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MINUTES OF THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT (Deputy Clerk) FOR THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

December 5, 2025 9:00 a.m.

1:24-bk-00002 IN RE: IMPERIAL PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL (CNMI), LLC

PRESENT: HON. ROBERT J. FARIS, DESIGNATED JUDGE PRESIDING (vtc)

FRANCINE ATALIG, COURTROOM DEPUTY

CHARLES H. MCDONALD II, ATTORNEY FOR DEBTOR

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COMMITTEE OFFICIAL (vtc)

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VINCENT SEMAN, ATTORNEY FOR SAIPAN STEVEDORE AND OTHER CREDITORS COLIN THOMPSON. ATTORNEY FOR ARTMAN CORPORATION AND OTHER CREDITORS

PROCEEDINGS: APPLICATIONS FOR ALLOWANCE OF COMPENSATION AND REIMBURSEMENT EXPENSES

Court noted that the matter was before it on four pending fee applications.

Court first heard from Attorney Choi who argued in support of Choi & Ito's Second Application for Compensation, ECF No. [486]. Court **granted** the application on an interim basis, incorporating the voluntary reduction.

Attorney Ordubegian argued in support of ArentFox's Second Application for Compensation, ECF No. [485]. Court **granted** the application on an interim basis, incorporating the voluntary reduction.

Court then heard from Attorney McDonald who argued in support of McDonald Law Office's First Application for Compensation, ECF No. [487]. Court **granted** the application on an interim basis, incorporating the voluntary reduction.

Attorney Chambers argued in support of Chambers Law LLC's Second Application for Compensation, ECF No. [484]. Court **granted** the application on an interim basis.

Attorney Ordubegian apprised the Court that a notice of errata was filed by Intrepid, and the Committee intends to file a statement outlining the Committee's position.

Adjourned at 9:15 a.m.

/s/ Francine Atalia, Courtroom Deputy

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CERTIFICATE OF OFFICIAL COURT RECORDER

I, Francine Atalig, certify that I am a duly appointed Courtroom Deputy for the United States District Court for the Northern Mariana Islands, and I was present in the courtroom of this court on 12/05/2025. On this date during the regular course of my profession, I made electronic sound recording(s) of the proceedings, for the above-entitled case. I have played back the recording and certify that it is a true and correct record of the proceedings, that is sufficiently intelligible when played on the FTR Touch, that it can be transcribed without undue difficulty, and that I have filed the original recording with the Clerk of Court, as required by 28 U.S.C. § 753(b).