of the relevant Claims as of the Record Date.

IV.

TREATMENT OF CLAIMS

A. Unclassified Claims

Certain types of Claims are not placed into Classes; instead, such Claims are Unclassified Claims. Such Unclassified Claims are not considered Impaired and their Holders are not entitled to vote on the Plan because they automatically receive specific treatment provided for them in the Bankruptcy Code. As such, the Plan Proponents did not place the following Claims in a Class. The respective treatment for these Claims is provided below.

1. Administrative Expense Claims

a. General

Subject to the allowance procedures and the deadlines provided in this Plan, except to the extent any entity entitled to payment of an Allowed Administrative Expense Claim has received payment on account of such Claim prior to the Effective Date or agrees to a different treatment, each Holder of an Allowed Administrative Expense Claim shall receive, in full and final satisfaction of its Allowed Administrative Expense Claim, Cash in an amount equal to the amount of such Allowed Administrative Expense Claim, on or before the date that is thirty (30) Business Days after the later of (i) the Effective Date and (ii) entry of a Final Order determining and allowing such Allowed Administrative Expense Claim, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

b. Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims

All Professionals seeking payment of Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims shall file their respective final Fee Applications no later than sixty (60) days after the Effective Date. All Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims shall be treated as Administrative Expense Claims as set forth in section IV(A)(1)(a) above, or shall be paid on such other terms as may be mutually agreed upon between the Holder of an Allowed

Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claim and the Debtor, or the Liquidating Trustee, as the case may be. Failure to timely file a final Fee Application shall result in the Professional Fee Compensation and Reimbursement Claim being forever barred and discharged.

2. Priority Tax Claims

In full and final satisfaction of each Allowed Priority Tax Claim, if any, except to the extent any entity entitled to payment of any Allowed Priority Tax Claim has received payment on account of such Claim prior to the Effective Date or agrees to a different treatment, each Holder of an Allowed Priority Tax Claim shall receive Cash in an amount equal to the amount of such Allowed Priority Tax Claim on or before the date that is thirty (30) Business Days after the later of (i) the Effective Date and (ii) entry of a Final Order determining and allowing such Allowed Priority Tax Claim, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

3. Statutory Fees

On or before the date that is thirty (30) days after the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall make all payments required to be paid to the Bankruptcy Administrator pursuant to Section 1930 of Title 28 of the United States Code. All fees payable pursuant to Section 1930 of Title 28 of the United States Code after the Effective Date shall be paid by the Liquidating Trustee on a quarterly basis until the Chapter 11 Case is closed, converted, or dismissed.

B. Classified Claims

The Allowed Claims classified in article IV of this Plan shall be deemed fully and finally satisfied in the manner set forth herein unless the Holder of such Allowed Claim agrees to accept less favorable treatment.

1. Class 1 – Priority Non-Tax Claims

Each Holder of an Allowed Priority Non-Tax Claim will receive, in full and final satisfaction of such Claim, Cash in an amount equal to the amount of such Allowed Priority Non-Tax Claim on or before the date that is thirty (30) Business Days after the later of (i) the Effective Date and (ii) entry of a Final Order determining and allowing such Priority Non-Tax Claim, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

2. Class 2 – Berkadia Secured Claim

To the extent the Berkadia Secured Claim is Allowed, Berkadia will receive, in full and final satisfaction of such Claim, on or before the date that is thirty (30) Business Days after the later of (i) the Effective Date and (ii) entry of both (a) a Final Order allowing the Berkadia Secured Claim and (b) a Final Order determining any applicable surcharge under Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code, or as soon thereafter as is practicable, Cash in an amount equal to the amount of the Allowed Berkadia Secured Claim, less the amount of the costs of sale of Berkadia's Collateral and the amount of any surcharge under Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code.

3. Class 3 – First-Citizens Secured Claim

To the extent the First-Citizens Secured Claim is Allowed, First-Citizens will receive, in full and final satisfaction of such Claim, on or before the date that is thirty (30) Business Days after the later of (i) the Effective Date and (ii) entry of both (a) a Final Order determining and allowing the First-Citizens Secured Claim and (b) a Final Order determining any applicable surcharge under Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code, or as soon thereafter as is practicable, Cash in an amount equal to the amount of the Allowed First-Citizens Secured Claim, less the amount of the costs of sale of First-Citizens' Collateral and the amount of any surcharge under Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code.

For the avoidance of doubt, First-Citizens shall not have any other Claim in the Chapter 11 Case or receive any other distribution under this Plan.

4. Class 4 – Secured Claims of Other Lienholders

Each Holder of an Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder shall, in the sole discretion of the Plan Proponents, be treated in one of the following ways:

- a. on the Effective Date, the legal, equitable, and contractual rights of the Holder of an Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder shall be reinstated in accordance with the provisions of Section 1124(2) of the Bankruptcy Code notwithstanding any contractual provision or applicable non-bankruptcy law that entitles the Holder of an Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder to demand or receive payment of such Allowed Secured Claim before the stated maturity of such Allowed Secured Claim from and after the occurrence of a default; provided, however, that any contractual right that does not pertain to the payment when due of principal and interest on the obligation on which such Claim is based, including, but not limited to, financial covenant ratios, negative pledge covenants, covenants or restrictions on merger or consolidation, covenants regarding corporate existence, or covenants prohibiting certain transactions or actions contemplated by the Plan or conditioning such transactions or actions on certain factors, shall not be enforceable as to any breach that occurred on or prior to the Effective Date or any breach determined by reference back to a date preceding the Effective Date:
- b. on the Effective Date, the Holder of an Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder shall (i) retain a Lien securing such Allowed Secured Claim and (ii) receive deferred Cash payments from the Liquidating Trust totaling at least the value of such Allowed Secured Claim as of the Effective Date in full and final satisfaction of such Allowed Secured Claim;
- c. on the Effective Date, the collateral securing such Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder shall be surrendered to the Holder of such Allowed Secured Claim in full satisfaction of such Allowed Secured Claim; or
- d. the Holder of an Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder shall be paid, in Cash, an amount equal to such Holder's Allowed Secured Claim, on or before the date that is thirty (30) Business Days after the later of (i) the Effective Date and (ii) entry of a Final Order determining and allowing such Claim as a Secured Claim, or as soon thereafter as is practicable, in full and final satisfaction of such Allowed Secured Claim. To the extent the collateral securing an Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder has been or is to be sold

pursuant to an Order of the Bankruptcy Court, any amount to be paid to the Holder of such Allowed Secured Claim pursuant to the preceding sentence shall be net of the costs of sale of such collateral and otherwise subject to the rights of the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee pursuant to Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code.

Treatment of a Claim under this Class 4 shall not affect any General Unsecured Claim for any Allowed Deficiency Claim of the applicable Holder.

5. Class 5 – General Unsecured Claims

Each Holder of an Allowed General Unsecured Claim will receive, in full and final satisfaction of such Claim, on one or more GUC Distribution Dates, a Pro Rata share of the net proceeds of the GUC Liquidating Trust Assets.

6. Class 6 – Convenience Claims

Each Holder of an Allowed Convenience Claim will receive, in full and final satisfaction of such Claim, on or before the date that is thirty (30) business Days after the Effective Date, or as soon thereafter as practicable, Cash in an amount equal to the lesser of (i) five hundred dollars (\$500.00) and (ii) the Allowed amount of such Holder's Convenience Claim; provided, however, that the total distribution to Holders of Allowed Convenience Claims under this Plan shall not exceed fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) (the "Convenience Class Cap"), and if the foregoing treatment would result in distributions to Holders of Allowed Convenience Claims that exceed the Convenience Class Cap in the aggregate, each Holder of an Allowed Convenience Claim will instead receive a Pro Rata share of \$50,000.00, with the amount of each such Holder's Convenience Claim fixed at the lesser of (i) five hundred dollars (\$500.00) and (ii) the Allowed amount of such Holder's Convenience Claim for the purpose of determining its Pro Rata share.

C. General Claim Treatment Provisions

1. Objections

The failure of any party to object to any Claim in the Chapter 11 Case, including Secured Claims (including the First-Citizens Secured Claim, the Berkadia Secured Claim, and Secured Claims of Other Lienholders), shall be without prejudice to the rights of the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee to contest, object to, or otherwise defend against such Claim if and when such Claim is sought to be enforced by the Holder of such Claim. Procedures for objections to Claims are set forth in section VII(M) of this Plan.

2. Attachment of Liens

Pursuant to the Sale Order, no Lien with respect to any Secured Claim shall attach to any property sold free and clear pursuant to the APA.

3. Survival and Release of Liens

Notwithstanding Section 1141(c) or any other provision of the Bankruptcy Code, all prepetition Liens on property of the Debtor held with respect to any Allowed Secured Claim shall survive the Effective Date and continue in accordance with the contractual terms or statutory

provisions governing such Claim until such Allowed Secured Claim is satisfied, at which time such Lien shall be released, shall be deemed null and void, and shall be unenforceable for all purposes; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that the Debtor or Liquidating Trustee, as the case may be, may condition delivery of any final payment upon receipt of an executed release of the Lien.

Any and all Liens securing any Secured Claim that is not an Allowed Claim shall be released, shall be deemed null and void, and shall be unenforceable for all purposes. Nothing in this Plan shall preclude the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee from challenging the validity of any alleged Lien on any asset of the Debtor or the value of the property that secures any alleged Lien, and all such rights are expressly preserved.

4. Surcharge Under Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code

All rights of Holders of Secured Claims under this Plan are subject to the rights of the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee to surcharge the applicable Collateral pursuant to Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code, which rights are expressly preserved.

V.

ACCEPTANCE OR REJECTION OF THIS PLAN

A. Voting Classes

Subject to the provisions of any Order approving the Disclosure Statement, Holders of Claims in each Impaired Class, or their designees, shall be entitled to vote such Claims separately to accept or reject the Plan. Class 5 and Class 6 are Impaired under this Plan.

B. Non-Voting Classes

Holders of Claims in Classes that are not Impaired are not entitled to vote such Claims to accept or reject this Plan. Each such Holder is conclusively presumed to have accepted this Plan pursuant to Section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code. Class 1, Class 2, Class 3, and Class 4 are not Impaired under this Plan.

C. Controversy Concerning Impairment

In the event of a controversy as to whether any Holder of an Allowed Claim or Class is Impaired under the Plan, the Bankruptcy Court shall, after notice and a hearing, determine such controversy.

D. Acceptance by Impaired Classes

An Impaired Class of Claims shall be deemed to have accepted the Plan if (a) the Holders (other than any Holder designated under Section 1126(e) of the Bankruptcy Code) of at least two-thirds in amount of the Claims actually voting in such Class have voted to accept the Plan and (b) the Holders (other than any Holder designated under Section 1126(e) of the Bankruptcy Code) of more than one-half in number of the Claims actually voting in such Class have voted to accept the Plan.

E. Non-Consensual Confirmation

At the request of the Plan Proponents, this Plan may be confirmed under the so-called "cram down" provisions set forth in Section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code if, in addition to satisfying the other requirements for confirmation (other than Section 1129(a)(8) of the Bankruptcy Code), this Plan "does not discriminate unfairly" and is determined to be "fair and equitable" with respect to each Class of Claims that has not accepted this Plan (i.e., dissenting Classes). The Plan Proponents will request confirmation under this provision for any Impaired Class that rejects the Plan. The Plan Proponents reserve the right to alter, amend, modify, revoke, or withdraw the Plan or any amendment or supplement thereto, including to amend or modify it to satisfy the requirements of Section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, if necessary, in accordance with Section 1127 of the Bankruptcy Code and this Plan.

VI.

TREATMENT OF EXECUTORY CONTRACTS AND UNEXPIRED LEASES

A. Rejection of Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases

On the Effective Date and subject to this section VI(A) and VI(C), all Executory Contracts and unexpired leases of the Debtor will be deemed rejected, as of the Effective Date, other than Executory Contracts and unexpired leases that were previously assumed, assumed and assigned, or rejected by Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court (which contracts will be treated in accordance with such Final Order). The Confirmation Order will constitute an Order approving the foregoing.

B. Bar Date for Rejection Damages

If the rejection of an Executory Contract or unexpired lease pursuant to the Plan and the Confirmation Order or a previous or subsequent order of the Court gives rise to a Claim by the other party or parties to such contract or lease, such Claim shall be forever barred and shall not be enforceable against the Debtor, the Liquidating Trust, or the Estate unless a proof of Claim is filed and served on the Debtor or the Liquidating Trust, as the case may be, and its counsel within thirty (30) days after the Confirmation Date. Notwithstanding the foregoing, to the extent that any such Claim is or was subject to a previously-established bar date in the Chapter 11 Case, such previously-established bar date shall be deemed operative and will not be deemed extended by virtue of this section VI(B). All such Claims for which proofs of Claim are required to be filed for contracts to which the Debtor is a party, if Allowed, will be classified and treated as Class 5 General Unsecured Claims, subject to the provisions of the Plan.

C. Insurance Policies

For the avoidance of doubt, the Debtor's rights with respect to all Insurance Policies under which either of the Debtor may be a beneficiary or assignee (including all Insurance Policies that may have expired prior to the Petition Date, all Insurance Policies in existence on the Petition Date, all Insurance Policies entered into by the Debtor after the Petition Date, and all Insurance Policies under which the Debtor holds rights to make, amend, prosecute, and benefit from claims) shall revest in the Debtor as necessary for the Debtor Representative to pursue and

prosecute any Causes of Action, and to the extent that any Insurance Policies are not necessary for the pursuit and prosecution of any Causes of Action, all such Insurance Policies shall be transferred to the Liquidating Trust from the Effective Date until its dissolution, unless any such Insurance Policy is otherwise cancelled by the Liquidating Trustee in its discretion. Notwithstanding any provision providing for the rejection of Executory Contracts, any Insurance Policy that is deemed to be an Executory Contract shall neither be rejected nor assumed by operation of this Plan and shall be the subject of a specific motion by the Liquidating Trust, which shall retain the right to assume or reject any such Executory Contracts pursuant to and subject to the provisions of Section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code following the Effective Date.

The Confirmation Order shall constitute a determination that no default by the Debtor exists with respect to any of the Insurance Policies requiring Cure and that nothing in the Sale Order, any underlying agreements or this Plan shall be construed or applied to modify, impair, or otherwise affect the enforceability of the Insurance Policies or any coverage thereunder with regard to any Claims or Causes of Action, including the D&O Claims and Life Insurance Claims. The Plan shall be liberally construed to protect the interests of all Creditors in all Causes of Action and to limit any Claims against the Estate.

VII.

MEANS FOR EXECUTION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PLAN

A. Overview

This Plan provides for the disposition of substantially all the Assets and the distribution of the net proceeds thereof to Holders of Allowed Claims, consistent with the priority provisions of the Bankruptcy Code. This Plan also creates a mechanism for the Liquidating Trustee and Debtor Representative to pursue Claims and Causes of Action, including the D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims, to enable recoveries to Creditors herein.

B. Establishment of Liquidating Trust; Appointment of Liquidating Trustee and Debtor Representative; Revesting of D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims in Estate

Prior to the Effective Date, the Debtor shall execute the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The Liquidating Trust Agreement is hereby incorporated into this Plan in its entirety as if set forth in full. The Liquidating Trust Agreement shall contain provisions customary to trust agreements utilized in comparable circumstances, including, but not limited to, any and all provisions necessary to ensure the continued treatment of the Liquidating Trust as a grantor trust.

On the Effective Date, and in accordance with the Confirmation Order, the Estate's title to all the Assets (other than the D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims, which shall revest in the Debtor and may be pursued by the Debtor Representative) shall automatically pass to the Liquidating Trust, free and clear of all Claims and equity interests in accordance with Section 1141 of the Bankruptcy Code. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Plan Proponents reserve the right to modify the Plan to exclude certain Assets from transfer to the Liquidating Trust. The Confirmation Order shall constitute a determination that the transfers of the Assets to

the Liquidating Trust are legal and valid and consistent with the laws of the State of North Carolina.

All parties shall execute any documents or other instruments as necessary to cause title to the applicable Assets to be transferred to the Liquidating Trust. The Assets will be held in trust for the benefit of all Holders of Allowed Claims pursuant to the terms of the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

The Liquidating Trustee will be appointed as of the date of execution of the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The Liquidating Trustee will pay or otherwise make distributions on account of all Allowed Claims against the Debtor in accordance with the terms of the Plan.

On the Effective Date, the Debtor Representative shall be deemed appointed pursuant to section 1123(b)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code and vested with all power and authority granted to the Debtor Representative under this Plan.

