

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

In re:

CTN Holdings, Inc., *et al.*,¹

Debtors.

Chapter 11

Case No. 25-10603 (TMH)

(Jointly Administered)

Re: D.I. 4 & 39

**ORDER AUTHORIZING RETENTION AND APPOINTMENT OF
KURTZMAN CARSON CONSULTANTS, LLC DBA VERITA
GLOBAL AS CLAIMS AND NOTICING AGENT**

Upon the application (the “Application”)² of the above-captioned debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the “Debtors”) for entry of an order (this “Order”), authorizing the Debtors to retain and appoint Kurtzman Carson Consultants, LLC d/b/a Verita Global (“Verita”) as claims and noticing agent (the “Claims and Noticing Agent”) pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 156(c), section 105(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, and Local Rule 2002-1(f) to, among other things, (a) distribute required notices to parties in interest, (b) receive, maintain, docket, and otherwise administer the proofs of claim filed in the Debtors’ chapter 11 cases and (c) provide such other administrative services, all as more fully set forth in the Application; and upon the First Day Declaration; and this Court having jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334 and the *Amended Standing Order of Reference* from the United States District Court for the

¹ The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of the Debtors’ federal tax identification numbers, are CTN Holdings, Inc. (9122), CTN SPV Holdings, LLC (8689), Make Earth Green Again, LLC (4441), Aspiration QFZ, LLC (1532), Aspiration Fund Adviser, LLC (4214), Catona Climate Solutions, LLC (3375) and Zero Carbon Holdings, LLC (1679). The mailing address for the Debtors is 548 Market Street, PMB 72015, San Francisco, CA 94101-5401.

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



District of Delaware, dated February 29, 2012, and this Court having found that this is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(2), and this Court having authority to enter a final order consistent with Article III of the United States Constitution; and this Court having found that venue of this proceeding and the Application in this district is proper pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409; and this Court having found that the relief requested in the Application is in the best interests of the Debtors' estates, their creditors, and other parties in interest; and this Court having found that the Debtors' notice of the Application and opportunity for a hearing on the Application were appropriate under the circumstances and no other notice need be provided; and this Court having reviewed the Application and having heard the statements in support of the relief requested therein at a hearing before this Court (the "Hearing"); and this Court having determined that the legal and factual bases set forth in the Application and at the Hearing 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. Notwithstanding the terms of the Engagement Agreement attached to the Application, the Application is approved solely as set forth in this Order.
2. The Debtors are authorized to retain the Claims and Noticing Agent effective as of the Petition Date under the terms of the Engagement Agreement, and the Claims and Noticing Agent is authorized and directed to perform noticing services and to receive, maintain, record and otherwise administer the proofs of claim filed in these cases, and all related tasks, all as described in the Application (the "Claims and Noticing Services").
3. The Claims and Noticing Agent shall serve as the custodian of court records and shall be designated as the authorized repository for all proofs of claim filed in these cases and is

authorized and directed to maintain official claims registers for each of the Debtors, to provide public access to every proof of claim unless otherwise ordered by the Court and to provide the Clerk with a certified duplicate thereof upon the request of the Clerk.

4. The Claims and Noticing Agent is authorized and directed to provide an electronic interface for filing proofs of claim and to obtain a post office box or address for the receipt of proofs of claim.

5. The Claims and Noticing Agent is authorized to take such other action to comply with all duties set forth in the Application.

6. The Debtors are authorized to compensate Claims and Noticing Agent in accordance with the terms of the Engagement Agreement upon the receipt of reasonably detailed invoices setting forth the services provided by Claims and Noticing Agent and the rates charged for each, and to reimburse Claims and Noticing Agent for all reasonable and necessary expenses it may incur, upon the presentation of appropriate documentation, without the need for Claims and Noticing Agent to file fee applications or otherwise seek Court approval for the compensation of its services and reimbursement of its expenses.

7. The Claims and Noticing Agent shall maintain records of all services showing dates, categories of services, fees charged and expenses incurred, and shall serve monthly invoices on the Debtors, the office of the United States Trustee, counsel for the Debtors, counsel for any official committee, if any, monitoring the expenses of the Debtors and any party-in-interest who specifically requests service of the monthly invoices.

