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IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re:	Chapter 11
Noble Supply & Logistics, LLC, *et al.*,	Case No. 26-11369 (CTG)
Debtors.[1]	(Jointly Administered)
	Re: Docket Nos. 10 and 178

FINAL ORDER (A) AUTHORIZING, BUT NOT DIRECTING, THE DEBTORS TO (I) PAY PREPETITION WAGES, COMPENSATION, EMPLOYEE BENEFITS, AND OTHER EMPLOYEE OBLIGATIONS, (II) CONTINUE CERTAIN EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PROGRAMS IN THE ORDINARY COURSE, (B) AUTHORIZING ALL BANKS TO HONOR PREPETITION CHECKS FOR PAYMENT OF PREPETITION EMPLOYEE OBLIGATIONS, AND (C) GRANTING RELATED RELIEF

Upon consideration of the motion (the "Motion")[2] of the above-captioned debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the "Debtors"), for entry of a final order (this "Final Order"), (i) authorizing, but not directing, the Debtors to (a) pay prepetition wages, compensation, employee benefits and other employee obligations, (b) continue certain employee benefit programs in the ordinary course, (ii) authorizing all banks to honor prepetition checks for payment of prepetition employee obligations, and (iii) granting other related relief, all as more fully set forth in the Motion; and upon consideration of the First Day Declaration; and the United States District Court for the District of Delaware having jurisdiction to consider this Motion under 28 U.S.C. §

[1] The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: Noble Supply & Logistics, LLC (7926); COTS Solutions, LLC (4477); Federal Resources Supply Company, LLC (3636); FRS Holdings, LLC (2327); K.D. Analytical Consulting, LLC (6637); KDA Acquisition, LLC (5870); Noble Defense Corporation (N/A); Noble Equity Holdings, LLC (0851); Noble.com, LLC (4712); Noble Mission Support, LLC (7908); and Tactical & Survival Specialties, LLC (2266). The location of the Debtors' principal place of business and the Debtors' service address in these chapter 11 cases is 1 Marina Park Drive, Suite 220, Boston, MA 02210.

[2] Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Motion.

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1334, which was referred to this Court under 28 U.S.C. § 157 and the *Amended Standing Order of Reference* from the United States District Court for the 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 found that this Court may 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 Motion 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 Motion 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 Motion and opportunity for a hearing on the Motion were appropriate under the circumstances and that no other notice need be provided; and this Court having reviewed the Motion 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 Motion 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. The Motion is **GRANTED** on a final basis as set forth herein.

2. The Debtors are authorized, but not directed, to pay and honor, in their discretion, the prepetition Employee Obligations in the ordinary course of business.

3. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Debtors shall not make any payments on account of prepetition Employee Obligations in excess of the limits provided for under sections 507(a)(4) or 507(a)(5) of the Bankruptcy Code, unless applicable state or foreign law requires payments upon termination of an Employee that, in combination with the other payments

authorized by this Final Order, would exceed the limits of sections 507(a)(4) and 507(a)(5) of the Bankruptcy Code.

4. The Debtors are authorized, but not directed, in their discretion, to honor and continue the Employee Programs that were in effect as of the Petition Date; *provided*, *however*, that such relief shall not constitute or be deemed an assumption or an authorization to assume any of such Employee Programs under section 365(a) of the Bankruptcy Code.

5. Nothing herein shall be deemed to authorize the payment of any amounts that would violate or implicate section 503(c) of the Bankruptcy Code.

6. The Debtors' bank and other financial institutions shall be and hereby are authorized to receive, process, honor and pay all prepetition and postpetition checks and fund transfers on account of the Employee Obligations that had not been honored and paid as of the Petition Date, up to the amounts authorized to be paid pursuant to this Final Order, provided that sufficient funds are on deposit in the applicable accounts to cover such payments. The Debtors shall be and hereby are authorized to issue new postpetition checks or effect new postpetition fund transfers on account of the Employee Obligations to replace any prepetition checks or fund transfer requests that may be dishonored or rejected.

7. Pursuant to section 362(d) of the Bankruptcy Code, the automatic stay is modified solely to the extent necessary to allow Employees to proceed with their claims under the Workers' Compensation Program in the appropriate judicial or administrative forum, and Employees are authorized to so proceed. The Debtors are authorized, but not directed, to continue the Workers' Compensation Program and pay all prepetition amounts relating thereto in the ordinary course of business. The modification of the automatic stay set forth in this paragraph pertains solely to claims under the Workers' Compensation Program.

8. The Debtors may pay any and all Withholdings, including social security, FICA, federal, state and foreign income taxes, garnishments, health care payments, retirement fund withholding and other types of withholding, whether these relate to the period prior to Petition Date or subsequent thereto.

9. The Debtors are authorized, but not directed, in their discretion, to pay all processing fees associated with, and all costs incident to, the foregoing, including, but not limited to, the Payroll Processor Fees.

10. Notwithstanding the relief granted in this Final Order and any actions taken pursuant to such relief, nothing in this Final Order shall be deemed: (a) an admission as to the validity of any prepetition claim against the Debtors; (b) a waiver of any party's right to dispute any prepetition claim on any grounds; (c) a promise or requirement to pay any prepetition claim; (d) an implication or admission that any particular claim is of a type specified or defined in this Final Order or the Motion; (e) a request or authorization to assume any prepetition agreement, contract, or lease pursuant to Bankruptcy Code section 365; or (f) a waiver of any party's rights under the Bankruptcy Code or any other applicable law.

11. Notwithstanding the relief granted in this Final Order, any payment made or to be made by the Debtors pursuant to the authority granted herein, and any relief or authorization granted herein, shall be subject to and in compliance with each interim and final order entered by the Court in respect of the Cash Collateral Motion (the "Cash Collateral Order") including compliance with the Approved Budget (as defined in the Cash Collateral Order) in connection therewith and any other terms and conditions thereof. Nothing herein is intended to modify, alter, or waive, in any way, any terms, provisions, requirements, or restrictions of the Cash Collateral Order. To the extent there is any inconsistency between the terms of the Cash Collateral Order

and the terms of this Final Order, or any action taken or proposed to be taken hereunder, the terms of the Cash Collateral Order and Approved Budget (as defined in the Cash Collateral Order) shall control.

12. In the event that the Debtors seek to impose any future retention or incentive programs for Employees in the ordinary course of business, the Debtors will give advanced notice to the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors (the "Committee"). Upon notice, the Committee will reserve the right to object to any such program.

13. All objections to entry of this Final Order, to the extent not withdrawn or settled, are overruled.

14. The Debtors are authorized to take all actions necessary to effectuate the relief granted in this Final Order in accordance with the Motion.

15. This Final Order shall be immediately effective and enforceable upon its entry. The 14-day stay imposed by Bankruptcy Rule 6004(h) is hereby waived.

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

Dated: September 26th, 2026
Wilmington, Delaware

CRAIG T. GOLDBLATT
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE