CANADA SUPERIOR COURT **PROVINCE OF QUÉBEC** (Commercial Division) DISTRICT OF MONTRÉAL (Sitting as a court designated pursuant to the Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act, RSC 1985, c. C-36) IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPROMISE OR No.: 500-11-061483-224 **ARRANGEMENT OF: XEBEC ADSORPTION INC.** -and-XEBEC RNG HOLDINGS INC. -and-APPLIED COMPRESSION SYSTEMS LTD. -and-COMPRESSED AIR INTERNATIONAL INC. -and-**XEBEC HOLDING USA INC.** -and-ENERPHASE INDUSTRIAL SOLUTIONS, INC. -and-CDA SYSTEMS, LLC -and-**XEBEC ADSORPTION USA INC.** -and-THE TITUS COMPANY -and-NORTEKBELAIR CORPORATION -and-**XBC FLOW SERVICES – WISCONSIN INC.** -and-CALIFORNIA COMPRESSION, LLC -and-**XEBEC SYSTEMS USA, LLC** 

**Debtors / Petitioners** 

### DELOITTE RESTRUCTURING INC.

Monitor

### APPLICATION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF AN AMENDED AND RESTATED INITIAL ORDER

(Sections 4, 9, 10, 11, 11.02, 11.03, 11.2, 11.51, 11.52, 11.7 and 23 of the *Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act*, RSC 1985, c C-36)

TO THE HONOURABLE JUSTICE CHRISTIAN IMMER OR TO ONE OF THE HONOURABLE JUSTICES OF THE SUPERIOR COURT, SITTING IN COMMERCIAL DIVISION, IN THE JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF MONTRÉAL, THE DEBTORS / PETITIONERS RESPECTFULLY SUBMIT AS FOLLOWS:

### I. INTRODUCTION AND BACKGROUND

- The Debtors / Petitioners Xebec Adsorption Inc., Xebec RNG Holdings Inc., Applied Compression Systems Ltd., Compressed Air International Inc., Xebec Holding USA Inc., Enerphase Industrial Solutions, Inc., California Compression, LLC, CDA Systems, LLC, Xebec Adsorption USA Inc., The Titus Company, Nortekbelair Corporation, Xebec Systems USA, LLC, XBC Flow Services – Wisconsin Inc. (collectively, the "Petitioners") form part of a global provider of sustainable gas solutions used in energy, mobility and industry applications, headquartered in Montréal, Québec (along with various overseas subsidiaries, the "Xebec Group").
- 2. On September 29, 2022, at the Petitioners' request, the Court issued a First Day Initial Order (the "FDIO") pursuant to the *Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act*, RSC 1985, c. C-36 ("CCAA") and a Bidding Procedures Order (the "Bidding Procedures Order" collectively with the FDIO, the "First Day Orders"), as appears from the Court record.
- 3. The FDIO, *inter alia*:
  - (a) appointed Deloitte Restructuring Inc. as monitor of the Petitioners' CCAA proceedings (the "**Monitor**");
  - (b) ordered a stay of proceedings in respect of the Petitioners and their directors and officers until October 7, 2022 (the "**Stay Period**");
  - (c) granted an Administration Charge and a D&O Charge (as such terms are defined in the FDIO);

- (d) authorized the Petitioners to pay, with the consent of the Monitor or the Court, any pre-filing unpaid claims of suppliers it deems critical, up to an aggregate amount of \$700,000; and
- (e) declared that Québec is the "center of main interest" of the Petitioners and, accordingly, authorized the Petitioners to apply, as they may consider necessary or desirable, to any other court, tribunal, regulatory, administrative or other body, wherever located, for orders to recognize and/or assist in carrying out the terms of the Initial Order and any subsequent Orders rendered by this Court in the context of these proceedings, including, without limitation, orders under Chapter 15 of the United States *Bankruptcy Code* 11 U.S.C. §§ 101-1532 (the "U.S. Bankruptcy Code").
- 4. The Bidding Procedures Order, *inter alia*:
  - (a) approved the proposed Sale and Investment Solicitation Process (the "SISP");
  - (b) approved the engagement of National Bank Financial Inc. ("**NBF**") to assist in the implementation of the SISP; and
  - (c) approved the Transaction Fee Charge (as defined in the Bidding Procedures Order).
- 5. On October 7, 2022, at the Petitioners' request, the Court issued an Order extending the Stay Period until October 20, 2022, as appears from the Court record.

### II. ORDER SOUGHT

- 6. By the present Application, the Petitioners are seeking the issuance of an amended and restated initial order (the "**ARIO**"), substantially in the form of the draft ARIO communicated herewith as **Exhibit P-1**:
  - (a) approving the DIP Facility (as defined below) to be provided to the Petitioners pursuant to a DIP Term Sheet (as defined below) dated as of October 20, 2022, negotiated between the Petitioners and NBC (as defined below, the "DIP Lender") pursuant to which, and subjet to the terms thereof, the DIP Lender agrees to provide interim financing to the Petitioners, and granting a DIP Charge (as defined below) in an amount sufficient to cover the potential exposure of the DIP Lender under the DIP Facility;
  - (b) approving the KERPs and the KERP Charge (as such terms are defined below);
  - (c) increasing the quantum of the Administration Charge and the D&O Charge (as such terms are defined in the FDIO) in amounts sufficient to cover the

potential exposure of the beneficiaries of such charges during these CCAA Proceedings;

- (d) extending the Stay Period until on or about November 28, 2022 (the "**Extension Date**"); and
- (e) granting other relevant relief sought herein by the Petitioners.

A comparison of draft ARIO (Exhibit P-1) and the FDIO is communicated herewith as **Exhibit P-1A**.

### III. STATUS OF RESTRUCTURING EFFORTS AND THE SISP

- 7. Since the Stay Period was extended on October 7, 2022, the Petitioners, under the supervision of the Monitor, have:
  - (a) continued to operate the Xebec Group in the ordinary course;
  - (b) worked to wind up operations of Xebec Italy SRL;
  - (c) communicated with the employees, customers and suppliers of the Xebec Group in order to maintain their operations and ensure a continued supply of goods;
  - (d) negotiated the DIP Term Sheet with the DIP Lender, as more fully described below;
  - (e) continued ongoing discussions with certain of their key customers with a view to of negotiating an adjustment of certain contractual terms to allow for the continued performance of the contracts and alleviate the pressure on the Petitioners' liquidity requirements through these CCAA proceedings;
  - (f) negotiated an extension of the forbearance agreement with NBC until November 28, 2022;
  - (g) continued the conduct of SISP with the assistance of NBF, as more fully described below; and
  - (h) worked on a revised and updated cash flow statement covering the period until the Extension Date, in consultation with the Monitor.
- 8. As of the date hereof, in accordance with the timeline set out in the bidding procedures (Schedule A to the Bidding Procedures Order), NBF has distributed a solicitation letter to approximately 477 potential targets, including potential investors and strategic acquirers.

- 9. 44 parties have executed nondisclosure agreements and have received access to the virtual data room and the confidential information memorandum.
- 10. 18 additional parties are in the process of negotiating nondisclosure agreements, and are expected to receive access to the virtual data room and the confidential information memorandum shortly.
- 11. Interested parties will have until November 11, 2022, to deliver non-binding letters of intent, the whole as further provided for in the Bidding Procedures Order.

### IV. RELIEF SOUGHT

### A. Approval of the DIP Facility

- 12. As was previously reported to the Court, following confirmation that certain key stakeholders were not prepared to proceed with an investment or transaction with the Petitioners, NBF was mandated to initiate a targeted solicitation process to identify parties interested in providing immediate superpriority interim funding to the Petitioners (the "**DIP Process**").
- 13. In the context of the DIP Process:
  - (a) 15 potential interim lenders were solicited, including existing stakeholders and alternative lenders;
  - (b) 8 potential interim lenders signed a confidentiality agreement giving them access to the virtual data room to advance their due diligence process.
- 14. Given the tight timelines and complex corporate structure and activities, all parties contacted by NBF, other than its secured lenders, National Bank of Canada ("**NBC**") and Export Development Canada, were not able to complete their diligence and internal processes in the timeline required by the Petitioners.
- 15. Following the DIP Process, subject to certain terms and conditions, NBC has agreed to continue to support the Petitioners through their restructuring efforts, with a view to maximizing recoveries for all stakeholders, including employees, customers and suppliers, and to provide the Petitioners with a debtor-in-possession facility (the "**DIP Facility**"). The related term sheet (the "**DIP Term Sheet**") will be filed, under seal, as **Exhibit P-2**, prior to the hearing on the present Application.
- 16. The DIP Facility includes the following commercial terms:
  - (a) Facility size: a revolving multiple draw credit facility up to a maximum principal amount of \$3,000,000, subject to the terms and conditions DIP Term Sheet; and
  - (b) Term: February 3, 2023.

- 17. The DIP Facility is proposed to be secured by a Court-ordered charge (the "**DIP Charge**") on all of the present and future assets, property and undertaking of the Petitioners up to a maximum amount of \$3,600,000. The DIP Charge will have priority over all other security interests, hypothecs, charges and liens, except the Administration Charge and the D&O Charge.
- 18. The DIP Lender has indicated that the DIP Charge is a key condition of the DIP Term Sheet, and that it is not prepared to provide interim financing to the Petitioners without the DIP Charge.
- 19. The DIP Facility will allow the Petitioners to generally continue operating their businesses during the conduct of the SISP, the whole for the benefit of all stakeholders.
- 20. Without interim financing, the Petitioners would have no alternative but to implement drastic cost-reducing measures to safeguard liquidity and continue the SISP. Such measures could include the lay-off of up to 60% of their North American workforce (which represents in excess of 200 employees) and the suspension of operations in multiple facilities.
- 21. The Petitioners believe that the consequential effects of such measures could greatly impair the outcome of the SISP and as a result, the value of their business and assets, to the detriment of their creditors and other stakeholders.
- 22. The Petitioners respectfully submit that it is in the interest of all stakeholders including its employees, suppliers and customers that the DIP Facility and related DIP Charge be approved by this Court.

### B. Approval of the KERP and the KERP Charge

- 23. As was previously reported to the Court, the contribution of certain employees is essential to the success of these CCAA proceedings. Therefore, with a view to securing their ongoing support, the Petitioners are seeking approval of a key employee retention plan, a key vice-president retention plan and a key executive incentive plan (collectively, the "KERPs"). Summaries of the KERPs are communicated herewith, *en liasse*, under seal, as **Exhibit P-3**.
- 24. The KERPs were developed by the Petitioners, with the oversight of the Monitor, to facilitate and encourage the continued participation of the executive, senior management and other key employees of the Petitioners who are required to guide the business through the restructuring and preserve value for all stakeholders.
- 25. The KERPs will provide participants with additional payments as an incentive to continue their employment through the CCAA proceedings. These employees have significant experience and specialized expertise that cannot be easily replicated or replaced. Further, these key employees will likely have other, more certain employment opportunities and will be faced with a significantly increased workload during the restructuring process.