On the Effective Date, the Estate's interest in any D&O Claims, Life Insurance Claims, Tort Claims, and rights in and proceeds of any Insurance Policies necessary for the prosecution of all such Claims will revest in the Debtor. The Debtor Representative shall be authorized to institute and to prosecute through final judgment or settle the D&O Claims, Life Insurance Claims, and Tort Claims in his discretion. Upon the entry of a final judgment or settlement, the relevant proceeds of the D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims shall be transferred to the Liquidating Trust for the benefit of the Holders of Allowed Claims, in accordance with the provisions of this Plan.

This Plan shall be interpreted so as to afford, for the benefit of all Holders of Allowed Claims, the greatest opportunity for maximum recovery by the Liquidating Trustee and the Debtor Representative on the Assets, D&O Claims, Tort Claims, Life Insurance Claims, and rights in and proceeds of any Insurance Policies. The Proceeds of all Causes of Action are material to the implementation of this Plan and the recoveries to Creditors herein.

C. Income Tax Status

For federal income tax purposes, all parties (including, without limitation, the Debtor, the Liquidating Trustee, and the Beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust Estate) shall treat the Liquidating Trust as a liquidating trust within the meaning of Treasury Income Tax Regulation section 301.7701-4(d) and IRS Revenue Procedure 94-45, 1994-2 C.B. 124. For federal income tax purposes, the transfer of Assets to the Liquidating Trust under the Plan shall be treated as a deemed transfer to the Beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust Estate in satisfaction of their Claims followed by a deemed transfer of the Assets by the Beneficiaries to the Liquidating Trust. For federal income tax purposes, the Beneficiaries will be deemed to be the grantors and owners of the Liquidating Trust and its assets. For federal income tax purposes, the Liquidating Trust will be taxed as a grantor trust within the meaning of IRC sections 671-677 (a non-taxable pass-through tax entity) owned by the Beneficiaries. The Liquidating Trust will file federal income tax returns as a grantor trust under IRC section 671 and Treasury Income Tax Regulation section 1.671-4 and report, but not pay tax on, the Liquidating Trust's tax items of income, gain, loss deductions, and credits ("Tax Items"). The Beneficiaries will report such Tax Items on their

federal income tax returns and pay any resulting federal income tax liability. All parties will use consistent valuations of the assets transferred to the Liquidating Trust for all federal income tax purposes. The assets shall be valued based on the Liquidating Trustee's good faith determination of their fair market value.

D. Powers and Authority of the Liquidating Trustee

The powers of the Liquidating Trustee are set forth in full in the Liquidating Trust Agreement and shall include, among other things: (a) the power to sell, lease, license, abandon, or otherwise dispose of all remaining assets of the Liquidating Trust Estate subject to the terms of this Plan; (b) the power to effect distributions under this Plan to the Holders of Allowed Claims; (c) the authority to pay all costs and expenses of administering the Liquidating Trust Estate after the Effective Date (including the Post-Effective Date Expenses), including the power to employ and compensate Persons to assist the Liquidating Trustee in carrying out the duties hereunder, and to obtain and pay premiums for insurance and any other powers necessary or incidental thereto; (d) the power to implement this Plan including any other powers necessary or incidental thereto; (e) the authority to settle Claims, applicable Causes of Action, including Chapter 5 Actions, or disputes as to amounts owing to the Estate; (f) the authority to participate in any post-Effective Date motions to amend or modify this Plan or the Liquidating Trust Agreement, or appeals from the Confirmation Order; (g) the authority to participate in actions to enforce or interpret this Plan; and (h) the power to bind the Liquidating Trust. Each of the foregoing powers may be exercised by the Liquidating Trustee without further order of the Bankruptcy Court. Notwithstanding any of the foregoing, the Liquidating Trustee may not materially amend or alter the terms and provisions of this Plan.

E. Funding of the Liquidating Trust

The funding of the Liquidating Trust for the payments to be made to Holders of Allowed Claims under the Plan and the payment of Post-Effective Date Expenses will be from (i) the Liquidating Trust Expense Reserve, (ii) the Debtor's Cash on hand as of the Effective Date, which will be transferred to the Liquidating Trust as of the Effective Date and proceeds from the investment of such Cash, and (iii) the proceeds of the liquidation of the Assets, including, without limitation, any Claims or Causes of Action.

F. Liquidating Trust's Post-Effective Date Expenses

All expenses related to implementation of the Plan incurred from and after the Effective Date through the date on which the Liquidating Trust is dissolved will be expenses of the Liquidating Trust, and the Liquidating Trustee will disburse funds from the Liquidating Trust Expense Reserve, as appropriate, for purposes of paying the Post-Effective Date Expenses of the Liquidating Trust without the need for any further Order of the Court. The Post-Effective Date Expenses shall include, but are not limited to, the fees and expenses of the Liquidating Trustee, the fees and expenses of the Debtor Representative, the fees and expenses of the professionals employed by the Liquidating Trustee and/or the Debtor Representative, and other costs, expenses and obligations of the Liquidating Trust until the date the Liquidating Trust is terminated in accordance with section VII(L) and the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

Prior to making a distribution to any Holders of Allowed Claims under the Plan, the Liquidating Trustee may place in reserve and/or in a separate account any funds that may be needed to pay Claims that are subject to dispute and Claims that have otherwise not been Allowed in the event that all or a portion of such Claims become Allowed Claims (the "Distribution Reserve"). When a Claim is Allowed or Disallowed (and thus becomes an Allowed Claim or a Disallowed Claim, in whole or in part), the funds set aside on account of such Claim shall be released from the Distribution Reserve and shall be available for distribution in accordance with the terms of this Plan to either (i) the Holder of the Claim that has become an Allowed Claim, or (ii) if Disallowed, the Holders of Allowed Claims. Consistent with the terms of this Plan, the Liquidating Trustee, in its sole discretion, on and after the Effective Date, shall have authority to increase or decrease the Distribution Reserve, as reasonably necessary and appropriate, and upon satisfaction of all Allowed Claims required to be paid from the Distribution Reserve, to transfer amounts held therein for distribution pursuant to the Plan.

G. Use of Existing Accounts

The Liquidating Trustee may use the Debtor's existing bank accounts (as of the Effective Date) for the purposes set forth herein, to the extent possible and desired. The Liquidating Trustee also may close the Debtor's existing bank accounts, at its discretion, and transfer all amounts therein to one or more accounts, in accordance with the terms of this Plan. Alternatively, notwithstanding any provisions to the contrary in this Plan, the Liquidating Trustee may invest some or all the funds that would otherwise be deposited into the accounts established pursuant to the Plan in allowed investments under applicable non-bankruptcy law.

H. Employment and Compensation

The Liquidating Trustee shall serve without bond and shall receive compensation for serving as Liquidating Trustee as set forth in the Liquidating Trust Agreement. At any time after the Effective Date and without further Order of the Bankruptcy Court, the Liquidating Trustee may employ Persons or Entities, including Professionals (which may, but need not, include Professionals previously or currently employed in the Chapter 11 Case) reasonably necessary to assist the Liquidating Trustee in the performance of his duties under the Liquidating Trust Agreement and this Plan. Such Persons or Entities shall be compensated and reimbursed by the Liquidating Trustee for their reasonable and necessary fees and out of pocket expenses on a monthly basis in arrears.

I. Vesting of Authority in Debtor Representative

Upon the Effective Date, the Debtor's board of directors shall be dissolved and the thencurrent members of the board of directors and officers of the Debtor shall be relieved of their positions and corresponding duties and obligations; provided, however, that the Debtor Representative shall be responsible for effectuating transfers of Assets in accordance with this Plan and otherwise satisfying the Debtor's obligations under the terms of this Plan. On and after the Effective Date, the Debtor Representative shall have full and complete authority to act on behalf of and bind the Debtor without further action or approval of the Bankruptcy Court or the board of directors of the Debtor. After the D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims are liquidated and the proceeds of such Causes of Action are transferred to the Liquidating Trust Estate in accordance with this Plan, the Debtor Representative shall be empowered, but not directed, to effectuate the dissolution of the Debtor in accordance with the laws of the State of North Carolina.

J. Termination of the Committee; Creation of POC

On the Effective Date, the Committee shall be dissolved, the retention and employment of the Committee's Professionals shall terminate, and the members of the Committee will be released and discharged of and from all further authority, duties, responsibilities, and obligations related to and arising from and in connection with the Chapter 11 Case, other than for purposes of filing and/or objecting to final Fee Applications filed in the Chapter 11 Case.