8. The parties shall meet and confer in an attempt to resolve any dispute which may arise relating to the Engagement Agreement or monthly invoices, and that the parties may seek resolution of the matter from the Court if resolution is not achieved.

9. Pursuant to section 503(b)(1)(A) of the Bankruptcy Code, the fees and expenses of the Claims and Noticing Agent under this Order shall be an administrative expense of the Debtors' estates.

10. The Claims and Noticing Agent may apply its retainer to all pre-petition invoices, which retainer shall be replenished to the original retainer amount, and thereafter, the Claims and Noticing Agent may hold its retainer under the Engagement Agreement during the chapter 11 cases as security for the payment of fees and expenses incurred under the Engagement Agreement.

11. The Debtors shall indemnify the Claims and Noticing Agent under the terms of the Engagement Agreement.

12. The Claims and Noticing Agent shall not be entitled to indemnification, contribution or reimbursement pursuant to the Engagement Agreement for services other than the services provided under the Engagement Agreement, unless such services and the indemnification, contribution or reimbursement therefore are approved by the Court.

13. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Engagement Agreement, the Debtors shall have no obligation to indemnify the Claims and Noticing Agent, or provide contribution or reimbursement to the Claims and Noticing Agent, for any claim or expense that is either: (i) judicially determined (the determination having become final and no longer subject to appeal) to have arisen from the Claims and Noticing Agent's gross negligence, willful misconduct, or fraud; (ii) for a contractual dispute in which the Debtors allege the breach of the Claims and Noticing Agent's contractual obligations if the Court determines that indemnification, contribution or reimbursement would not be permissible pursuant to applicable law, or (iii) settled prior to a judicial determination under (i) or (ii), but determined by this Court,

after notice and a hearing, to be a claim or expense for which the Claims and Noticing Agent should not receive indemnity, contribution or reimbursement under the terms of the Engagement Agreement as modified by this Order.

14. If, before the earlier of (i) the entry of an order confirming a chapter 11 plan in these cases (that order having become a final order no longer subject to appeal), or (ii) the entry of an order closing these cases, the Claims and Noticing Agent believes that it is entitled to the payment of any amounts by the Debtors on account of the Debtors' indemnification, contribution and/or reimbursement obligations under the Engagement Agreement (as modified by this Order), including without limitation the advancement of defense costs, the Claims and Noticing Agent must file an application therefore in this Court, and the Debtors may not pay any such amounts to the Claims and Noticing Agent before the entry of an order by this Court approving the payment. This paragraph is intended only to specify the period of time under which the Court shall have jurisdiction over any request for fees and expenses by the Claims and Noticing Agent for indemnification, contribution or reimbursement, and not a provision limiting the duration of the Debtors' obligation to indemnify the Claims and Noticing Agent. All parties in interest shall retain the right to object to any demand by the Claims and Noticing Agent for indemnification, contribution or reimbursement.

15. Any limitation of liability provision in the Engagement Letter is of no force and effect with respect to the services approved under this Order.

16. In the event the Claims and Noticing Agent is unable to provide the services set out in this Order, the Claims and Noticing Agent will immediately notify the Clerk and Debtors' attorney and cause to have all original proofs of claim and computer information turned over to

another claims and noticing agent with the advice and consent of the Clerk and Debtors' attorney.

17. The Debtors may submit a separate retention application, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 327 and/or any applicable law, for work that is to be performed by the Claims and Noticing Agent but is not specifically authorized by this Order.

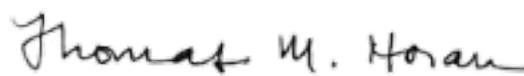
18. The Debtors and the Claims and Noticing Agent are authorized to take all actions necessary to effectuate the relief granted pursuant to this Order in accordance with the Application.

19. Notwithstanding any term in the Engagement Agreement to the contrary, the Court retains jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or related to the implementation of this Order.

20. The Claims and Noticing Agent shall not cease providing claims processing services during the case(s) for any reason, including nonpayment, without an order of the Court.

21. In the event of any inconsistency between the Engagement Agreement, the Application and the Order, the Order shall govern.

Dated: April 3rd, 2025
Wilmington, Delaware



THOMAS M. HORAN
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE