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14	IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
15	FOR THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS	
16	BANKRUPTCY DIVISION	
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18	In re	Case No. 1:24-bk-00002
		(Chapter 11)
19	IMPERIAL PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL (CNMI) LLC,	ORDER APPROVING FIRST
20	INTERNATIONAL (CNMI) ELC,	INTERIM FEE APPLICATION OF
21	Debtor.	CHOI & ITO AS DEBTOR'S
22		GENERAL BANKRUPTCY COUNSEL, FOR THE PERIOD APRIL
		18, 2024 to OCTOBER 31, 2024
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24		Hearing Date and Time: Date: December 13, 2024 (ChST)
25		Time: 9:00 a.m.
26		Judge: Hon. Robert J. Faris
		[Related to dkt ## 294, 311, 323]
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ORDER GRANTING FIRST INTERIM FEE APPLICATION OF CHOI & ITO, AAL AS DEBTOR'S GENERAL BANKRUPTCY COUNSEL FOR THE PERIOD APRIL 18, 2024, TO OCTOBER 31, 2024

The FIRST INTERIM FEE APPLICATION OF CHOI & ITO, AAL AS DEBTOR'S GENERAL BANKRUPTCY COUNSEL FOR THE PERIOD APRIL 18, 2024 TO OCTOBER 31, 2024 (the "Application") filed by Choi & Ito ("Applicant"), as counsel to IMPERIAL PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL (CNMI), LLC (the "Debtor"), on November 7, 2024, came on for a remote hearing before the Honorable Robert J. Faris on December 13, 2024 (ChST), pursuant to notice to creditors and interested parties. All appearances were noted on the record. The Court having considered the Application and supporting documents filed in support thereto, the Statement filed by the UST as docket #311, and Supplemental Declaration of Counsel filed as docket #323, and the statements of the parties, and having reviewed the records and files in this case, and having determined that due and sufficient notice of the Application was given, and good cause appearing therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1. The Application is approved and Applicant's fees (including General Excise Tax) in the amount of \$247,471.12, and expenses in the amount of \$2,182.93, for a total of \$249,654.05, for the period April 18, 2024, through October 31, 2024, are hereby approved on an <u>interim</u> basis.
- 2. After taking into account of \$103,770.84 previously received by Applicant from the Debtor, the Debtor is authorized to pay the Applicant the balance of \$145,883.21.

¹ Capitalized terms not herein defined shall have the meaning set forth in the Application.

3. The amounts awarded are hereunder subject to final review and approval under Section 330 of the Bankruptcy Code.

SO ORDERED.

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/s/ Robert J. Faris
United States Bankruptcy Judge
Dated: 01/02/2025