

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE**

In re:

THE WET SEAL, LLC, *et al.*,

Debtors.

Chapter 11

Case No. 17-10229 (CSS)

Jointly Administered

Ref. Docket Nos. 97 & _____

**ORDER DIRECTING THE UNITED STATES TRUSTEE TO APPOINT
A CONSUMER PRIVACY OMBUDSMAN PURSUANT TO
SECTION 332(a) OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE**

Upon review of the *Certification of Counsel Regarding Order Directing the United States Trustee to Appoint a Consumer Privacy Ombudsman Pursuant to Section 332(a) of the Bankruptcy Code*, filed on February 16, 2017 [D.I. ____] (the "Certification of Counsel") by The Wet Seal, LLC and its above-captioned affiliated debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the "Debtors"); and it appearing to this Court that the Debtors are pursuing a sale transaction that may involve a transfer of personally identifiable information (as defined in section 101(41A) of the Bankruptcy Code); and it further appearing to the Court that a hearing pursuant to section 363(b)(1)(B) of the Bankruptcy Code will, therefore, be required to consider the approval of the sale; and upon consent of the Debtors;

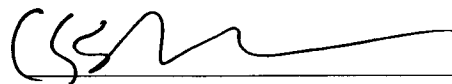
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. Pursuant to section 332(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Office of the United States Trustee for the District of Delaware (the "U.S. Trustee") is directed to appoint one (1) disinterested person (other than the U.S. Trustee) to serve as the consumer privacy ombudsman in these chapter 11 cases.
2. Subject to further order of this Court, the consumer privacy ombudsman shall perform the functions set forth in section 332(b) of the Bankruptcy Code.

3. The consumer privacy ombudsman shall comply with section 332(c) of the Bankruptcy Code at all times.

4. The consumer privacy ombudsman shall be compensated pursuant to section 330 of the Bankruptcy Code upon approval by this Court of a request for compensation.

Dated: February 16, 2017
Wilmington, Delaware



CHRISTOPHER S. SONTCHI
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE