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**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION**

In re:) Chapter 11
)
AUTO PLUS AUTO SALES LLC, ¹) Case No. 23-90054 (CML)
)
Wind-Down Debtors.) (Formerly Jointly Administered under
) Lead Case IEH Auto Parts Holding
) LLC, Case No. 23-90054)
) Re: Docket Nos. 309, 346

**ORDER SUSTAINING WIND-DOWN DEBTOR'S AMENDED OBJECTION
TO PROOF OF CLAIM NO. 716 FILED BY T AND Z INVESTMENTS I LLC**

Upon the objection (the "Objection")² of the above-captioned Reorganized Debtor for entry of an order (this "Order") sustaining the Objection and disallowing in part and reclassifying in part the Priority Claim portion of the Claim, all as more fully set forth in the Objection; and this Court having jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1334; and this Court having found that this is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(2); and that this Court may enter a final order consistent with Article III of the United States Constitution; and this Court having found that venue is proper pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409; and this Court having found that the relief requested in the Objection is in the best interests of Debtor, its creditors, and other parties in interest; and this Court having found that Debtor's notice of the Objection and opportunity for a hearing on the Objection were appropriate under the circumstances and no other notice need be provided; and this Court having reviewed the Objection and having heard the statements in support of the relief requested therein; and this Court having determined that the legal and factual bases

¹ The Wind-Down Debtor's service address is: 5330 Carmel Crest Lane, Charlotte, North Carolina 28226. All pleadings related to these chapter 11 cases may be obtained from the website of the Wind Down Debtor's claims and noticing agent at <https://www.kccllc.net/autoplus>.

² Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein have the meaning ascribed to them in the Objection.



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set forth in the Objection establish just cause for the relief granted herein; and upon all of the proceedings had before this Court; and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor, it is HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The Claim is disallowed in part and reclassified in part as follows (the “Modified Claim”):

Claim Classification	Filed Amount	Modified Amount
Secured Claim	\$14,043.74	\$14,043.74
GUC Claim (Nonpriority)	\$53,177.81	\$91,739.77
Priority Claim	\$130,522.66	\$21,638.75
Total	\$183,700.47³	\$113,378.52⁴

2. Nothing in this Order allows the Modified Claim. The Wind-Down Debtor and GUC Trustee may object to the Modified Claim on any grounds whatsoever.

3. Veritas Global, LLC (f/k/a Kurtzman Carson Consultants, LLC), as claims, noticing and solicitation agent, is authorized and directed to update the claims register maintained in these chapter 11 cases to reflect the relief granted in this Order.

4. Notwithstanding the relief granted in this Order and any actions taken pursuant to such relief, nothing in this Order shall be deemed: (a) an admission as to the validity of any claim against a Debtor entity; (b) a waiver of the Wind-Down Debtor’s right to dispute any claim on any grounds; (c) a promise or requirement to pay any claim; (d) an implication or admission that any particular claim is of a type specified or defined in this Objection or any order granting the relief requested by this Objection; (e) a request or authorization to assume any agreement, contract, or

³ The Secured Claim amount is not included in the total amount of the Claim because it is a right to setoff rather than an additional amount owed.

⁴ The Secured Claim amount is not included in the total of the Modified Claim because it is a right to setoff rather than an additional amount owed.

lease pursuant to section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code; or (f) a waiver of the Wind-Down Debtor's rights under the Bankruptcy Code or any other applicable law.

5. Notwithstanding the relief granted in this Order and any actions taken pursuant to such relief, nothing in this Order shall prejudice to the rights of the Wind-Down Debtor or the GUC Trustee, as defined in the Plan, to object to any claim, including the Claim, on any grounds whatsoever. The Wind-Down Debtor specifically and expressly reserves for all purposes the GUC Trustee's right and ability to object to any and all general unsecured claims notwithstanding the relief granted in this Order, whether such claims are reclassified or otherwise modified under this Order, and this Order does not in any manner whatsoever inhibit, modify or otherwise limit the GUC Trustee's right to object to any general unsecured claim for any reason whatsoever, including without limitation to hereafter object to a general unsecured claim to the extent (i) such claim should properly be classified as an administrative claim pursuant to Section 503(b)(9) or otherwise and (ii) such claim is reclassified from a Section 503(b)(9) claim to a general unsecured claim pursuant to this Order. The Wind-Down Debtor's and/or Plan Agent's beliefs and allegations with respect to any claims affected by the Objection or this Order, whether general unsecured claims or otherwise, shall not be binding on or otherwise prejudice the Plan Agent in any respect, irrespective of whether the GUC Trustee challenged those beliefs or allegations as set forth in the Objection.

6. The Wind-Down Debtor is authorized to take all actions necessary to effectuate the relief granted in this Order in accordance with the Objection.

7. This Order is immediately effective and enforceable upon its entry.

8. This Court retains exclusive jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or related to the implementation, interpretation, and enforcement of this Order.

Dated: _____, 2025

CHRISTOPHER M. LOPEZ
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

United States Bankruptcy Court
Southern District of Texas

In re:
Auto Plus Auto Sales LLC
IEH Auto Parts Holding LLC
Debtors

Case No. 23-90055-cml
Chapter 11

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NOTICE CERTIFICATION

I, Gustava Winters, declare under the penalty of perjury that I have sent the attached document to the above listed entities in the manner shown, and prepared the Certificate of Notice and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Meeting of Creditor Notices only (Official Form 309): Pursuant to Fed .R. Bank. P.2002(a)(1), a notice containing the complete Social Security Number (SSN) of the debtor(s) was furnished to all parties listed. This official court copy contains the redacted SSN as required by the bankruptcy rules and the Judiciary's privacy policies.

Date: Jun 19, 2025

Signature: /s/Gustava Winters

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