Group	Approximate Number of Employees	Approximate Estimated Cost
Executives	4	550,000
VPs	5	356,000
Other Key Employees	6	174,000
Total	15	1,080,000

26. The KERPs are ventilated as follows:

- 27. In addition to the executives, the KERPs include employees in human resources, legal, finance, operations, supply chain, research and development, and product management groups of the Petitioners.
- 28. The KERP payments will be made in 3 instalments payable as follows: (i) 30 percent payable no later than two months following the filing date of these CCAA proceedings; (ii) 30 percent payable no later than four months following the filing date of these CCAA Proceedings; and (iii) 40 percent payable on the earlier of eight months following the filing date of these CCAA proceedings or a Successful Restructuring (as defined in the Summaries of the KERPs (Exhibit P-3)).
- 29. The total KERP payments range from 20 percent to 40 percent of the base salary of the relevant employees.
- 30. In addition, in order to secure the payment owed to the above-mentioned key employees in accordance with the KERPs, the Petitioners seek an order granting to such employees a superpriority charge on all of their present and future assets, property and undertakings, ranking ahead of all other secured and unsecured creditors up to a maximum amount of \$1,080,000 (the "**KERP Charge**").
- 31. Given the uncertainty surrounding the availability of interim financing and the resulting implications on the next steps of the restructuring, the Petitioners were unable to seek approval of the KERPs and of the KERP Charge in the context of previous applications before the Court.
- 32. The Petitioners submit that the approval of the KERPs and the KERP Charge are essential to the success of their restructuring efforts. Since the beginning of these CCAA proceedings, certain key employees have resigned to move on to new positions. The Petitioners are hopeful that the KERPs and the KERP Charge will help secure the ongoing support of their remaining key employees.

### C. Increase of the Quantum of the Administration Charge and the D&O Charge

33. The Petitioners seek the increase of the Administration Charge to a maximum amount of \$900,000 and the increase of the D&O Charge to a maximum amount of \$3,700,000.

- 34. The increase of the Administration Charge and of the D&O Charge is justified by the extension of the Stay Period sought herein and the resulting increased exposure for both the beneficiaries of these respective charges.
- 35. The Petitioners believe that the increased amounts of the Administration Charge and the D&O Charge are fair and reasonable in the circumstances, and are essential to the viability of the Petitioners' restructuring efforts.

### D. Extension of the Stay Period

- 36. Since the issuance of the First Day Orders, the Petitioners have acted, and continue to act in good faith and with due diligence.
- 37. The Stay Period currently expires on October 20, 2022.
- 38. It is respectfully submitted that the extension of the Stay Period to the Extension Date is required to provide the Petitioners with sufficient time to, *inter alia*:
  - (a) continue the conduct of the SISP, with the assistance of NBF and under the supervision of the Monitor;
  - (b) continue the discussions with its key customers; and
  - (c) obtain the recognition of the orders issued in these CCAA proceedings in the United States pursuant to Chapter 15 of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code.
- 39. The Petitioners have paid their suppliers, employees and other creditors for the sums due from the date of the First Day Orders in the ordinary course of business and intend to continue doing so.
- 40. The Petitioners' cash flow is sufficient to continue operations up to and until the Extension Date, as will appear from the Monitor's report to be filed with the Court on or about the date hereof.
- 41. No creditor will be unduly prejudiced by the extension sought.

### E. Other Relief

### Sealing of Confidential Documents

- 42. The Petitioners are seeking an order declaring that Exhibits P-2 and P-3 be kept strictly confidential and shall be filed under seal, considering that notably:
  - (a) Exhibit P-2 contains commercially sensitive information; and
  - (b) Exhibit P-3 contains sensitive personal information of the Petitioners' employees as well as commercially sensitive information.

### Execution Notwithstanding Appeal

43. The Petitioners respectfully submit that they are justified to seek provisional execution of the order to be rendered on the present Application notwithstanding appeal, considering that the relief sought herein is beneficial for their stakeholders, and a stay of execution thereof would be detrimental to the value of their assets and to the potential recovery of their respective creditors.

### V. CONCLUSION

- 44. For the reasons set forth above, the Petitioners believe that it is both appropriate and necessary that the relief being sought herein be granted. With such relief, the Petitioners will be able to continue their efforts to restructure their business and affairs and maximize value for the benefit of all stakeholders.
- 45. The Monitor, has informed the Petitioners that it supports the present Application.

### FOR THESE REASONS, MAY IT PLEASE THIS HONOURABLE COURT TO:

**GRANT** the present *Application for the Issuance of an Amended and Restated Initial Order* (the "**Application**");

**ISSUE** an order substantially in the form of the draft Amended and Restated Initial Order communicated in support of the Application as **Exhibit P-1**;

**ORDER** the provisional execution of the order to be rendered on the Application notwithstanding appeal and without security;

THE WHOLE WITHOUT COSTS, save in the event of contestation.

MONTRÉAL, October 18, 2022

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### AFFIDAVIT

I the undersigned, Dimitrios Vounassis, domiciled for the purpose hereof at 700-1130 Sherbrooke Street West, in the city and judicial district of Montréal, Québec, H3A 2M8, solemnly declare the following:

- 1. I am the President and CEO of Xebec Adsorption Inc. and a duly authorized representative of the Debtors / Petitioners for the purposes hereof.
- 2. I have taken cognizance of the attached *Application for the Issuance of an Amended and Restated Initial Order* (the "**Application**").
- 3. All of the facts alleged in the Application of which I have personal knowledge are true.
- 4. Where I the facts alleged in the Application have been obtained from others, I believe them to be true.

AND I HAVE SIGNED:

Dimitrios Vounassis

SOLEMNLY DECLARED BEFORE ME BY TECHNOLOGICAL MEANS IN MONTRÉAL, QUÉBEC, ON OCTOBER 18, 2022.

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Sylvie Nadeau Commissioner for Oaths for the Province of Québec

### NOTICE OF PRESENTATION COMMERCIAL DIVISION

### TO: SERVICE LIST (See attached)

### PRESENTATION OF THE PROCEEDING

**TAKE NOTICE** that the *Application for the Issuance of an Amended and Restated Initial Order* will be presented for adjudication before the Commercial Division of the Superior Court of Québec, in room 16.07, of the Montréal Courthouse, at the virtual calling of the roll on **October 20, 2022, at 9:30 am**.

### HOW TO CONNECT TO THE VIRTUAL ROLL CALL

The coordinates for you to join the virtual calling of the roll in room 16.07 are as follows:

**By Teams:** by clicking on the link available at <u>http://www.tribunaux.qc.ca</u>: ("*Liens TEAMS pour rejoindre les salles du Palais de justice*")

You must fill in your name and click on «Join now» (« *Rejoindre maintenant* »). To facilitate the process, we invite you to fill in your name as follows:

Lawyers: Me First name, Last name (Name of the party you represent)

Trustees: First name, Last name (Trustee)

Superintendent: First name, Last name (Superintendent)

Parties not represented by a lawyer: First name, Last name (specify: Plaintiff, Defendant, Petitioner, Respondent, Creditor, Opponent or Other)

For individuals attending a public hearing: the mention can be limited to: (public)

### By telephone:

Canada, Québec (Charges may apply): +1 581-319-2194

Canada (Toll-free number): (833) 450-1741

Conference ID: 820 742 874#

#### By VTC videoconference: <a href="mailto:teams@teams.justice.gouv.qc.ca">teams@teams.justice.gouv.qc.ca</a>

Videoconference ID: 11973653703

**In person:** If and only if you do not have access to one of the above-mentioned technological means of connecting, you may then attend in room 16.10 of the Montréal Courthouse located at: 1, Notre-Dame Street East, Montréal, Québec.

### DEFAULT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE VIRTUAL CALLING OF THE ROLL

**TAKE NOTICE** that if you wish to contest the proceeding, you must inform the initiator of the said proceeding in writing at the coordinates mentioned in the present Notice of Presentation at least 48 hours before the date of presentation and participate at the virtual calling of the roll, failing which, judgment may be rendered during the presentation of the proceeding, without further notice or delay.

### OBLIGATIONS

Cooperation

**TAKE NOTICE** that the parties are duty-bound to cooperate and, in particular, to keep one another informed at all times of the facts and particulars conducive to a fair debate and make sure that relevant evidence is preserved (s. 20, *Code of Civil Procedure*).

Dispute prevention and resolution processes

**TAKE NOTICE** that the parties must consider private prevention and resolution processes before referring their dispute to the courts, which are namely negotiation, mediation or arbitration, for which the parties call on a third party (*Code of Civil Procedure*, art. 2).

#### DO GOVERN YOURSELF ACCORDINGLY.

MONTRÉAL, October 18, 2022

Osler, Hoshin & Harcourt LLP

**Osler, Hoskin & Harcourt LLP** Attorneys for the Debtors / Petitioners

CANADA SUPERIOR COURT **PROVINCE OF QUÉBEC** (Commercial Division) DISTRICT OF MONTRÉAL (Sitting as a court designated pursuant to the Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act, RSC 1985, c. C-36) IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPROMISE OR No.: 500-11-061483-224 **ARRANGEMENT OF: XEBEC ADSORPTION INC.** -and-XEBEC RNG HOLDINGS INC. -and-APPLIED COMPRESSION SYSTEMS LTD. -and-COMPRESSED AIR INTERNATIONAL INC. -and-**XEBEC HOLDING USA INC.** -and-ENERPHASE INDUSTRIAL SOLUTIONS, INC. -and-CDA SYSTEMS, LLC -and-**XEBEC ADSORPTION USA INC.** -and-THE TITUS COMPANY -and-NORTEKBELAIR CORPORATION -and-**XBC FLOW SERVICES – WISCONSIN INC.** -and-CALIFORNIA COMPRESSION, LLC -and-**XEBEC SYSTEMS USA, LLC** 

**Debtors / Petitioners** 

-and-

### DELOITTE RESTRUCTURING INC.

Monitor

### LIST OF EXHIBITS

- P-1: Draft Amended and Restated Initial Order
- P-1A: Comparison of draft ARIO and the FDIO
- P-2: DIP Term Sheet, under seal
- P-3: Summaries of the KERPs, *en liasse*, under seal

MONTRÉAL, October 18, 2022

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# Exhibit P-1

## Draft Amended and Restated Initial Order

### **SUPERIOR COURT**

(Commercial Division)

CANADA PROVINCE OF QUÉBEC DISTRICT OF MONTRÉAL

No.: 500-11-061483-224

DATE: October 20, 2022

**BEFORE THE HONOURABLE CHRISTIAN IMMER, J.S.C.** 

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPROMISE OR ARRANGEMENT OF:

XEBEC ADSORPTION INC. XEBEC RNG HOLDINGS INC. APPLIED COMPRESSION SYSTEMS LTD. COMPRESSED AIR INTERNATIONAL INC. XEBEC HOLDING USA INC. ENERPHASE INDUSTRIAL SOLUTIONS, INC. CDA SYSTEMS, LLC XEBEC ADSORPTION USA INC. THE TITUS COMPANY NORTEKBELAIR CORPORATION XBC FLOW SERVICES – WISCONSIN INC. CALIFORNIA COMPRESSION, LLC XEBEC SYSTEMS USA, LLC Debtors / Petitioners

and

### DELOITTE RESTRUCTURING INC.

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### AMENDED AND RESTATED INITIAL ORDER

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- [1] **CONSIDERING** the Application for the Issuance of an Amended and Restated Initial Order (the "**Application**") pursuant to the Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act, RSC 1985, c C-36, as amended ("**CCAA**") and the exhibits and the affidavit of Mr. Dimitrios Vounassis, filed in support thereof;
- [2] **CONSIDERING** the Application for the Issuance of a First Day Initial Order, a Deemed Extension of the Stay Period and a Bidding Procedures Order (the "Initial Application") pursuant to the CCAA;
- [3] **CONSIDERING** the Third Report of the Monitor dated October 19, 2022;
- [4] **CONSIDERING** the submissions of counsel and the testimony of the witnesses heard;
- [5] **GIVEN** the provisions of the CCAA;
- [6] **GIVEN** that Montréal, Québec, Canada is the centre of main interest of the Petitioners.

### THE COURT HEREBY:

- [7] **GRANTS** the Application.
- [8] **ISSUES** an order pursuant to the CCAA (the "**Order**"), divided under the following headings:
  - (a) Service;
  - (b) Application of the CCAA;
  - (c) Effective Time;
  - (d) Administrative Consolidation;
  - (e) Plan of Arrangement;
  - (f) Stay of Proceedings against the Petitioners and the Property;
  - (g) Stay of Proceedings against the Directors and Officers;
  - (h) Possession of Property and Operations;
  - (i) No Exercise of Rights or Remedies;

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- (j) No Interference with Rights;
- (k) Continuation of Services;
- (I) Non-Derogation of Rights;
- (m) Interim Financing (DIP);
- (n) Directors' and Officers' Indemnification and Charge;
- (o) Restructuring;
- (p) Powers of the Monitor;
- (q) KERPs and KERP Charge;
- (r) Priorities and General Provisions Relating to CCAA Charges;
- (s) Hearing Scheduling and Details;
- (t) General.

### a. Service

[9] **ORDERS** that any prior delay for the presentation of the Application is hereby abridged and validated so that the Application is properly returnable today and hereby dispenses with further service thereof.

### b. Application of the CCAA

[10] **DECLARES** that the Petitioners are debtor companies to which the CCAA applies.

### c. Effective Time

[11] **DECLARES** that this Order and all of its provisions are effective as of 12:01 a.m. Montréal time, Province of Québec, on September 29, 2022 (the "**Effective Time**").

### d. Administrative Consolidation

- [12] **ORDERS** the consolidation of these CCAA proceedings of the Petitioners under one single Court file, in file number 500-11-061483-224.
- [13] **ORDERS** that all existing and future proceedings, filings, and other matters (including, without limitation, all applications, reports and cash flows) in the CCAA Proceedings henceforth be filed jointly and together by the Petitioners, and the Monitor, as applicable, under file number 500-11-061483-224.

[14] **DECLARES** that the consolidation of these CCAA proceedings in respect of the Petitioners shall be for administrative purposes only and shall not effect a consolidation of the assets and property or of the debts and obligations of each of the Petitioners including, without limitation, for the purposes of any plan of compromise or arrangement (a "**Plan**") that may be hereafter proposed.

### e. Plan of Arrangement

[15] **DECLARES** that the Petitioners shall have the authority to file with this Court and to submit to their creditors one or more Plans in accordance with the CCAA.

### f. Stay of Proceedings against the Petitioners and the Property

- [16] **ORDERS** that, until and including November 28, 2022 (the "**Stay Period**"), no proceeding or enforcement process in any court or tribunal (each, a "**Proceeding**") shall be commenced or continued against or in respect of the Petitioners, or affecting the Petitioners' business operations and activities (the "**Business**") or the Property (as defined herein), including as provided in paragraph [25] herein except with leave of this Court. Any and all Proceedings currently under way against or in respect of the Petitioners or affecting the Business or the Property are hereby stayed and suspended pending further order of this Court, the whole subject to subsection 11.1 CCAA.
- [17] **ORDERS** that the rights of His Majesty in right of Canada and His Majesty in right of a Province are suspended in accordance with the terms and conditions of subsection 11.09 CCAA.
- [18] **ORDERS** and **DECLARES** that the National Bank of Canada ("**NBC**") is an unaffected creditor in these CCAA proceedings and is not subject to the stay of proceedings, including the Stay Period and any renewal or extension thereof, or any other limitations of creditors' right or recourses under this Order. Nothing in this Order shall prevent NBC from enforcing its security against the Petitioners' Property in conformity with its contractual rights, subject only to NBC providing advance notice of its intention to do so.

### g. Stay of Proceedings against Directors and Officers

[19] **ORDERS** that during the Stay Period and except as permitted under subsection 11.03(2) of the CCAA, no Proceeding may be commenced, or continued against any former, present or future director or officer of the Petitioners nor against any person deemed to be a director or an officer of any of the Petitioners under subsection 11.03(3) CCAA (each, a "**Director**", and collectively the "**Directors**") in respect of any claim against such Director which arose prior to the Effective Time and which relates to any obligation of the Petitioners where it is alleged that any of

the Directors is under any law liable in such capacity for the payment of such obligation.

### h. Possession of Property and Operations

- [20] **ORDERS** that the Petitioners shall remain in possession and control of their present and future assets, rights, undertakings and properties of every nature and kind whatsoever, and wherever situated, including all proceeds thereof (collectively the "**Property**"), the whole in accordance with the terms and conditions of this order including, but not limited, to paragraph [43] hereof.
- [21] **ORDERS** that the Petitioners shall be entitled, but not required to pay the following expenses with the prior consent of the Monitor or further order of the Court, as the case may be, whether incurred prior to or after this Order:
  - (a) outstanding and future wages, salaries, expenses and, benefits payable prior to or after the date of this Order, in each case incurred in the ordinary course of business and consistent with existing compensation policies and arrangements;
  - (b) the fees and disbursements of any counsel, advisors and agents retained or employed by the Petitioners directly related to these proceedings, at their standard rates and charges; and
  - (c) amounts owing for goods or services actually supplied to the Petitioners prior to the date of this Order by third party suppliers up to a maximum aggregate amount of \$700,000, if, in the opinion of the Petitioners and of the Monitor, the supplier is critical to the business and ongoing operations of the Petitioners.
- [22] **ORDERS** that except as otherwise provided to the contrary herein, the Petitioners shall be entitled to pay all reasonable expenses incurred by the Petitioners in carrying on the Business in the ordinary course after this Order, and in carrying out the provisions of this Order, which expenses shall include, without limitation:
  - (a) all expenses and capital expenditures reasonably necessary for the preservation of the Property or the Business; and
  - (b) payment for goods or services actually supplied to the Petitioners following the date of this Order.
- [23] **ORDERS** that the Petitioners shall remit, in accordance with legal requirements, or pay:

- (a) any statutory deemed trust amounts in favour of the Crown in right of Canada or of any Province thereof or any other taxation authority which are required to be deducted from employees' wages, including, without limitation, amounts in respect of (i) employment insurance, (ii) Canada Pension Plan, (iii) Québec Pension Plan, and (iv) income taxes; and
- (b) all goods and services, harmonized sales or other applicable sales taxes (collectively, "**Sales Taxes**") required to be remitted by the Petitioners and in connection with the sale of goods and services by the Petitioners but only where such Sales Taxes are accrued or collected after the date of this Order.
- [24] **ORDERS** that, subject to the consent of the Monitor, each of the Petitioners is authorized to complete outstanding transactions and engage in new transactions with other Petitioners or their parent or affiliated companies (collectively, "**Intercompany Transactions**"), and to continue, on and after the date of this Order, to effect Intercompany Transactions in the ordinary course of the Business. All ordinary course Intercompany Transactions among the Petitioners shall continue on terms consistent with existing arrangements or past practice, subject to such changes thereto, or to such governing principles, policies or procedures as the Monitor may require, or subject to this Order or further Order of this Court.

### i. No Exercise of Rights or Remedies

- [25] **ORDERS** that during the Stay Period, and subject to, *inter alia*, subsection 11.1 CCAA, all rights and remedies, including, but not limited to modifications of existing rights and events deemed to occur pursuant to any agreement to which any of the Petitioners is a party as a result of the insolvency of the Petitioners and/or these CCAA proceedings, any events of default or non-performance by the Petitioners or any admissions or evidence in these CCAA proceedings, of any individual, natural person, firm, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust, joint venture, association, organization, governmental body or agency, or any other entity (all of the foregoing, collectively being "**Persons**" and each being a "**Person**") against or in respect of the Petitioner, or affecting the Business, the Property or any part thereof are hereby stayed and suspended except with leave of this Court.
- [26] **DECLARES** that, to the extent any rights, obligations, or prescription, time or limitation periods including, without limitation, to file grievances relating to the Petitioners or any of the Property or the Business may expire (other than pursuant to the terms of any contracts, agreements or arrangements of any nature whatsoever), the term of such rights, obligations, or prescription, time or limitation periods shall hereby be deemed to be extended by a period equal to the Stay Period. Without limitation to the foregoing, in the event that the Petitioners, or any

of them, become(s) bankrupt or a receiver as defined in subsection 243(2) of the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act*, R.S.C. 1985, c. B-3 (the "**BIA**") is appointed in respect of the Petitioners, the period between the date of the Order and the day on which the Stay Period ends shall not be calculated in respect of the Petitioners in determining the 30 day periods referred to in Sections 81.1 and 81.2 of the BIA.

### j. No Interference with Rights

[27] **ORDERS** that during the Stay Period, no Person shall discontinue, fail to honour, fail to renew (when contractually provided), alter, interfere with, repudiate, resiliate, terminate or cease to perform any right, renewal right, contract, agreement, licence or permit in favour of or held by the Petitioners except with the written consent of the Petitioners and the Monitor, or with leave of this Court.

### k. Continuation of Services

- [28] **ORDERS** that during the Stay Period and subject to paragraphs [29] and [30] hereof and subsection 11.01 CCAA, all Persons having verbal or written agreements with the Petitioners or statutory or regulatory mandates for the supply of goods or services, including without limitation all computer software, communication and other data services, centralized banking services, payroll services, insurance, transportation, utility or other goods or services made available to the Petitioners, are hereby restrained until further order of this Court from discontinuing, altering, failing to renew (when contractually provided), interfering with or terminating the supply or, as the case may be, interrupting, delaying or stopping the transit of such goods or services as may be required by the Petitioners, and that the Petitioners shall be entitled to the continued use of their current premises, telephone numbers, facsimile numbers, internet addresses, domain names or other services, provided in each case that the normal prices or charges for all such goods or services received after the date of this Order are paid by the Petitioners, without having to provide any security deposit or any other security, in accordance with normal payment practices of the Petitioners or such other practices as may be agreed upon by the supplier or service provider and the Petitioners, as applicable, with the consent of the Monitor, or as may be ordered by this Court.
- [29] **ORDERS** that, notwithstanding anything else contained herein and subject to subsection 11.01 CCAA, no Person shall be prohibited from requiring immediate payment for goods, services, use of leased or licensed property or other valuable consideration provided to the Petitioners on or after the date of this Order, nor shall any Person be under any obligation on or after the date of this Order to make further advance of money or otherwise extend any credit to the Petitioners.

[30] **ORDERS** that, without limiting the generality of the foregoing and subject to Section 21 of the CCAA, if applicable, cash or cash equivalents placed on deposit by any Petitioners with any Person during the Stay Period, whether in an operating account or otherwise for itself or for another entity, shall not be applied by such Person in reduction or repayment of amounts owing to such Person as of the date of this Order or due on or before the expiry of the Stay Period or in satisfaction of any interest or charges accruing in respect thereof; however, this provision shall not prevent any financial institution from: (i) reimbursing itself for the amount of any cheques drawn by a Petitioner and properly honoured by such institution, or (ii) holding the amount of any cheques or other instruments deposited into a Petitioner's account until those cheques or other instruments have been honoured by the financial institution on which they have been drawn.

### I. Non-Derogation of Rights

[31] **ORDERS** that, notwithstanding the foregoing, any Person who provided any kind of letter of credit, guarantee or bond (the "**Issuing Party**") at the request of the Petitioners shall be required to continue honouring any and all such letters, guarantees and bonds, issued on or before the date of this Order, provided that all conditions under such letters, guarantees and bonds are met save and except for defaults resulting from this Order; however, the Issuing Party shall be entitled, where applicable, to retain the bills of lading or shipping or other documents relating thereto until paid.

### m. Interim Financing (DIP)

- [32] **ORDERS** that the Petitioners be and are hereby authorized to borrow from NBC (the "Interim Lender") such amounts from time to time as the Petitioners may consider necessary or desirable, up to an aggregate principal amount not exceeding \$3,000,000 outstanding at any time, on the terms and conditions as set forth in the Interim Financing Term Sheet filed under seal as Exhibit P-2 in support of the Application (the "DIP Term Sheet") and in the Interim Financing Documents (as defined hereinafter), to fund the ongoing expenditures of Petitioners and to pay such other amounts as are permitted by the terms of this Order and the Interim Financing Documents (as defined hereinafter) (the "DIP Facility").
- [33] **ORDERS** that the Petitioners are hereby authorized to execute and deliver the DIP Term Sheet and other security documents and ancillary documents as may be required by the Interim Lender in connection with the DIP Facility and the DIP Term Sheet (collectively, the "Interim Financing Documents"), with such non-material alterations, changes, amendments, deletions or additions thereto as may be agreed to with the Interim Lender, but only with the consent of the Monitor, and the Petitioners are hereby authorized to perform all of its obligations under the DIP Term Sheet and the Interim Financing Documents.

- [34] **ORDERS** that Petitioners shall pay to the Interim Lender, when due, all amounts owing (including principal, interest, fees and expenses, including without limitation, all fees and disbursements of counsel and all other reasonably required advisors to or agents of the Interim Lender on a full indemnity basis (the "Interim Lender Expenses")) under the DIP Term Sheet and the Interim Financing Documents and shall perform all of their other obligations owed to the Interim Lender pursuant to the DIP Term Sheet, the Interim Financing Documents and the Order.
- [35] **DECLARES** that all of the Property of Petitioners is hereby subject to a charge and security for an aggregate amount of \$3,600,000 (the "**DIP Charge**") in favour of the Interim Lender as security for all obligations of the Petitioners to the Interim Lender with respect to the payment of the DIP Facility (including principal, interest and the Interim Lender Expenses) owing to the Interim Lender under or in connection with the DIP Term Sheet and the Interim Financing Documents. Such Interim Lender Charge shall subsist without necessity of any publication, registration, recording, filing or perfection and shall have the priority established by paragraphs [57] and [58] of this Order.
- [36] **ORDERS** that the claims of the Interim Lender pursuant to the Interim Financing Documents shall not be compromised or arranged pursuant to the Plan or these proceedings and the Interim Lender, in that capacity, shall be treated as unaffected creditors in these proceedings and in any Plan.
- [37] **ORDERS** that the Interim Lender may:
  - (a) notwithstanding any other provision of the Order, take such steps from time to time as it may deem necessary or appropriate to register, record or perfect the DIP Charge and the Interim Financing Documents in all jurisdictions where it deems it is appropriate; and
  - (b) notwithstanding the terms of the paragraph to follow, refuse to make any advance to the Petitioners if the Petitioners fail to meet the provisions of the DIP Term Sheet and the Interim Financing Documents.
- [38] **ORDERS** that the Interim Lender shall not take any enforcement steps under the DIP Term Sheet, the Interim Financing Documents or the DIP Charge without providing at least 3 business days written notice (the "**Notice Period**") of a default thereunder to the Petitioners, the Monitor and to creditors whose rights are registered or published at the appropriate registers or requesting a copy of such notice. Upon expiry of such Notice Period, the Interim Lender shall be entitled to take any and all steps, the DIP Term Sheet, the Interim Financing Documents, the DIP Charge and otherwise permitted at law, but without having to send any additional demands under Section 244 of the BIA, under the Civil Code of Quebec or any other similar legislation.

[39] **ORDERS** that, subject to further order of this Court and notwithstanding paragraph [64] of this Order, no order shall be made varying, rescinding, or otherwise affecting paragraphs [32] to [39] of this Order unless either (a) notice of a motion for such order is served on the Interim Lender by the moving party within at least seven (7) days prior to the presentation thereof or (b) the Interim Lender applies for or consents to such order.

### n. Directors' and Officers' Indemnification and Charge

- [40] **ORDERS** that the Petitioners shall indemnify their Directors from all claims relating to any obligations or liabilities they may incur and which have accrued by reason of or in relation to their respective capacities as directors or officers of the Petitioners after the Effective Time, except where such obligations or liabilities were incurred as a result of such directors' or officers' gross negligence, wilful misconduct or gross or intentional fault as further detailed in Section 11.51 CCAA.
- [41] **ORDERS** that the Directors of the Petitioners shall be entitled to the benefit of and are hereby granted a charge and security in the Property, to the extent of the aggregate amount of \$3,700,000 (the "**D&O Charge**"), as security for the indemnity provided in paragraph [40] of this Order as it relates to obligations and liabilities that the Directors may incur in such capacity after the Effective Time. The D&O Charge shall have the priority set out in paragraphs [57] and [58] of this Order.
- [42] **ORDERS** that, notwithstanding any language in any applicable insurance policy to the contrary, (a) no insurer shall be entitled to be subrogated to or claim the benefit of the D&O Charge, and (b) the Directors shall only be entitled to the benefit of the D&O Charge to the extent that they do not have coverage under any directors' and officers' insurance policy, or to the extent that such coverage is insufficient to pay amounts for which the Directors are entitled to be indemnified in accordance with paragraph [40] of this Order.

### o. Restructuring

- [43] **DECLARES** that, to facilitate the orderly restructuring of their business and financial affairs (the "**Restructuring**") but subject to such requirements as are imposed by the CCAA, the Petitioners, subject to prior approval of the Monitor or further order of the Court, as the case may be, shall have the right to:
  - (a) permanently or temporarily cease, downsize or shut down any of their operations or locations as they deem appropriate;
  - (b) pursue all avenues to finance or refinance, market, convey, transfer, assign or in any other manner dispose of the Business or Property, in whole or part,

subject to further order of the Court and sections 11.3 and 36 CCAA, and under reserve of subparagraph (c);

- (c) convey, transfer, assign, lease, or in any other manner dispose of the Property, outside of the ordinary course of business, in whole or in part, provided that the price in each case does not exceed \$750,000 or \$1,500,000 in the aggregate;
- (d) terminate the employment of such of their employees or temporarily or permanently lay off such of their employees as they deem appropriate and, to the extent any amounts in lieu of notice, termination or severance pay or other amounts in respect thereof are not paid in the ordinary course, make provision, on such terms as may be agreed upon between the Petitioners and such employee, or failing such agreement, make provision to deal with, any consequences thereof in a Plan, as the Petitioners may determine;
- (e) subject to the provisions of section 32 CCAA, disclaim or resiliate, any of their agreements, contracts or arrangements of any nature whatsoever, with such disclaimers or resiliation to be on such terms as may be agreed between the relevant Petitioner, as applicable, and the relevant party, or failing such agreement, to make provision for the consequences thereof in a Plan; and
- (f) subject to section 11.3 CCAA, assign any rights and obligations of Petitioners.
- [44] **DECLARES** that, in order to facilitate the Restructuring, the Petitioners may, subject to the approval of the Monitor, or further order of the Court, settle claims of customers and suppliers that are in dispute.
- [45] **DECLARES** that, pursuant to sub-paragraph 7(3)(c) of the *Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act*, SC 2000, C 5, and equivalent provisions of the *Act Respecting the Protection of Personal Information in the Private Sector*, RSQ, c P-39.1, the Petitioners are permitted, in the course of these proceedings, to disclose personal information of identifiable individuals in their possession or control to stakeholders or prospective investors, financiers, buyers or strategic partners and to their advisers (individually, a "**Third Party**"), but only to the extent desirable or required to negotiate and complete the Restructuring or the preparation and implementation of a Plan or a transaction for that purpose, provided that the Persons to whom such personal information is disclosed enter into confidentiality agreements with the Petitioners binding them to maintain and protect the privacy of such information and to limit the use of such information to the extent necessary to complete the transaction or Restructuring then under negotiation. Upon the completion of the use of personal information for the limited

purpose set out herein, the personal information shall be returned to the Petitioners or destroyed. In the event that a Third Party acquires personal information as part of the Restructuring or the preparation or implementation of a Plan or a transaction in furtherance thereof, such Third Party may continue to use the personal information in a manner which is in all respects identical to the prior use thereof by the Petitioners.

### p. Powers of the Monitor & Administration Charge

- [46] **ORDERS** that *Deloitte Restructuring Inc.* is hereby appointed to monitor the business and financial affairs of the Petitioners as an officer of this Court (the "**Monitor**") and that the Monitor, in addition to the prescribed powers and obligations, referred to in Section 23 of the CCAA:
  - (a) shall, without delay, (i) publish once a week for two (2) consecutive weeks, in La Presse (French version) and the Globe and Mail National Edition (English version) and (ii) within four (4) business days after the date of this Order (A) post on the Monitor's website a notice containing the information prescribed under the CCAA, (B) make this Order publicly available in the manner prescribed under the CCAA, (C) send, in the prescribed manner, a notice to all known creditors having a claim against the Petitioners of more than \$1,000, advising them that this Order is publicly available, and (D) prepare a list showing the names and addresses of such creditors and the estimated amounts of their respective claims, and make it publicly available in the prescribed manner, all in accordance with Section 23(1)(a) of the CCAA and the regulations made thereunder;
  - (b) shall monitor the Petitioners' receipts and disbursements;
  - (c) shall assist the Petitioners, to the extent required by the Petitioners, in dealing with their creditors and other interested Persons during the Stay Period;
  - (d) shall assist the Petitioners, to the extent required by the Petitioners, with the preparation of their cash flow projections and any other projections or reports and the development, negotiation and implementation of the Plan;
  - (e) shall advise and assist the Petitioners, to the extent required by the Petitioners, to review the Petitioners' business and assess opportunities for cost reduction, revenue enhancement and operating efficiencies;
  - (f) shall assist the Petitioners, to the extent required by the Petitioners, with the Restructuring and in their negotiations with their creditors and other

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interested Persons and with the holding and administering of any meetings held to consider a Plan;

- (g) shall report to the Court on the state of the business and financial affairs of the Petitioners or developments in these proceedings or any related proceedings within the time limits set forth in the CCAA and at such time as considered appropriate by the Monitor or as the Court may order and may file consolidated reports for the Petitioners;
- (h) shall report to this Court and interested parties, including but not limited to creditors affected by a Plan, with respect to the Monitor's assessment of, and recommendations with respect to, a Plan;
- may retain and employ such agents, advisers and other assistants as are reasonably necessary for the purpose of carrying out the terms of this Order, including, without limitation, one or more entities related to or affiliated with the Monitor;
- may engage legal counsel to the extent the Monitor considers necessary in connection with the exercise of its powers or the discharge of its obligations in these proceedings and any related proceeding, under this Order or under the CCAA;
- (k) may give any consent or approval as may be contemplated by this Order or the CCAA;
- may hold and administer funds in connection with arrangements made among the Petitioners, any counter-parties and the Monitor, or by Order of this Court; and
- (m) may perform such other duties as are required by this Order or the CCAA or by this Court from time to time.

Unless expressly authorized to do so by this Court, the Monitor shall not otherwise interfere with the business and financial affairs carried on by the Petitioners, and the Monitor is not empowered to take possession of the Property nor to manage any of the business and financial affairs of the Petitioners.

[47] **ORDERS** that the Petitioners and their current and former shareholders, Directors, agents and representatives shall fully cooperate with the Monitor in the exercise of its powers and discharge of its duties, rights and obligations as provided and set out in this Order.

- [48] **ORDERS** that, without limiting the generality of anything herein, the Petitioners and their Directors, officers, employees and agents, accountants, auditors and all other Persons having notice of this Order shall forthwith provide the Monitor with unrestricted access to all of the Business and Property, including, without limitation, the premises, books, records, data, including data in electronic form, and all other documents of the Petitioners in connection with the Monitor's duties and responsibilities hereunder.
- [49] **DECLARES** that the Monitor may provide creditors and other relevant stakeholders of the Petitioners with information in response to requests made by them in writing addressed to the Monitor and copied to the Petitioners' counsel. In the case of information that the Monitor has been advised by the Petitioners is confidential, proprietary or competitive, the Monitor shall not provide such information to any Person without the consent of the Petitioners unless otherwise directed by this Court.
- [50] **DECLARES** that if the Monitor, in its capacity as Monitor, carries on the business of the Petitioners or continues the employment of the Petitioners' employees, the Monitor shall benefit from the provisions of section 11.8 of the CCAA.
- [51] **DECLARES** that Section 215 of the BIA applies *mutatis mutandis* and that no action or other proceedings shall be commenced against the Monitor or its representatives relating to its appointment, its conduct as Monitor or the carrying out of the provisions of any order of this Court, except with prior leave of this Court, on at least seven (7) days' notice to the Monitor and its counsel. The entities related to or affiliated with the Monitor and their representatives shall also be entitled to the protection, benefits and privileges afforded to the Monitor pursuant to this paragraph.
- [52] **DECLARES** that the powers of the Monitor shall be exercised pursuant to its sole discretion and judgment.
- [53] **ORDERS** that the Petitioners shall pay the reasonable fees and disbursements of the Monitor, the Monitor's legal counsel, the Petitioners' legal counsel and other advisers, directly related to these proceedings, the Plan and the Restructuring, whether incurred before or after the Order, and shall provide each with a reasonable retainer in advance on account of such fees and disbursements, if so requested.
- [54] **DECLARES** that the Monitor, the Monitor's legal counsel, the Petitioners' legal counsel, as security for the professional fees and disbursements incurred both before and after the making of this Order and directly related to these proceedings, any Plan and the Restructuring, as well as National Bank Financial Inc. ("**NBF**"), as security for the Engagement Fee and the Fairness Opinion Fee (as such terms

are defined in the engagement letter filed as Exhibit P-3 in support of the Initial Application, the "**Engagement Letter**") and all disbursements incurred by NBF pursuant to the Engagement Letter, be entitled to the benefit of and are hereby granted a charge and security in the Property, to the extent of the aggregate amount of \$900,000 (the "**Administration Charge**"), having the priority established by paragraphs [57] and [58] of this Order.

### q. KERPs and KERP Charge

- [55] **ORDERS** that the key employee retention plan, key vice-president retention plan and the key executive incentive plan (collectively, the "**KERPs**") described in the Application and summarized in the document filed under seal as Exhibit P-3 to the Application are hereby approved, and the Petitioners are hereby authorized and empowered to perform their obligations set forth thereunder, including by making the payments in accordance with the terms set out therein.
- [56] ORDERS that the employees designated in the KERPs shall be entitled to the benefit of and are hereby granted a charge and security in the on the Property, to the extent of the aggregate amount of \$1,080,000 (the "KERP Charge"), having the priority established by paragraphs [57] and [58] of this Order.

### r. Priorities and General Provisions Relating to CCAA Charges

- [57] **DECLARES** that the priorities of the Administration Charge and the D&O Charge (collectively, the "**CCAA Charges**"), as between them with respect to any Property to which they apply, shall be as follows:
  - (a) first, the Administration Charge;
  - (b) second, the D&O Charge;
  - (c) third, the DIP Charge;
  - (d) fourth, the Transaction Charge (as defined in the Bidding Procedures Order dated September 29, 2022);
  - (e) fifth, the KERP Charge.
- [58] **DECLARES** that each of the CCAA Charges shall rank in priority to any and all other hypothecs, mortgages, liens, security interests, priorities, charges, options, encumbrances or security of whatever nature or kind (collectively, the "**Encumbrances**") affecting the Property whether or not charged by such Encumbrances, save that, as regards the Transaction Charge and the KERP Charge only, the question with respect to its priority ranking as regards any

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amounts owing by the Petitioners pursuant to paragraph [23](a) of this Order shall be determined by the Court at a later date and time.

- [59] **ORDERS** that, except as otherwise expressly provided for herein, the Petitioners shall not grant any Encumbrances in or against any Property that rank in priority to, or *pari passu* with, any of the CCAA Charges unless the Petitioner, as applicable, obtains the prior written consent of the Monitor and the prior approval of the Court.
- [60] **DECLARES** that each of the CCAA Charges shall attach, as of the Effective Time, to all present and future Property of the Petitioners, notwithstanding any requirement for the consent of any party to any such charge or to comply with any condition precedent.
- [61] **DECLARES** that the CCAA Charges and the rights and remedies of the beneficiaries of the CCAA Charges, as applicable, shall be valid and enforceable and not otherwise be limited or impaired in any way by (i) these proceedings and the declarations of insolvency made herein; (ii) any application(s) for bankruptcy or receivership order(s) filed pursuant to BIA, or any bankruptcy or receivership order made pursuant to such applications or any assignments in bankruptcy made or deemed to be made in respect of any Petitioner; or (iii) any negative covenants, prohibitions or other similar provisions with respect to borrowings, incurring debt or the creation of Encumbrances, contained in any agreement, lease, sub-lease or other arrangement which binds the Petitioners (a "**Third Party Agreement**"), and notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in any Third Party Agreement:
  - (a) the creation of any of the CCAA Charges shall not create nor be deemed to constitute a breach by the Petitioners of any Third Party Agreement to which any of the Petitioners is a party; and
  - (b) the beneficiaries of the CCAA Charges shall not have any liability to any Person whatsoever as a result of any breach of any Third Party Agreement caused by or resulting from the creation of the CCAA Charges.
- [62] **DECLARES** that notwithstanding: (i) these proceedings and the declarations of insolvency made herein; (ii) any application(s) for bankruptcy or receivership order(s) filed pursuant to BIA, or any bankruptcy or receivership order made pursuant to such applications or any assignments in bankruptcy made or deemed to be made in respect of any Petitioner, and (iii) the provisions of any federal or provincial statute, the payments or disposition of Property made by any Petitioners pursuant to this Order and the granting of the CCAA Charges, do not and will not constitute settlements, fraudulent preferences, fraudulent conveyances, preferential payments, transfers at undervalue or other challengeable or

reviewable transactions or conduct meriting an oppression remedy under any applicable law.

[63] **DECLARES** that the CCAA Charges shall be valid and enforceable as against all Property of the Petitioners and against all Persons, including, without limitation, any trustee in bankruptcy, receiver, receiver and manager or interim receiver of the Petitioners.

### s. Hearing Scheduling and Details

- [64] **ORDERS** that, subject to further Order of this Court, all applications in these CCAA proceedings are to be brought on not less than five (5) calendar days' notice to all Persons on the service list prepared by the Monitor or counsel for the Monitor in connection with these CCAA proceedings (the "**Service List**"). Each application shall specify a date (the "**Initial Return Date**") and time (the "**Initial Return Time**") for the hearing.
- [65] ORDERS that any Person wishing to object to the relief sought on an application in these CCAA proceedings must serve responding materials or a notice stating the objection to the application and the grounds for such objection (a "Notice of Objection") in writing to the moving party, the Petitioners and the Monitor, with a copy to all Persons on the Service List, no later than 5 P.M. on the date that is three (3) calendar days prior to the Initial Return Date (the "Objection Deadline").
- [66] **ORDERS** that, if no Notice of Objection is served by the Objection Deadline, the Judge having carriage of these proceedings (the "**Presiding Judge**") may determine: (a) whether a hearing is necessary; (b) whether such hearing will be in person, by videoconference, by telephone or by written submissions only; and (c) the parties from whom submissions are required (collectively, the "**Hearing Details**"). In the absence of any such determination, a hearing will be held in the ordinary course.
- [67] **ORDERS** that, if no Notice of Objection is served by the Objection Deadline, the Monitor or the Monitor's counsel shall communicate with the Presiding Judge regarding whether a determination has been made by the Presiding Judge concerning the Hearing Details. The Monitor or the Monitor's counsel shall thereafter advise the Service List of the Hearing Details and the Monitor shall report upon its dissemination of the Hearing Details to the Court in a timely manner, which may be contained in the Monitor's next report in these proceedings.
- [68] **ORDERS** that, if a Notice of Objection is served by the Objection Deadline, the interested parties shall appear before the Presiding Judge on the Initial Return Date at the Initial Return Time, or such earlier or later time as may be directed by the Court, to, as the Court may direct: (a) proceed with the hearing on the Initial

Return Date and at the Initial Return Time; or (b) establish a schedule for the delivery of materials and the hearing of the contested application and such other matters, including interim relief, as the Court may direct.

### <u>t. General</u>

- [69] **ORDERS** that no Person shall commence, proceed with or enforce any Proceedings against any of the Directors, employees, representatives, legal counsel or financial advisers of the Petitioners or of the Monitor in relation to the Business or Property of the Petitioners, without first obtaining leave of this Court, upon ten (10) calendar days' written notice to the Petitioners' counsel, the Monitor's counsel, and to all those referred to in this paragraph whom it is proposed be named in such Proceedings.
- [70] **DECLARES** that this Order and any proceeding or affidavit leading to this Order, shall not, in and of themselves, constitute a default or failure to comply by the Petitioners under any statute, regulation, licence, permit, contract, permission, covenant, agreement, undertaking or other written document or requirement.
- [71] **DECLARES** that, except as otherwise specified herein, the Petitioners and the Monitor are at liberty to serve any notice, proof of claim form, proxy, circular or other document in connection with these proceedings by forwarding copies by prepaid ordinary mail, courier, personal delivery, electronic mail, or electronic transmission to Persons or other appropriate parties at their respective given addresses as last shown on the records of the Petitioners and that any such service shall be deemed to be received on the date of delivery if by personal delivery or electronic transmission, on the following business day if delivered by courier, or three (3) business days after mailing if by ordinary mail.
- [72] **DECLARES** that the Petitioners and any party to these proceedings may serve any court materials in these proceedings on all represented parties electronically, by emailing a PDF or other electronic copy of such materials to counsels' email addresses.
- [73] **ORDERS** that Exhibits-P-3, P-8 and P-10 to the Initial Application and Exhibits P-2 and P-3 to the Application shall be filed under seal and kept confidential until further order of this Court.
- [74] **DECLARES** that, unless otherwise provided herein, under the CCAA, or ordered by this Court, no document, order or other material need be served on any Person in respect of these proceedings, unless such Person has served an Answer on the counsel for the Petitioners and the Monitor and has filed such notice with this Court, or appears on the Service List, save and except when an order is sought against a Person not previously involved in these proceedings.

- [75] **DECLARES** that the Petitioners or the Monitor may, from time to time, apply to this Court for directions concerning the exercise of their respective powers, duties and rights hereunder or in respect of the proper execution of this Order on notice only to each other.
- [76] **DECLARES** that this Order and all other orders in these proceedings shall have full force and effect in all provinces and territories in Canada.
- [77] **REQUESTS** the aid and recognition of any Court, tribunal, regulatory or administrative body in any Province of Canada and any Canadian federal court or in the United States of America, including without limitation the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware, and any court or administrative body elsewhere, to give effect to this Order and to assist the Petitioners, the Monitor and their respective agents in carrying out the terms of this Order. All Courts, tribunals, regulatory and administrative bodies are hereby respectfully requested to make such orders and to provide such assistance to the Petitioners and the Monitor as may be necessary or desirable to give effect to this Order, to grant representative status to the Monitor or the authorized representative of the Petitioners in any foreign proceeding, to assist the Petitioners, and the Monitor, and to act in aid of and to be complementary to this Court, in carrying out the terms of this Order.
- [78] **AUTHORIZES** the Monitor or the Petitioners to apply as they may consider necessary or desirable, with or without notice, to any other court or administrative body, whether in Canada, the United States of America or elsewhere, for orders which aid and complement this Order and any subsequent orders of this Court and, without limitation to the foregoing, any orders under Chapter 15 of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code, including an order for recognition of these CCAA proceedings as "Foreign Main Proceedings" in the United States of America pursuant to Chapter 15 of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code, for which Xebec Adsorption Inc., shall be the foreign representative of the Petitioners. All courts and administrative bodies of all such jurisdictions are hereby respectively requested to make such orders and to provide such assistance to the Petitioners and the Monitor as may be deemed necessary or appropriate for that purpose.
- [79] **DECLARES** that, for the purposes of any applications authorized by paragraph [78] of this Order, Petitioners' centre of main interest is located in Montréal, Québec, Canada.
- [80] **ORDERS** the provisional execution of this Order notwithstanding appeal and without security.
- [81] **THE WHOLE WITHOUT COSTS.**

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# Exhibit P-1A Comparaison of draft ARIO and the FDIO

## SUPERIOR COURT

(Commercial Division)

CANADA PROVINCE OF QUÉBEC DISTRICT OF MONTRÉAL

No.: 500-11-061483-224

DATE: SeptemberOctober 290, 2022

**BEFORE THE HONOURABLE CHRISTIAN IMMER, J.S.C.** 

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPROMISE OR ARRANGEMENT OF:

XEBEC ADSORPTION INC. XEBEC RNG HOLDINGS INC. APPLIED COMPRESSION SYSTEMS LTD. COMPRESSED AIR INTERNATIONAL INC. XEBEC HOLDING USA INC. ENERPHASE INDUSTRIAL SOLUTIONS, INC. CDA SYSTEMS, LLC XEBEC ADSORPTION USA INC. THE TITUS COMPANY NORTEKBELAIR CORPORATION XBC FLOW SERVICES – WISCONSIN INC. CALIFORNIA COMPRESSION, LLC XEBEC SYSTEMS USA, LLC Debtors / Petitioners

and

DELOITTE RESTRUCTURING INC. Monitor



- [1] CONSIDERING the Application for the Issuance of a First Dayan Amended and <u>Restated</u> Initial Order, a Deemed Extension of the Stay Period and a Bidding Procedures Order (the "Application") pursuant to the Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act, RSC 1985, c C-36, as amended ("CCAA") and the exhibits and the affidavit of Mr. Dimitrios Vounassis, filed in support thereof;
- [2] **CONSIDERING** the consent of Deloitte Restructuring Inc. to act as monitor (the "Monitor") Application for the Issuance of a First Day Initial Order, a Deemed Extension of the Stay Period and a Bidding Procedures Order (the "Initial Application") pursuant to the CCAA;
- [3] **CONSIDERING** the <u>Pre-FilingThird</u> Report of the Monitor dated <u>September</u> <u>2October 1</u>9, 2022;
- [4] **CONSIDERING** the submissions of counsel and the testimony of the witnesses heard;
- [5] **GIVEN** the provisions of the CCAA;
- [6] <u>**GIVEN**</u> that Montréal, Québec, Canada is the centre of main interest of the Petitioners.

#### THE COURT HEREBY:

- [7] [6] GRANTS the Application.
- [8] [7] ISSUES an order pursuant to the CCAA (the "**Order**"), divided under the following headings:
  - (a) Service;

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- (b) Application of the CCAA;
- (c) Effective Time;
- (d) Administrative Consolidation;
- (e) Plan of Arrangement;
- (f) Stay of Proceedings against the Petitioners and the Property;
- (g) Stay of Proceedings against the Directors and Officers;

- (h) Deemed Extension of the Stay Period and Comeback Hearing;
- (h) (i) Possession of Property and Operations;
- (i) (j) No Exercise of Rights or Remedies;
- (j) (k)-No Interference with Rights;
- (k) (I)-Continuation of Services;
- (I) (m)-Non-Derogation of Rights;
- (m) Interim Financing (DIP);
- (n) Directors' and Officers' Indemnification and Charge;
- (o) Restructuring;
- (p) Powers of the Monitor;
- (q) KERPs and KERP Charge;
- (r) (q) Priorities and General Provisions Relating to CCAA Charges;
- (s) <u>Hearing Scheduling and Details;</u>
- (t) (r)-General.

## a. Service

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[9] **[8] ORDERS** that any prior delay for the presentation of the Application is hereby abridged and validated so that the Application is properly returnable today and hereby dispenses with further service thereof.

## b. Application of the CCAA

[10] **[9] DECLARES** that the Petitioners are debtor companies to which the CCAA applies.

## c. Effective Time

[11] **[10] DECLARES** that this Order and all of its provisions are effective as of 12:01 a.m. Montréal time, Province of Québec, on the date of this Order<u>September 29,</u> 2022 (the "Effective Time").

#### d. Administrative Consolidation

- [12] [11] ORDERS the consolidation of these CCAA proceedings of the Petitioners under one single Court file, in file number 500-11-061483-224.
- [13] [12] ORDERS that all existing and future proceedings, filings, and other matters (including, without limitation, all applications, reports and cash flows) in the CCAA Proceedings henceforth be filed jointly and together by the Petitioners, and the Monitor, as applicable, under file number 500-11-061483-224.
- [14] **[13] DECLARES** that the consolidation of these CCAA proceedings in respect of the Petitioners shall be for administrative purposes only and shall not effect a consolidation of the assets and property or of the debts and obligations of each of the Petitioners including, without limitation, for the purposes of any plan of compromise or arrangement (a "**Plan**") that may be hereafter proposed.

#### e. Plan of Arrangement

[15] [14] DECLARES that the Petitioners shall have the authority to file with this Court and to submit to their creditors one or more Plans in accordance with the CCAA.

## f. Stay of Proceedings against the Petitioners and the Property

- [16] [15] ORDERS that, until and including October 9November 28, 2022 (the "Stay Period"), no proceeding or enforcement process in any court or tribunal (each, a "Proceeding") shall be commenced or continued against or in respect of the Petitioners, or affecting the Petitioners' business operations and activities (the "Business") or the Property (as defined herein), including as provided in paragraph [265] herein except with leave of this Court. Any and all Proceedings currently under way against or in respect of the Petitioners or affecting the Business or the Property are hereby stayed and suspended pending further order of this Court, the whole subject to subsection 11.1 CCAA.
- [17] [16] ORDERS that the rights of His Majesty in right of Canada and His Majesty in right of a Province are suspended in accordance with the terms and conditions of subsection 11.09 CCAA.
- [18] [17] ORDERS and DECLARES that the National Bank of Canada ("NBC") is an unaffected creditor in these CCAA proceedings and is not subject to the stay of proceedings, including the Stay Period and any renewal or extension thereof, or any other limitations of creditors' right or recourses under this Order. Nothing in this Order shall prevent NBC from enforcing its security against the Petitioners' Property in conformity with its contractual rights, subject only to NBC providing advance notice of its intention to do so.

**[18] ORDERS** that during the Stay Period, the Petitioners are relieved from any and all continuous disclosure, reporting and filing obligations (including with respect to the preparation and mailing of interim financial statements, management's discussions & analysis and other continuous disclosure documents) and of audit committee requirements applicable to Xebec Adsorption Inc. as a result of its status as a reporting issuer in each of the provinces and territories of Canada, pursuant to the *Securities Act*, CQLR c V-1.1, and the regulations promulgated thereunder and comparable statutes enacted by other provinces of Canada, the TSX Company Manual and other rules, regulations and policies of the Toronto Stock Exchange.

#### g. Stay of Proceedings against Directors and Officers

[19] **ORDERS** that during the Stay Period and except as permitted under subsection 11.03(2) of the CCAA, no Proceeding may be commenced, or continued against any former, present or future director or officer of the Petitioners nor against any person deemed to be a director or an officer of any of the Petitioners under subsection 11.03(3) CCAA (each, a "**Director**", and collectively the "**Directors**") in respect of any claim against such Director which arose prior to the Effective Time and which relates to any obligation of the Petitioners where it is alleged that any of the Directors is under any law liable in such capacity for the payment of such obligation.

#### h. Extension of the Stay Period and Comeback Hearing

- [20] ORDERS the Stay Period shall be extended to October 11, 2022, unless any Person (as defined below) wishing to object to such deemed extension serves a detailed written contestation stating the objection to the deemed extension and the grounds for such objection to the Debtors and the Monitor and files with the Court such contestation, the whole no later than at 4 P.M. Montréal Time on October 5, 2022.
- [21] ORDERS that, in the event that the Stay Period has not been extended pursuant to paragraph [19] of this Order, a hearing on the extension of the Stay Period to October 11, 2022 shall take place on October 7, 2022, at 9:15 AM in a room to be determined of the Montréal Courthouse or at any other date determined by the Court and to be communicated to the service list prepared by the Monitor or counsel for the Monitor in connection with these CCAA proceedings (the "Service List").

#### i. Possession of Property and Operations

- [20] [22] ORDERS that the Petitioners shall remain in possession and control of their present and future assets, rights, undertakings and properties of every nature and kind whatsoever, and wherever situated, including all proceeds thereof (collectively the "**Property**"), the whole in accordance with the terms and conditions of this order including, but not limited, to paragraph [436] hereof.
- [21] **CRDERS** that the Petitioners shall be entitled, but not required to pay the following expenses with the prior consent of the Monitor or further order of the Court, as the case may be, whether incurred prior to or after this Order:
  - (a) outstanding and future wages, salaries, expenses and, benefits payable prior to or after the date of this Order, in each case incurred in the ordinary course of business and consistent with existing compensation policies and arrangements;
  - (b) the fees and disbursements of any counsel, advisors and agents retained or employed by the Petitioners in respect of <u>directly related to</u> these proceedings, at their standard rates and charges; and
  - (c) amounts owing for goods or services actually supplied to the Petitioners prior to the date of this Order by third party suppliers up to a maximum aggregate amount of \$700,000, if, in the opinion of the Petitioners and of the Monitor, the supplier is critical to the business and ongoing operations of the Petitioners.
- [22] [24] ORDERS that except as otherwise provided to the contrary herein, the Petitioners shall be entitled to pay all reasonable expenses incurred by the Petitioners in carrying on the Business in the ordinary course after this Order, and in carrying out the provisions of this Order, which expenses shall include, without limitation:
  - (a) all expenses and capital expenditures reasonably necessary for the preservation of the Property or the Business; and
  - (b) payment for goods or services actually supplied to the Petitioners following the date of this Order.
- [23] **[25] ORDERS** that the Petitioners shall remit, in accordance with legal requirements, or pay:
  - (a) any statutory deemed trust amounts in favour of the Crown in right of Canada or of any Province thereof or any other taxation authority which

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are required to be deducted from employees' wages, including, without limitation, amounts in respect of (i) employment insurance, (ii) Canada Pension Plan, (iii) Québec Pension Plan, and (iv) income taxes; and

- (b) all goods and services, harmonized sales or other applicable sales taxes (collectively, "**Sales Taxes**") required to be remitted by the Petitioners and in connection with the sale of goods and services by the Petitioners but only where such Sales Taxes are accrued or collected after the date of this Order.
- [24] [26] ORDERS that, subject to the consent of the Monitor, each of the Petitioners is authorized to complete outstanding transactions and engage in new transactions with other Petitioners or their parent or affiliated companies (collectively, "Intercompany Transactions"), and to continue, on and after the date of this Order, to effect Intercompany Transactions in the ordinary course of the Business. All ordinary course Intercompany Transactions among the Petitioners shall continue on terms consistent with existing arrangements or past practice, subject to such changes thereto, or to such governing principles, policies or procedures as the Monitor may require, or subject to this Order or further Order of this Court.

## ji. No Exercise of Rights or Remedies

- [25] [27] ORDERS that during the Stay Period, and subject to, *inter alia*, subsection 11.1 CCAA, all rights and remedies, including, but not limited to modifications of existing rights and events deemed to occur pursuant to any agreement to which any of the Petitioners is a party as a result of the insolvency of the Petitioners and/or these CCAA proceedings, any events of default or non-performance by the Petitioners or any admissions or evidence in these CCAA proceedings, of any individual, natural person, firm, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust, joint venture, association, organization, governmental body or agency, or any other entity (all of the foregoing, collectively being "Persons" and each being a "Person") against or in respect of the Petitioner, or affecting the Business, the Property or any part thereof are hereby stayed and suspended except with leave of this Court.
- [26] [28] DECLARES that, to the extent any rights, obligations, or prescription, time or limitation periods including, without limitation, to file grievances relating to the Petitioners or any of the Property or the Business may expire (other than pursuant to the terms of any contracts, agreements or arrangements of any nature whatsoever), the term of such rights, obligations, or prescription, time or limitation periods shall hereby be deemed to be extended by a period equal to the Stay Period. Without limitation to the foregoing, in the event that the Petitioners, or any of them, become(s) bankrupt or a receiver as defined in



subsection 243(2) of the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act*, R.S.C. 1985, c. B-3 (the "**BIA**") is appointed in respect of the Petitioners, the period between the date of the Order and the day on which the Stay Period ends shall not be calculated in respect of the Petitioners in determining the 30 day periods referred to in Sections 81.1 and 81.2 of the BIA.

#### kj. No Interference with Rights

[27] **[29] ORDERS** that during the Stay Period, no Person shall discontinue, fail to honour, fail to renew (when contractually provided), alter, interfere with, repudiate, resiliate, terminate or cease to perform any right, renewal right, contract, agreement, licence or permit in favour of or held by the Petitioners except with the written consent of the Petitioners and the Monitor, or with leave of this Court.

#### <u>Ik. Continuation of Services</u>

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[30] ORDERS that during the Stay Period and subject to paragraphs [3029] and [28] [340] hereof and subsection 11.01 CCAA, all Persons having verbal or written agreements with the Petitioners or statutory or regulatory mandates for the supply of goods or services, including without limitation all computer software, communication and other data services, centralized banking services, payroll services, insurance, transportation, utility or other goods or services made available to the Petitioners, are hereby restrained until further order of this Court from discontinuing, altering, failing to renew (when contractually provided), interfering with or terminating the supply or, as the case may be, interrupting, delaying or stopping the transit of such goods or services as may be required by the Petitioners, and that the Petitioners shall be entitled to the continued use of their current premises, telephone numbers, facsimile numbers, internet addresses, domain names or other services, provided in each case that the normal prices or charges for all such goods or services received after the date of this Order are paid by the Petitioners, without having to provide any security deposit or any other security, in accordance with normal payment practices of the Petitioners or such other practices as may be agreed upon by the supplier or service provider and the Petitioners, as applicable, with the consent of the Monitor, or as may be ordered by this Court.

[29] [31] ORDERS that, notwithstanding anything else contained herein and subject to subsection 11.01 CCAA, no Person shall be prohibited from requiring immediate payment for goods, services, use of leased or licensed property or other valuable consideration provided to the Petitioners on or after the date of this Order, nor shall any Person be under any obligation on or after the date of this Order to make further advance of money or otherwise extend any credit to the Petitioners.

[30] **[32]** ORDERS that, without limiting the generality of the foregoing and subject to Section 21 of the CCAA, if applicable, cash or cash equivalents placed on deposit by any Petitioners with any Person during the Stay Period, whether in an operating account or otherwise for itself or for another entity, shall not be applied by such Person in reduction or repayment of amounts owing to such Person as of the date of this Order or due on or before the expiry of the Stay Period or in satisfaction of any interest or charges accruing in respect thereof; however, this provision shall not prevent any financial institution from: (i) reimbursing itself for the amount of any cheques drawn by a Petitioner and properly honoured by such institution, or (ii) holding the amount of any cheques or other instruments have been honoured by the financial institution on which they have been drawn.

#### ml. Non-Derogation of Rights

[31] [33] ORDERS that, notwithstanding the foregoing, any Person who provided any kind of letter of credit, guarantee or bond (the "Issuing Party") at the request of the Petitioners shall be required to continue honouring any and all such letters, guarantees and bonds, issued on or before the date of this Order, provided that all conditions under such letters, guarantees and bonds are met save and except for defaults resulting from this Order; however, the Issuing Party shall be entitled, where applicable, to retain the bills of lading or shipping or other documents relating thereto until paid.

#### m. Interim Financing (DIP)

- [32] **ORDERS** that the Petitioners be and are hereby authorized to borrow from NBC (the "Interim Lender") such amounts from time to time as the Petitioners may consider necessary or desirable, up to an aggregate principal amount not exceeding \$3,000,000 outstanding at any time, on the terms and conditions as set forth in the Interim Financing Term Sheet filed under seal as Exhibit P-2 in support of the Application (the "DIP Term Sheet") and in the Interim Financing Documents (as defined hereinafter), to fund the ongoing expenditures of Petitioners and to pay such other amounts as are permitted by the terms of this Order and the Interim Financing Documents (as defined hereinafter) (the "DIP Facility").
- [33] **ORDERS** that the Petitioners are hereby authorized to execute and deliver the DIP Term Sheet and other security documents and ancillary documents as may be required by the Interim Lender in connection with the DIP Facility and the DIP Term Sheet (collectively, the "Interim Financing Documents"), with such non-material alterations, changes, amendments, deletions or additions thereto as may be agreed to with the Interim Lender, but only with the consent of the Monitor, and the Petitioners are hereby authorized to perform all of its obligations under the DIP Term Sheet and the Interim Financing Documents.

- [34] ORDERS that Petitioners shall pay to the Interim Lender, when due, all amounts owing (including principal, interest, fees and expenses, including without limitation, all fees and disbursements of counsel and all other reasonably required advisors to or agents of the Interim Lender on a full indemnity basis (the "Interim Lender Expenses")) under the DIP Term Sheet and the Interim Financing Documents and shall perform all of their other obligations owed to the Interim Lender pursuant to the DIP Term Sheet, the Interim Financing Documents and the Order.
- [35] **DECLARES** that all of the Property of Petitioners is hereby subject to a charge and security for an aggregate amount of \$3,600,000 (the "**DIP Charge**") in favour of the Interim Lender as security for all obligations of the Petitioners to the Interim Lender with respect to the payment of the DIP Facility (including principal, interest and the Interim Lender Expenses) owing to the Interim Lender under or in connection with the DIP Term Sheet and the Interim Financing Documents. Such Interim Lender Charge shall subsist without necessity of any publication, registration, recording, filing or perfection and shall have the priority established by paragraphs [57] and [58] of this Order.
- [36] ORDERS that the claims of the Interim Lender pursuant to the Interim Financing Documents shall not be compromised or arranged pursuant to the Plan or these proceedings and the Interim Lender, in that capacity, shall be treated as unaffected creditors in these proceedings and in any Plan.
- [37] **ORDERS** that the Interim Lender may:
  - (a) notwithstanding any other provision of the Order, take such steps from time to time as it may deem necessary or appropriate to register, record or perfect the DIP Charge and the Interim Financing Documents in all jurisdictions where it deems it is appropriate; and
  - (b) notwithstanding the terms of the paragraph to follow, refuse to make any advance to the Petitioners if the Petitioners fail to meet the provisions of the DIP Term Sheet and the Interim Financing Documents.
- [38] **ORDERS** that the Interim Lender shall not take any enforcement steps under the DIP Term Sheet, the Interim Financing Documents or the DIP Charge without providing at least 3 business days written notice (the "Notice Period") of a default thereunder to the Petitioners, the Monitor and to creditors whose rights are registered or published at the appropriate registers or requesting a copy of such notice. Upon expiry of such Notice Period, the Interim Lender shall be entitled to take any and all steps, the DIP Term Sheet, the Interim Financing Documents, the DIP Charge and otherwise permitted at law, but without having to send any additional demands under Section 244 of the BIA, under the Civil Code of Quebec or any other similar legislation.

[39] ORDERS that, subject to further order of this Court and notwithstanding paragraph [64] of this Order, no order shall be made varying, rescinding, or otherwise affecting paragraphs [32] to [39] of this Order unless either (a) notice of a motion for such order is served on the Interim Lender by the moving party within at least seven (7) days prior to the presentation thereof or (b) the Interim Lender applies for or consents to such order.

## n. Directors' and Officers' Indemnification and Charge

- [40] [34] ORDERS that the Petitioners shall indemnify their Directors from all claims relating to any obligations or liabilities they may incur and which have accrued as of the Effective Time by reason of or in relation to their respective capacities as directors or officers of the Petitioners after the Effective Time, except where such obligations or liabilities were incurred as a result of such directors' or officers' gross negligence, wilful misconduct or gross or intentional fault as further detailed in Section 11.51 CCAA.
- [41] [35] ORDERS that the Directors of the Petitioners shall be entitled to the benefit of and are hereby granted a charge and security in the Property, to the extent of the aggregate amount of \$23,2700,000 (the "Directors'D&O Charge"), as security for the indemnity provided in paragraph [3340] of this Order as it relates to obligations and liabilities that the Directors may incur in such capacity after the Effective Time. The Directors'D&O Charge shall have the priority set out in paragraphs [4857] and [4958] of this Order.
- [42] **[36] ORDERS** that, notwithstanding any language in any applicable insurance policy to the contrary, (a) no insurer shall be entitled to be subrogated to or claim the benefit of the <u>Directors'D&O</u> Charge, and (b) the Directors shall only be entitled to the benefit of the <u>Directors'D&O</u> Charge to the extent that they do not have coverage under any directors' and officers' insurance policy, or to the extent that such coverage is insufficient to pay amounts for which the Directors are entitled to be indemnified in accordance with paragraph [3340] of this Order.