On the Effective Date, the Committee shall be replaced by the POC that shall consist of not less than three (3) Persons or Entities that are Beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust. The identities of the Persons and/or Entities that will serve on the POC as of the Effective Date will be filed by the Committee with the Court no later than five (5) days before the Confirmation Hearing. The POC may also include such other Persons or Entities (including ex officio members) as may be requested by the POC, which Persons or Entities shall have agreed to participate in the performance of the POC's functions as set forth in this Plan. The POC's sole function and responsibility shall be to advise the Liquidating Trustee in the performance of the Liquidating Trustee's duties and obligations under the Plan with respect to the liquidation of Assets for the benefit of the Holders of Allowed Claims. The members of the POC shall serve without compensation but may be reimbursed for reasonable expenses incurred in the performance of their duties as members of the POC.

K. Liquidating Trustee as Successor in Interest to the Debtor and Committee

Except as to the D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims, the Liquidating Trustee is the successor in interest to the Debtor and the Committee, and thus, after the Effective Date, to the extent this Plan requires an action by the Debtor (and except as it relates to the D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and Life Insurance Claims or is otherwise delegated to the Debtor Representative), the action shall be taken by the Liquidating Trustee on behalf of the Debtor and the Creditors' Committee, as applicable. The Liquidating Trustee may not materially amend or alter the terms and provisions of this Plan.

For federal and applicable state income tax purposes, all parties (including, without limitation, the Debtor, the Liquidating Trustee, and the Beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust Estate) shall treat the transfer of Assets to the Liquidating Trust in accordance with the terms of this Plan, as a sale by the Debtor of such Assets to the Liquidating Trust Estate at a selling price equal to the fair market value of such Assets on the Effective Date. The Liquidating Trust shall be treated as the owner of all Assets that it holds.

L. Termination of the Liquidating Trust Estate

The existence of the Liquidating Trust and the authority of the Liquidating Trustee will commence as of the Effective Date and will remain and continue in full force and effect until the earlier of (a) the date on which all of the Assets are liquidated in accordance with the Plan, the funds in the Liquidating Trust have been completely distributed in accordance with the Plan, all tax returns and any other filings or reports have been filed with the appropriate state or federal

regulatory authorities and the Order closing the Chapter 11 Case is a Final Order or (b) five (5) years after the date of creation of the Liquidating Trust, unless extended by the Bankruptcy Court as provided in the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

At such time as the Liquidating Trust has been fully administered (*i.e.*, when all things requiring action by the Liquidating Trustee have been done, and the Plan has been substantially consummated) and in all events within sixty (60) days after the Final Distribution Date, the Liquidating Trustee will file an application for approval of his final report and the entry of the final decree by the Bankruptcy Court.

M. Objections to Claims

1. Objection Procedures

From and after the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall have the exclusive right and standing to (i) object to and contest the allowance of all Claims, (ii) compromise and settle any Disputed Claim or Claim that has not otherwise been Allowed without Bankruptcy Court approval, subject to the notice procedure set forth in section VII(M)(2); and (iii) litigate to final resolution objections to Claims.

No distribution shall be made pursuant to this Plan to a Holder of Claim, Disputed or otherwise, unless and until such Claim is or becomes an Allowed Claim.

All objections to Claims shall be filed with the Bankruptcy Court, and served upon the Holders of such Claims, on or before the one hundred eightieth (180th) day after the Effective Date. The time period for filing objections to Claims shall automatically renew for successive periods of one hundred eighty (180) days each until the earlier of (i) the date upon which all Claims have been Allowed or Disallowed or (ii) the date fixed by the Court upon motion of the Liquidating Trustee or a holder of a Claim.

2. Resolution of Disputed Claims and Claims that Have Not Otherwise Been Allowed

If the Holder of a Disputed Claim or Claim that has not otherwise been Allowed and the Liquidating Trustee agree to a settlement of such Claim for an amount that does not exceed \$10,000, the Liquidating Trustee shall be authorized to enter into and effectuate such settlement without any further notice or approval of the Bankruptcy Court, and the settled Claim shall be deemed an Allowed Claim. If the Holder of such a Claim and the Liquidating Trustee agree to a settlement of such Claim and the settlement amount exceeds \$10,000, the Liquidating Trustee shall provide notice of the proposed settlement (with a fourteen-day (14) period to object) to the Persons or Entities on the Post-Effective Date Notice List. If no objection is received within the fourteen-day (14) period, the settled Claim shall be deemed to be an Allowed Claim, without the need for further review by or approval of the Bankruptcy Court or any other party. If an objection to a proposed settlement is received within the 14-day period and such objection cannot otherwise be resolved, then the Liquidating Trustee shall schedule a hearing in the Bankruptcy Court to resolve the objection.

Until such time as an unliquidated Claim, contingent Claim, or a contingent portion of an Claim becomes Allowed or is Disallowed, such Claim will be treated as a Disputed Claim for all purposes related to distributions. The Holder of an unliquidated or contingent Claim will be entitled to a distribution under the Plan only when and if such unliquidated or contingent Claim becomes an Allowed Claim.

VIII.

PROVISIONS GOVERNING DISTRIBUTIONS

A. Delivery of Distributions

Distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims shall be made at the address of the Holder of such Claim as indicated on the records of the Debtor, or a filed proof of Claim, as applicable.

B. Undeliverable Distributions

If any Allowed Claim Holder's distribution is returned as undeliverable, no further distributions shall be made to such Holder unless and until the Liquidating Trustee is notified in writing of such Holder's then-current address. Undeliverable distributions shall remain in the possession of the Liquidating Trustee until such time as a distribution becomes deliverable. Undeliverable Cash shall not be entitled to any interest, dividends or other accruals of any kind. Within twenty-one (21) days after the end of each calendar quarter following the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall make all distributions that become deliverable during the preceding calendar quarter, except as otherwise provided herein. Any check that is not cashed or otherwise deposited within three months after the check's date shall be deemed an undeliverable distribution under this Plan.

C. Failure to Claim Undeliverable Distributions

In an effort to ensure that all Holders of Allowed Claims receive their allocated distributions, the Liquidating Trustee will file with the Bankruptcy Court a listing of unclaimed distribution Holders. This list will be maintained and updated as needed for as long as the Chapter 11 Case stays open. Any Holder of an Allowed Claim that does not assert a Claim pursuant to the Plan for an undeliverable distribution within three (3) months after the first attempted delivery shall have its Claim for such undeliverable distribution discharged and shall be forever barred from asserting any such Claim against the Debtor, the Liquidating Trust Estate, or the Liquidating Trustee, or their respective property. In such cases, any Cash held for distribution on account of such Claims shall be property of the Liquidating Trust Estate, free of any restrictions thereon, and shall revert to the account from which such payment was originally issued to be distributed pursuant to the Plan. Nothing contained in the Plan shall require the Liquidating Trustee to attempt to locate any Holder of an Allowed Claim.

D. Compliance with Tax Requirements

In connection with the Plan, the Liquidating Trustee shall comply with all tax withholding and reporting requirements imposed on it by any Governmental Unit, and all distributions pursuant to the Plan shall be subject to such withholding and reporting

requirements. For tax purposes, distributions received in respect of Allowed Claims will be allocated first to the principal amount of Allowed Claims with any excess allocated, if applicable, to unpaid interest that accrued on such Claims.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Plan, (a) each Holder of an Allowed Claim that is to receive a distribution pursuant to this Plan shall have sole and exclusive responsibility for the satisfaction and payment of any tax obligations imposed by any Governmental Unit, including income, withholding, and other tax obligations, on account of such distribution, and (b) no distribution shall be made to or on behalf of such Holder pursuant to this Plan unless and until such Holder has made arrangements satisfactory to the Liquidating Trustee for the payment and satisfaction of such withholding tax obligations or such tax obligation that would be imposed upon any disbursing agent in connection with such distribution. Any property to be distributed pursuant to this Plan shall, pending the implementation of such arrangements, be treated as an undeliverable distribution under this Plan.

E. Minimum Distributions

If the amount of Cash to be distributed to the Holder of an Allowed Claim is less than \$50 on a particular Distribution Date, the Trustee may hold the Cash distributions to be made to such Holder until the aggregate amount of Cash to be distributed to such Holder is in an amount equal to or greater than \$50. Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, if the aggregate amount of Cash distribution owed to any Holder of an Allowed Claim never equals or exceeds \$50, then the Liquidating Trustee shall not be required to distribute Cash to any such Holder.

This section VIII(E) shall not apply to Holders of Allowed Convenience Claims, who shall be entitled to receive distributions in the amounts determined by section IV(B)(6) above irrespective of the amounts of such distributions.

F. Rounding

Whenever any payment of a fraction of a cent would otherwise be called for, the actual payment shall reflect a rounding of such fraction to the nearest whole cent, with one-half cent being rounded up to the nearest whole cent.

G. Setoffs and Recoupments

The Liquidating Trustee may, pursuant to Section 553 of the Bankruptcy Code or applicable non-bankruptcy law, exercise the right of setoff or recoupment against any Allowed Claim and the distributions to be made pursuant to the Plan on account of such Claim (before distribution is made on account of such Claim), the claims, rights, and causes of action of any nature that the Debtor may hold against the Holder of such Allowed Claim; provided, however, that (i) neither the failure to effect such a setoff or recoupment nor the allowance of any Claim hereunder shall constitute a waiver or release by the Liquidating Trustee of any such claims, rights and causes of action that the Liquidating Trust may possess against such Holder, and (ii) no such setoff or recoupment shall be in derogation of the APA.

H. Settlement of Claims and Controversies

Pursuant to Sections 363 and 1123(b) of the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rule 9019 and in consideration for the distributions and other benefits provided pursuant to this Plan, the provisions of this Plan shall constitute a good faith compromise of all Claims and controversies relating to the contractual, legal, and subordination rights that a Holder of a Claim may have with respect to any Allowed Claim, or any distribution to be made on account of such Allowed Claim. The entry of the Confirmation Order shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's approval of the compromise or settlement of all such Claims and controversies, as well as a finding by the Bankruptcy Court that such compromise or settlement is in the best interests of the Debtor, their Estate, and Holders of Claims and is fair, equitable, and reasonable.

IX.

PROCEDURES FOR TREATMENT OF DISPUTED CLAIMS AND CLAIMS THAT HAVE OTHERWISE NOT BEEN ALLOWED

A. Payments and Distributions on Disputed Claims and Claims That Have Otherwise Not Been Allowed

Notwithstanding any provision in the Plan to the contrary, except as otherwise agreed by the Liquidating Trustee, in its sole discretion, no partial payments and no partial distributions will be made with respect to a Disputed Claim or Claim that has otherwise not been Allowed until such disputes are resolved by settlement or Final Order and the Claim has been Allowed. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any Person or Entity who holds both an Allowed Claim(s) and a separate and distinct Disputed Claim(s) or Claim that has otherwise not been Allowed will receive the appropriate payment or distribution on account of the Allowed Claim(s), although, except as otherwise agreed by the Liquidating Trustee in his sole discretion, no payment or distribution will be made on the Disputed Claim(s) or Claim(s) that have otherwise not been Allowed until such dispute is resolved by settlement or Final Order and the Claim(s) have been Allowed. In the event there are Disputed Claim(s) or Claim(s) that have otherwise not been Allowed requiring adjudication and resolution, the Liquidating Trustee reserves the right, or upon order of the Bankruptcy Court, to establish appropriate reserves for potential payment of such Claims.

B. Safekeeping of Distributable Property

Pending entry of a Final Order determining an objection to any Disputed Claim or Allowing a Claim that has not otherwise been Allowed, the Liquidating Trustee shall take appropriate steps to safeguard the Cash, notes or other instruments that would be distributed on account of such Claim if Allowed, but the Liquidating Trustee shall not be required to establish any formal escrow or reserve for such distributable property unless it determines, or the Bankruptcy Court orders, that an escrow or reserve is necessary to ensure that such property is available if and when such Claim is Allowed.

C. Allowance of Claims

Except as expressly provided herein or in any Order entered in the Chapter 11 Case prior to the Effective Date (including the Confirmation Order), no Claim shall be deemed Allowed, unless and until such Claim is deemed Allowed under the Plan or the Bankruptcy Code or the Bankruptcy Court enters a Final Order in the Chapter 11 Case allowing such Claim. Except as expressly provided in the Plan or in any Order entered in the Chapter 11 Case prior to the Effective Date (including the Confirmation Order), the Liquidating Trust Estate on and after the Effective Date will have and retain any and all rights and defenses the Debtor had with respect to such Claim as of the Petition Date.

X.

JURISDICTION

A. Retention of Jurisdiction

Notwithstanding the entry of the Confirmation Order and the occurrence of the Effective Date, the Bankruptcy Court shall retain exclusive jurisdiction over the Chapter 11 Case until the Chapter 11 Case is closed, including jurisdiction to issue any other Order necessary to administer the Estate or the Liquidating Trust Estate and enforce the terms of this Plan, and/or the Liquidating Trust Agreement pursuant to, and for the purposes of, Sections 105(a) and 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code and for, among other things, the following purposes:

- a. To determine the type, allowance, and payment of any Claims upon any objections thereto (or other appropriate proceedings) by the Liquidating Trustee or any other party-in-interest entitled to proceed in that manner;
- b. Except as otherwise limited herein, to recover all Assets of the Debtor and property of the Debtor's Estate, wherever located;
- c. To hear and determine any issue arising under this Plan; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, any action, controversy, dispute, claim, or question arising out of or relating to the right of any party to enforce, contest, and/or litigate the existence, primacy, and/or scope of available coverage and/or any defenses to coverage under the Insurance Policies shall be referred to and resolved solely in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Insurance Policies and applicable non-bankruptcy law, including, but not limited to, any choice of law, forum, or jurisdiction provision therein;
- d. To hear and determine matters concerning state, local, and federal taxes in accordance with Sections 346, 505, and 1146 of the Bankruptcy Code;
 - e. To hear any other matter not inconsistent with the Bankruptcy Code;
 - f. To enter a final decree closing the Chapter 11 Case;
- g. To ensure that distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims are accomplished pursuant to the provisions of the Plan;

- h. To decide or resolve any motions, adversary proceedings, contested or litigated matters, and any other matters and grant or deny any applications involving the Debtor that may be pending on or instituted by the Liquidating Trustee after the Effective Date;
- i. To issue injunctions, enter and implement other Orders, or take such other actions as may be necessary or appropriate to restrain interference by any Person or Entity with the occurrence of the Effective Date or enforcement of the Plan, except as otherwise provided herein;
- j. To determine any other matters that may arise in connection with or relate to the Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the Confirmation Order, or any contract, instrument, release, indenture, or other agreement or document created in connection with the Plan or the Disclosure Statement;
- k. To enforce, interpret, and determine any disputes arising in connection with any stipulations, Orders, the Sale Order, judgments, injunctions, releases, exculpations, indemnifications, and rulings entered in connection with the Chapter 11 Case (whether or not the Chapter 11 Case has been closed);
- l. To adjudicate any adversary proceeding or other proceeding which may be commenced against any Person or Entity arising from, related to, or in connection with (i) any Chapter 5 Action; (ii) the D&O Claims; (iii) the Tort Claims; (iv) the Life Insurance Claims; and (v) claims against third parties relating to the facts and circumstances surrounding the same; provided, however, that nothing in this Plan or the Confirmation Order shall vest the Bankruptcy Court with exclusive jurisdiction over any claims identified in subclauses (ii) through (v) of this subparagraph (l) or over any dispute relating to coverage under the D&O Policies;
- m. To resolve disputes concerning any reserves with respect to Disputed Claims or the administration thereof;
- n. To resolve any disputes concerning whether a Person or Entity had sufficient notice of the Chapter 11 Case, the applicable Bar Date, the hearing on the approval of the Disclosure Statement as containing adequate information, the hearing on the confirmation of the Plan for the purpose of determining whether a Claim is discharged hereunder, or for any other purpose.

B. Consent to Jurisdiction

All creditors who have filed claims in the Chapter 11 Case shall be deemed to have consented to the jurisdiction of the Bankruptcy Court for purposes of the Causes of Action.

XI.

RELEASES, EXCULPATIONS AND RELATED PROVISIONS

A. Term of Bankruptcy Injunction or Stay

All injunctions or stays provided for in the Chapter 11 Case under Sections 105 or 362 of the Bankruptcy Code, or otherwise, and in existence on the Confirmation Date, shall remain in full force and effect until the Effective Date, except for any injunction in the Sale Order, which shall remain in full force and effect until then and at all times after the Effective Date. Except as otherwise expressly provided in the Plan or to the extent necessary to enforce the terms and conditions of the Plan, the Confirmation Order, or a separate Order of the Bankruptcy Court, as of the Effective Date, all entities who have held, hold, or may hold Claims against the Debtor, are permanently enjoined, on and after the Confirmation Date, from (i) commencing or continuing in any manner any action or other proceeding of any kind with respect to any such Claim or taking any act to recover such Claim outside of the claims allowance procedure discussed in this Plan and the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rules; (ii) the enforcement, attachment, collection, or recovery by any manner or means of any judgment, award, decree, or Order against the Debtor, the Liquidating Trust or the Liquidating Trustee on account of any such Claim; (iii) creating, perfecting, or enforcing any encumbrance of any kind against the Debtor or against the property or interests in property of the Debtor on account of any such Claim; and (iv) asserting any right of setoff, subrogation, or recoupment of any kind against any obligation due from the Debtor or against the property or interests in property of the Debtor on account of any such Claim. Such injunction shall extend for the benefit of the Debtor Representative, the Liquidating Trustee, and any successors of the Debtor, and to any property and interests in property subject to this Plan.

B. Exculpation

Except to the extent arising from willful misconduct or gross negligence, any and all claims, liabilities, causes of action, rights, damages, costs, and obligations held by any party other than the United States of America against the Debtor, the Committee and its members, the POC and its members, and/or each of their respective attorneys, accountants, agents, and other professionals, whether known or unknown, matured or contingent, liquidated or unliquidated, existing, arising, or accruing, whether or not yet due in any manner related to or in connection with (i) the Chapter 11 Case or any act or omission in connection with, arising out of, or related to the Chapter 11 Case; (ii) any act or omission in connection with, arising out of, or related to the Sale; (iii) the formulation, negotiation, prosecution, or implementation of the Plan; (iv) the solicitation of acceptances of the Plan; or (v) the Confirmation, consummation, or implementation of the Plan, will be deemed fully waived, barred, enjoined, released, and discharged in all respects, except as to rights, obligations, duties, claims, and responsibilities preserved, created, or established by terms of this Plan.

C. Limitation on Liability of Liquidating Trustee and Debtor Representative

Neither the Liquidating Trustee nor the Debtor Representative will be liable for any act they may do or omit to do as Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative under the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement, as applicable, while acting in good faith and in the exercise of

their reasonable business judgment; nor will the Liquidating Trustee or the Debtor Representative be liable in any event except for gross negligence, willful fraud, or willful misconduct. The foregoing limitation on liability also will apply to any Person (including any Liquidating Trustee Professional) employed by the Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative and acting on behalf of the Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative in the fulfillment of their respective duties hereunder or under the Liquidating Trust Agreement. Also, the Liquidating Trustee and all Liquidating Trustee Professionals shall be entitled to indemnification out of the assets of the Liquidating Trust against any losses, liabilities, expenses (including attorneys' fees and disbursements), damages, taxes, suits, or claims that the Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative may incur or sustain by reason of being or having been a Liquidating Trustee of the Liquidating Trust or Debtor Representative or for performing any functions incidental to such service; provided, however, that the foregoing shall not relieve the Liquidating Trustee, the Debtor Representative, or the Liquidating Trustee's Professionals from liability for bad faith, willful misfeasance, reckless disregard of duty, gross negligence, fraud, self-dealing, or breach of fiduciary duty.

The Liquidating Trust is deemed to release each Person and Entity exculpated, or whose liability is limited, under this subsection from any liability arising from any act or omission occurring after the Petition Date and in connection with, relating to or arising out of the Chapter 11 Case, except as provided herein.

D. Releases By the Debtor

Pursuant to Section 1123(b) of the Bankruptcy Code and except as otherwise specifically provided in this Plan, for good and valuable consideration, including the service of the Released Parties to facilitate the expeditious liquidation of the Debtor and the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Plan, on and after the Effective Date, the Released Parties are deemed released and discharged by the Debtor and its Estate from any and all claims, obligations, rights, suits, damages, Causes of Action, remedies, and liabilities whatsoever, including any derivative claims asserted or assertable on behalf of the Debtor, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, existing or hereinafter arising, in law, equity, or otherwise, that the Debtor or its Estate would have been legally entitled to assert in their own right (whether individually or collectively) or on behalf of the Holder of any Claim or other Person, based on or relating to, or in any manner arising from, in whole or in part, the Debtor, the Debtor's Chapter 11 Case, the Sale, the transactions or events giving rise to any Claim that is treated in this Plan, the business or contractual arrangements between the Debtor and any Released Party, the restructuring of Claims before or during the Debtor's Chapter 11 Case, the negotiation, formulation, or preparation of this Plan, the Disclosure Statement, or any related agreements, instruments, or other documents, other than a Claim against a Released Party arising out of the gross negligence or willful misconduct of any such person or entity.

E. Releases by Holders of Claims

ON THE EFFECTIVE DATE, EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED HEREIN AND EXCEPT FOR THE RIGHT TO ENFORCE THIS PLAN, ALL PERSONS WHO HAVE (I) (A) VOTED TO ACCEPT THIS PLAN OR WHO ARE PRESUMED OR DEEMED TO HAVE VOTED TO ACCEPT THIS PLAN UNDER SECTION 1126(f) OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE AND/OR (B) ARE ENTITLED TO VOTE TO ACCEPT OR REJECT THIS PLAN

AND WHO VOTE TO REJECT THIS PLAN OR ABSTAIN FROM VOTING, AND (II) DO NOT MARK THEIR BALLOTS AS OPTING OUT OF THE RELEASES GRANTED UNDER THIS SECTION OR OTHERWISE OPT OUT OF THE RELEASES GRANTED UNDER THIS SECTION IN WRITING BY THE DEADLINE TO VOTE TO ACCEPT OR REJECT THIS PLAN, AS APPLICABLE, SHALL, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, BE DEEMED TO FOREVER RELEASE, WAIVE, AND DISCHARGE THE RELEASED PARTIES AND EACH OF THEIR RESPECTIVE CONSTITUENTS, PRINCIPALS, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, AGENTS, REPRESENTATIVES, ATTORNEYS, PROFESSIONALS, ADVISORS, AFFILIATES, FUNDS, SUCCESSORS, PREDECESSORS, AND ASSIGNS, OF AND FROM ALL LIENS, CLAIMS, CAUSES OF ACTION, LIABILITIES, ENCUMBRANCES, SECURITY INTERESTS, INTERESTS, OR CHARGES OF ANY NATURE OR DESCRIPTION WHATSOEVER RELATING TO THE DEBTOR, THE CHAPTER 11 CASE, OR AFFECTING PROPERTY OF THE ESTATES, WHETHER KNOWN OR UNKNOWN, SUSPECTED OR UNSUSPECTED, SCHEDULED OR UNSCHEDULED, CONTINGENT OR NOT CONTINGENT, UNLIQUIDATED OR FIXED, ADMITTED OR DISPUTED, MATURED OR UNMATURED, SENIOR OR SUBORDINATED, WHETHER ASSERTABLE DIRECTLY OR DERIVATIVELY BY, THROUGH, OR RELATED TO THE DEBTOR, AGAINST SUCCESSORS OR ASSIGNS OF THE DEBTOR AND THE INDIVIDUALS AND ENTITIES LISTED ABOVE WHETHER AT LAW, IN EQUITY OR OTHERWISE, BASED UPON ANY CONDITION, EVENT, ACT, OMISSION OCCURRENCE, TRANSACTION OR OTHER ACTIVITY, INACTIVITY, INSTRUMENT, OR OTHER AGREEMENT OF ANY KIND OR NATURE OCCURRING, ARISING, OR EXISTING PRIOR TO THE EFFECTIVE DATE IN ANY WAY RELATING TO OR ARISING OUT OF, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, THE DEBTOR, THE CHAPTER 11 CASE, THE PURSUIT OF CONFIRMATION OF THIS PLAN, THE NEGOTIATION AND CONSUMMATION OF THE SALE. THE CONSUMMATION OF THIS PLAN OR THE ADMINISTRATION OF THIS PLAN, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION, THE NEGOTIATION AND SOLICITATION OF THIS PLAN, ALL REGARDLESS WHETHER (A) A PROOF OF CLAIM HAS BEEN FILED OR IS DEEMED TO HAVE BEEN FILED, (B) SUCH CLAIM IS ALLOWED OR (C) THE HOLDER OF SUCH CLAIM HAS VOTED TO ACCEPT OR REJECT THIS PLAN, EXCEPT FOR WILLFUL MISCONDUCT OR GROSS NEGLIGENCE. FOR THE AVOIDANCE OF DOUBT, NOTHING CONTAINED HEREIN SHALL IMPACT THE RIGHT OF ANY HOLDER OF AN ALLOWED CLAIM TO RECEIVE A DISTRIBUTION ON ACCOUNT OF ITS ALLOWED CLAIM IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THIS PLAN.

F. Injunction

FROM AND AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE, TO THE EXTENT OF THE RELEASES AND EXCULPATION GRANTED IN THIS PLAN, THE RELEASING PARTIES SHALL BE PERMANENTLY ENJOINED FROM COMMENCING OR CONTINUING IN ANY MANNER AGAINST THE RELEASED PARTIES AND THE EXCULPATED PARTIES AND THEIR ASSETS AND PROPERTIES, AS THE CASE MAY BE, ANY SUIT, ACTION, OR OTHER PROCEEDING, ON ACCOUNT OF OR RESPECTING ANY CLAIM, DEMAND, LIABILITY, OBLIGATION, DEBT, RIGHT, CAUSE OF ACTION, INTEREST, OR REMEDY RELEASED OR TO BE RELEASED PURSUANT TO THIS PLAN.

G. Nondischarge of the Debtor

In accordance with Section 1141(d)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Confirmation Order will not discharge Claims. However, no Holder of a Claim may receive any payment from, or seek recourse against, any assets that are to be distributed under the Plan other than assets required to be distributed to that Holder pursuant to the Plan. As of the Confirmation Date, all Persons are enjoined from asserting against any property that is to be distributed under the Plan any Claims, rights, causes of action, liabilities, or interests based upon any act, omission, transaction, or other activity that occurred before the Effective Date except as expressly provided in the Plan or the Confirmation Order.

H. Discharge or Release with Respect to the Pension Plan

For the avoidance of doubt, nothing in the Debtor's bankruptcy proceedings, Confirmation Order, Plan, the Bankruptcy Code (including Section 1141 thereof), or any other document filed in the Debtor's Chapter 11 Case shall in any way be construed to discharge, release, limit, or relieve the Debtor or any other party, in any capacity, from any liability or responsibility with respect to the Pension Plan or any other defined benefit pension plan under any law, governmental policy, or regulatory provision; and PBGC and the Pension Plan shall not be enjoined or precluded from enforcing such liability or responsibility by any of the provisions of this Plan; provided, however, that any and all monetary claims against the Debtor and/or its estate relating to such liabilities or responsibilities shall be paid and/or satisfied solely as set forth in, and consistent with the terms of, this Plan.

I. Cancellation of Documents

On the Effective Date, except to the extent otherwise provided in this Plan, any and all notes, instruments, debentures, certificates, and other documents evidencing Claims against the Debtor shall be deemed inoperative and unenforceable solely as against the Debtor and its Estate.

J. Effect of Plan on Released Claims and Liens

Nothing contained in this Plan shall revive, preserve, or transfer any Claims or Liens that have been released pursuant to the Sale Order, the APA, or otherwise.

XII.

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

A. Conditions Precedent to the Effective Date

The following are conditions precedent to the occurrence of the Effective Date, each of which must be satisfied or waived in writing:

a. the Confirmation Order, authorizing and directing that the Debtor take all actions necessary or appropriate to enter into, implement, and consummate the contracts, instruments, releases, and other agreements or documents created in connection with the Plan and the transactions contemplated thereby, including, without limitation, the transactions

contemplated by the Liquidating Trust Agreement, shall have been entered and become a Final Order;

- b. the Liquidating Trustee shall have accepted, in writing, the terms of his service and compensation, and such terms and compensation shall have been approved by the Bankruptcy Court in the Confirmation Order;
 - c. the Liquidating Trust shall have been established; and
- d. all other actions, authorizations, consents and regulatory approvals required (if any) and necessary to implement the provisions of the Plan shall have been obtained, effected or executed in a manner acceptable to the Debtor and the Committee or, if waivable, waived by the Person or Persons entitled to the benefit thereof.

B. Effect of Failure of Condition

If each condition to the Effective Date has not been satisfied or duly waived within thirty (30) days after the Confirmation Date, then (unless the period for satisfaction or waiver of conditions has been extended at the joint option of the Plan Proponents for a period not exceeding sixty (60) days) upon motion by any party in interest, made before the time that each of the conditions has been satisfied or duly waived and upon notice to such parties in interest as the Bankruptcy Court may direct, the Confirmation Order will be vacated by the Bankruptcy Court; provided, however, that notwithstanding the filing of such motion, the Confirmation Order may not be vacated if each of the conditions to the Effective Date is either satisfied or duly waived by the Plan Proponents or the Liquidating Trustee, as the case may be, before the Bankruptcy Court enters a Final Order granting such motion. If the Confirmation Order is vacated pursuant to this Plan, the Plan shall be deemed null and void in all respects, and nothing contained herein shall (A) constitute a waiver or release of any Claims by or against the Debtor or (B) prejudice in any manner the rights of the Debtor or the Committee.

C. Waiver of Conditions to the Effective Date

The Debtor and the Committee, jointly and in their sole discretion, may waive any or all of the conditions to the Effective Date, in whole or in part, at any time, without notice or an Order of the Bankruptcy Court. In that event, the Debtor and the Committee will be entitled to render any or all of their performance under the Plan prior to what otherwise would be the Effective Date if the above-referenced conditions were not waived, including, but not limited to, the right to perform under any circumstances which would moot any appeal, review, or other challenge of any kind to the Confirmation Order if the Confirmation Order is not stayed pending such appeal, review, or other challenge. The failure to satisfy or to waive any condition may be asserted by the Debtor or the Committee regardless of the circumstances giving rise to failure of such condition to be satisfied (including any action or inaction by the Debtor). The failure of the Debtor or the Committee to exercise any of the foregoing rights will not be deemed a waiver of any other rights, and each such right will be deemed an ongoing right that may be asserted at any time.

D. Modification of the Plan

The Plan and any Exhibits thereto may be modified jointly by the Plan Proponents, or the Liquidating Trustee, as applicable, from time to time in accordance with Bankruptcy Code Section 1127 and Bankruptcy Rule 3019. The Plan and any exhibits thereto may be modified at any time before the entry of the Confirmation Order pursuant to Section 1127(a) of the Bankruptcy Code; and after the entry of the Confirmation Order, the Plan Proponents, or the Liquidating Trustee, as applicable may, upon Order of the Bankruptcy Court, amend or modify the Plan and any Exhibits thereto in accordance with Section 1127(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, or remedy any defect or omission or reconcile any inconsistency in the Plan in such manner as may be necessary to carry out the purpose and intent of the Plan.

Objections with respect to any amendments or modifications to the Plan (as and to the extent permitted hereby) filed after the deadline for objections to the Plan, as set by the Bankruptcy Court, may be brought at the Confirmation Hearing. The Plan, and any modification or supplement thereof, may be inspected in the Office of the Clerk or its designee during normal business hours. Holders of Claims may obtain a copy of the Plan and any supplement or modification, if any, by contacting the Administrative Agent, Donlin, at (212) 771-1128 or by reviewing such document on the internet at https://www.donlinrecano.com/Clients/mmh/Index. The documents annexed to the Disclosure Statement or contained in any modification or supplement to the Plan or the Disclosure Statement are an integral part of the Plan and shall be approved by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to the Confirmation Order.

E. Extension of Time

For cause shown, any deadlines herein that are applicable to the Debtor, the Liquidating Trustee, the Debtor Representative, or the Liquidating Trust Estate and which are not otherwise extendable, may be extended by the Bankruptcy Court.

F. Post-Effective Date Notice List

Because certain Persons may not desire to continue to receive notices after the Effective Date, this Plan provides for the establishment of a Post-Effective Date Notice List. Persons on such Post-Effective Date Notice List will be given certain notices and in some cases an opportunity to object to certain matters under this Plan (as described herein). Any Person desiring to be included in the Post-Effective Date Notice List must (i) file a request to be included on the Post-Effective Date Notice List and include thereon its name, contact person, address, telephone number and facsimile number, within thirty (30) days after the Effective Date, and (ii) concurrently serve a copy of its request to be included on the Post-Effective Date Notice List on the Liquidating Trustee and his counsel. On or before sixty (60) days after the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall compile a list of all Persons on the Post-Effective Date Notice List and file such list with the Bankruptcy Court. Those parties set forth in section XII(J) of the Plan shall be included in the Post-Effective Date Notice List without the necessity of filing a request.

G. Revocation of Plan

The Plan Proponents reserve the right to jointly revoke or withdraw the Plan prior to the Effective Date and to jointly file subsequent plans of reorganization or liquidation. If the Plan is withdrawn or revoked, or if confirmation or the Effective Date of the Plan does not occur, then (i) the Plan shall be null and void in all respects; (ii) any settlement or compromise embodied in the Plan (including the fixing or limiting to an amount certain any Claim or Class of Claims), assumption or rejection of Executory Contracts or leases affected by the Plan, and any document or agreement executed pursuant hereto, shall be deemed null and void, and except as herein provided and as provided in the Settlement Agreement or the Sale and Settlement Order; and (iii) nothing contained in the Plan shall (a) constitute a waiver or release of any Claims by or against the Debtor or any other person, (b) prejudice in any manner the Debtor's or any other Person's rights, or (c) constitute the Debtor's or any other Person's admission of any sort.

H. Successors and Assigns

The rights, benefits, and obligations of any Person or Entity named or referred to in the Plan shall be binding on, and shall inure to the benefit of any heir, executor, administrator, and lawful successor or assign of such Person or Entity.

I. Reservation of Rights

Except as expressly set forth herein, the Plan shall have no force or effect until the Bankruptcy Court has entered the Confirmation Order. Neither the filing of the Plan, any statement or provision contained in the Plan, nor the Debtor's taking of any action with respect to the Plan or the Disclosure Statement shall be or shall be deemed to be an admission or waiver of any of the Debtor's rights with respect to the Holders of Claims prior to the Effective Date.

J. Service of Documents

Any pleading, notice, or other document required or permitted to be made in accordance with this Plan shall be made in writing and shall be delivered personally, by facsimile transmission, electronic mail or by first class U.S. mail, postage prepaid, as follows:

If to the Debtor:

Waldrep LLP
Attn: Thomas W. Waldrep, Jr.
Jennifer B. Lyday
Francisco T. Morales
101 S. Stratford Road, Suite 210
Winston-Salem, NC 27104

If to the Committee:

Sills Cummis & Gross P.C. Attn: Andrew H. Sherman Boris I. Mankovetskiy One Riverfront Plaza Newark, NJ 07102

and

Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP Attn: Terri L. Gardner GlenLake One, Suite 200 4140 Parklake Avenue Raleigh, NC 27612

K. Filing of Additional Documents and Notice of Effective Date

On or before the Effective Date, the Debtor and/or the Committee may file with the Bankruptcy Court such agreements and other documents as may be necessary or appropriate to effectuate and further evidence the terms and conditions of the Plan. The Liquidating Trustee shall file a notice of the Effective Date as soon as practicable after the Effective Date and shall serve such notice on all parties that are entitled to notice under Bankruptcy Rule 2002.

L. Severability

The provisions of the Plan shall not be severable unless the Plan Proponents agree to such severance and such severance would constitute a permissible modification of the Plan pursuant to Section 1127 of the Bankruptcy Code.

M. Entire Agreement

The Plan, and any supplements or amendments hereto, supersedes all previous and contemporaneous negotiations, promises, covenants, agreements, understandings, and representations on such subjects (other than the Liquidating Trust Agreement), all of which have become merged and integrated into the Plan.

N. Governing Law

Except to the extent the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rules, or other federal law is applicable, or to the extent an exhibit to the Plan provides otherwise, the rights and obligations arising under the Plan shall be governed by, and construed and enforced in accordance with, the laws of the State of North Carolina, without giving effect to the principles of conflicts of law of such jurisdiction.

O. Closing of the Chapter 11 Case

Consistent with the other terms of this Plan, the Liquidating Trustee shall promptly, upon the full administration of the Chapter 11 Case, file with the Bankruptcy Court all documents required by Bankruptcy Rule 3022 and any applicable Order of the Bankruptcy Court to close the Chapter 11 Case.

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Dated: March 21, 2018

MOREHEAD MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Name: Edward J Sanz

Title: Estate Executive for Morehead Memorial Hospital

OFFICIAL COMMITTEE OF UNSECURED CREDITORS

Name: Gregory Jackson Title: SR. Director, Legal Affairs NuVasive

EXHIBIT B

Morehead Memorial Hospital

Exhibit B - Liquidation Analysis

\$ in actuals

Chapter 7 Liquidation Chapter 11 Liquidation Recovery Total High Note: Total Recovery **Total** Low High Low Assets for Distribution Cash as of 12/31/17 4,532,178 100% 4,532,178 100% 100% 4,532,178 4,532,178 (1) Less Disbursements: January 2018 Disbursements (2)(2,367,351)100% (2,367,351)100% 100% (2,367,351)(2,367,351)H2C Success Fee (3) (504,420)100% (504,420)100% 100% (504,420)(504,420)February 2018 Payments to Professionals 100% (4) (622,121)(622,121)100% 100% (622,121)(622,121)BA Quarterly Fee (5) (20,000)100% (20,000)100% 100% (20,000)(20,000)Medical Claim Payment (6)(158,979)100% (158,979)100% 100% (158,979)(158,979)Adjusted Cash 859,307 859,307 859,307 859,307 Purchase Price 11,500,000 11,500,000 100% 100% 100% 11,500,000 11,500,000 (7)Assumption of HR-related liabilities 1,000,000 100% 1,000,000 100% 100% 1,000,000 1,000,000 (7)Assumption of other liabilities (7)1,000,000 100% 1,000,000 100% 100% 1,000,000 1,000,000 Receipts in January 100% 4,013,774 4,013,774 4,013,774 (2)4,013,774 100% 100% 1,503,259 Receipts in February (8)1,503,259 100% 100% 100% 1,503,259 1,503,259 Accounts Receivable as of 2/28/18 (8)2,206,201 75% 1,654,650 75% 75% 1,654,650 1,654,650 100% **GAP** Receipt (9)275,451 100% 275,451 0% 275,451 Split Dollar Life Insurance Proceeds 849,197 849,197 (10)849,197 100% 0% 100% Security Deposits (11)572,635 100% 572,635 100% 100% 572,635 572,635 Prepaid expenses (12)253,767 100% 253,767 100% 100% 253,767 253,767 24,033,591 23,482,041 22,357,393 Total Est. Cash for Distribution prior to conversion to Ch. 7 23,482,041 Less: Chapter 7 Trustee (3% statutory maximum) (13)(670,722)(704,461)Less: Estimated Professional Fees (14)(350,000)(700,000)(500,000)23,132,041 22,277,579 **Total Estimated Cash for Distribution** 20,986,671

See additional footnotes on Page 2

Morehead Memorial Hospital

Exhibit B - Liquidation Analysis \$ in actuals

Notes:

- (1) Reflects cash on December 2017 Monthly Operating Report, excluding proceeds from sale.
- (2) Based upon January 2018 Monthly Operating Report. Receipts reflect 3% retention by UNC Healthcare.
- (3) H2C Success Fee for completing the transaction.
- (4) Payments made to bankruptcy professionals for the Quarter Ended December 31, 2017.
- (5) Quarterly fee paid to the Bankruptcy Administrator for the Quarter Ended December 31, 2017.
- (6) Payment in March 2018 to the Third-Party Administrator for medical claims from services provided pre-transaction.
- (7) Per Asset Purchase Agreement between Morehead Memorial Hospital and UNC Healthcare. Purchase Price allocated per Scenario 2 of GT Analysis dated 3/14/2018.
- (8) Based upon cash reconciliation of February 2018 receipts. Receipts reflect 3% retention by UNC Healthcare.
- (9) Estimated GAP receipt to be received by Estate.
- (10) Estimated proceeds from termination of split dollar life insurance policies.
- (11) Estimated refund of security deposits paid by Morehead Memorial Hospital to vendors, such as utility deposits.
- (12) Estimate prepaid expenses paid by Morehead Memorial Hospital to vendors, such as annual insurance premiums.
- (13) Liquidating Trustee amount is calculated using the statutory maximum of 3.0% multiplied by Total Estimated Cash for Distribution prior to conversion to Chapter 7.
- (14) Estimated Professional Fees are higher under a Chapter 7 Liquidation to account for the loss of institutional knowledge amongst professionals following conversion.