## o. Restructuring

- [43] [37] DECLARES that, to facilitate the orderly restructuring of their business and financial affairs (the "**Restructuring**") but subject to such requirements as are imposed by the CCAA, the Petitioners, subject to prior approval of the Monitor or further order of the Court, as the case may be, shall have the right to:
  - (a) permanently or temporarily cease, downsize or shut down any of their operations or locations as they deem appropriate;

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- (b) <u>pursue all avenues to finance or refinance, market, convey, transfer,</u> <u>assign or in any other manner dispose of the Business or Property, in</u> <u>whole or part, subject to further order of the Court and sections 11.3 and</u> <u>36 CCAA, and under reserve of subparagraph (c);</u>
- (c) convey, transfer, assign, lease, or in any other manner dispose of the Property, outside of the ordinary course of business, in whole or in part, provided that the price in each case does not exceed \$750,000 or \$1,500,000 in the aggregate;
- (d) (b)-terminate the employment of such of their employees or temporarily or permanently lay off such of their employees as they deem appropriate and, to the extent any amounts in lieu of notice, termination or severance pay or other amounts in respect thereof are not paid in the ordinary course, make provision, on such terms as may be agreed upon between the Petitioners and such employee, or failing such agreement, make provision to deal with, any consequences thereof in a Plan, as the Petitioners may determine;
- (e) (c) subject to the provisions of section 32 CCAA, disclaim or resiliate, any of their agreements, contracts or arrangements of any nature whatsoever, with such disclaimers or resiliation to be on such terms as may be agreed between the relevant Petitioner, as applicable, and the relevant party, or failing such agreement, to make provision for the consequences thereof in a Plan; and
- (f) (d) subject to section 11.3 CCAA, assign any rights and obligations of Petitioners.
- [44] [38] DECLARES that, in order to facilitate the Restructuring, the Petitioners may, subject to the approval of the Monitor, or further order of the Court, settle claims of customers and suppliers that are in dispute.
- [45] **[39] DECLARES** that, pursuant to sub-paragraph 7(3)(c) of the *Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act*, SC 2000, C 5, and equivalent provisions of the *Act Respecting the Protection of Personal Information in the Private Sector*, RSQ, c P-39.1, the Petitioners are permitted, in the course of these proceedings, to disclose personal information of identifiable individuals in their possession or control to stakeholders or prospective investors, *financiers, buyers or strategic partners and to their advisers (individually, a* **"Third Party**"), but only to the extent desirable or required to negotiate and complete the Restructuring or the preparation and implementation of a Plan or a transaction for that purpose, provided that the Persons to whom such personal information is disclosed enter into confidentiality agreements with the Petitioners

binding them to maintain and protect the privacy of such information and to limit the use of such information to the extent necessary to complete the transaction or Restructuring then under negotiation. Upon the completion of the use of personal information for the limited purpose set out herein, the personal information shall be returned to the Petitioners or destroyed. In the event that a Third Party acquires personal information as part of the Restructuring or the preparation or implementation of a Plan or a transaction in furtherance thereof, such Third Party may continue to use the personal information in a manner which is in all respects identical to the prior use thereof by the Petitioners.

#### p. Powers of the Monitor & Administration Charge

- [46] **[40] ORDERS** that *Deloitte Restructuring Inc.* is hereby appointed to monitor the business and financial affairs of the Petitioners as an officer of this Court (the "**Monitor**") and that the Monitor, in addition to the prescribed powers and obligations, referred to in Section 23 of the CCAA:
  - (a) shall, without delay, (i) publish once a week for two (2) consecutive weeks, in La Presse (French version) and the Globe and Mail National Edition (English version) and (ii) within sevenfour (74) business days after the date of this Order (A) post on the Monitor's website (the "Website") a notice containing the information prescribed under the CCAA, (B) make this Order publicly available in the manner prescribed under the CCAA, (C) send, in the prescribed manner, a notice to all known creditors having a claim against the Petitioners of more than \$1,000, advising them that this Order is publicly available, and (D) prepare a list showing the names and addresses of such creditors and the estimated amounts of their respective claims, and make it publicly available in the prescribed manner, all in accordance with Section 23(1)(a) of the CCAA and the regulations made thereunder;
  - (b) shall monitor the Petitioners' receipts and disbursements;
  - (c) shall assist the Petitioners, to the extent required by the Petitioners, in dealing with their creditors and other interested Persons during the Stay Period;
  - (d) shall assist the Petitioners, to the extent required by the Petitioners, with the preparation of their cash flow projections and any other projections or reports and the development, negotiation and implementation of the Plan;
  - (e) shall advise and assist the Petitioners, to the extent required by the Petitioners, to review the Petitioners' business and assess opportunities for cost reduction, revenue enhancement and operating efficiencies;



- (f) shall assist the Petitioners, to the extent required by the Petitioners, with the Restructuring and in their negotiations with their creditors and other interested Persons and with the holding and administering of any meetings held to consider a Plan;
- (g) shall report to the Court on the state of the business and financial affairs of the Petitioners or developments in these proceedings or any related proceedings within the time limits set forth in the CCAA and at such time as considered appropriate by the Monitor or as the Court may order and may file consolidated reports for the Petitioners;
- (h) shall report to this Court and interested parties, including but not limited to creditors affected by a Plan, with respect to the Monitor's assessment of, and recommendations with respect to, a Plan;
- may retain and employ such agents, advisers and other assistants as are reasonably necessary for the purpose of carrying out the terms of this Order, including, without limitation, one or more entities related to or affiliated with the Monitor;
- may engage legal counsel to the extent the Monitor considers necessary in connection with the exercise of its powers or the discharge of its obligations in these proceedings and any related proceeding, under this Order or under the CCAA;
- (k) may give any consent or approval as may be contemplated by this Order or the CCAA;
- may hold and administer funds in connection with arrangements made among the Petitioners, any counter-parties and the Monitor, or by Order of this Court; and
- (m) may perform such other duties as are required by this Order or the CCAA or by this Court from time to time.

Unless expressly authorized to do so by this Court, the Monitor shall not otherwise interfere with the business and financial affairs carried on by the Petitioners, and the Monitor is not empowered to take possession of the Property nor to manage any of the business and financial affairs of the Petitioners.

[47] **[41] ORDERS** that the Petitioners and their current and former shareholders, Directors, agents and representatives shall fully cooperate with the Monitor in the exercise of its powers and discharge of its duties, rights and obligations as provided and set out in this Order.

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- [48] **[42] ORDERS** that, without limiting the generality of anything herein, the Petitioners and their Directors, officers, employees and agents, accountants, auditors and all other Persons having notice of this Order shall forthwith provide the Monitor with unrestricted access to all of the Business and Property, including, without limitation, the premises, books, records, data, including data in electronic form, and all other documents of the Petitioners in connection with the Monitor's duties and responsibilities hereunder.
- [49] [43] DECLARES that the Monitor may provide creditors and other relevant stakeholders of the Petitioners with information in response to requests made by them in writing addressed to the Monitor and copied to the Petitioners' counsel. In the case of information that the Monitor has been advised by the Petitioners is confidential, proprietary or competitive, the Monitor shall not provide such information to any Person without the consent of the Petitioners unless otherwise directed by this Court.
- [50] [44] DECLARES that if the Monitor, in its capacity as Monitor, carries on the business of the Petitioners or continues the employment of the Petitioners' employees, the Monitor shall benefit from the provisions of section 11.8 of the CCAA.
- [51] [45] DECLARES that Section 215 of the BIA applies *mutatis mutandis* and that no action or other proceedings shall be commenced against the Monitor or its representatives relating to its appointment, its conduct as Monitor or the carrying out of the provisions of any order of this Court, except with prior leave of this Court, on at least seven (7) days' notice to the Monitor and its counsel. The entities related to or affiliated with the Monitor and their representatives shall also be entitled to the protection, benefits and privileges afforded to the Monitor pursuant to this paragraph.
- [52] [46] DECLARES that the powers of the Monitor shall be exercised pursuant to its sole discretion and judgment.
- **[53] [47] ORDERS** that the Petitioners shall pay the reasonable fees and disbursements of the Monitor, the Monitor's legal counsel, the Petitioners' legal counsel and other advisers, directly related to these proceedings, the Plan and the Restructuring, whether incurred before or after the Order, and shall provide each with a reasonable retainer in advance on account of such fees and disbursements, if so requested.
- [54] **[48] DECLARES** that the Monitor, the Monitor's legal counsel, the Petitioners' legal counsel, as security for the professional fees and disbursements incurred both before and after the making of this Order and directly related to these proceedings, any Plan and the Restructuring, as well as National Bank Financial

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Inc. ("**NBF**"), as security for the Engagement Fee and the Fairness Opinion Fee (as such terms are defined in the engagement letter filed as Exhibit P-113 in support of the <u>Initial</u> Application, the "**Engagement Letter**") and all disbursements incurred by NBF pursuant to the Engagement Letter, be entitled to the benefit of and are hereby granted a charge and security in the Property, to the extent of the aggregate amount of \$25900,000 (the "Administration **Charge**"), having the priority established by paragraphs [4857] and [4958] of this Order.

## **<u>q. KERPs and KERP Charge</u>**

- [55] **ORDERS** that the key employee retention plan, key vice-president retention plan and the key executive incentive plan (collectively, the "**KERPs**") described in the Application and summarized in the document filed under seal as Exhibit P-3 to the Application are hereby approved, and the Petitioners are hereby authorized and empowered to perform their obligations set forth thereunder, including by making the payments in accordance with the terms set out therein.
- [56] **ORDERS** that the employees designated in the KERPs shall be entitled to the benefit of and are hereby granted a charge and security in the on the Property, to the extent of the aggregate amount of \$1,080,000 (the "KERP Charge"), having the priority established by paragraphs [57] and [58] of this Order.

#### r. Priorities and General Provisions Relating to CCAA Charges

- [57] [49] DECLARES that the priorities of the Administration Charge and the Directors'D&O Charge (collectively, the "CCAA Charges"), as between them with respect to any Property to which they apply, shall be as follows:
  - (a) first, the Administration Charge;
  - (b) second, the <u>Directors'D&O</u> Charge;
  - (c) third, the <u>Transaction</u><u>DIP</u> Charge;
  - (d) <u>fourth, the Transaction Charge</u> (as defined in the Bidding Procedures Order dated September 29, 2022)-;
  - (e) <u>fifth, the KERP Charge.</u>

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[58] **[50] DECLARES** that each of the CCAA Charges shall rank in priority to any and all other hypothecs, mortgages, liens, security interests, priorities, charges, options, encumbrances or security of whatever nature or kind (collectively, the

"Encumbrances") affecting the Property whether or not charged by such Encumbrances, save that, as regards the Transaction Charge and the KERP Charge only, the question with respect to its priority ranking as regards any amounts owing by the Petitioners pursuant to paragraph [23](a) of this Order shall be determined by the Court at a later date and time.

- **[59] [51] ORDERS** that, except as otherwise expressly provided for herein, the Petitioners shall not grant any Encumbrances in or against any Property that rank in priority to, or *pari passu* with, any of the CCAA Charges unless the Petitioner, as applicable, obtains the prior written consent of the Monitor and the prior approval of the Court.
- [60] **[52] DECLARES** that each of the CCAA Charges shall attach, as of the Effective Time, to all present and future Property of the Petitioners, notwithstanding any requirement for the consent of any party to any such charge or to comply with any condition precedent.
- [61] **[53] DECLARES** that the CCAA Charges and the rights and remedies of the beneficiaries of the CCAA Charges, as applicable, shall be valid and enforceable and not otherwise be limited or impaired in any way by (i) these proceedings and the declarations of insolvency made herein; (ii) any application(s) for bankruptcy or receivership order(s) filed pursuant to BIA, or any bankruptcy or receivership order made pursuant to such applications or any assignments in bankruptcy made or deemed to be made in respect of any Petitioner; or (iii) any negative covenants, prohibitions or other similar provisions with respect to borrowings, incurring debt or the creation of Encumbrances, contained in any agreement, lease, sub-lease or other arrangement which binds the Petitioners (a "Third Party Agreement"), and notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in any Third Party Agreement:
  - (a) the creation of any of the CCAA Charges shall not create nor be deemed to constitute a breach by the Petitioners of any Third Party Agreement to which any of the Petitioners is a party; and
  - (b) the beneficiaries of the CCAA Charges shall not have any liability to any Person whatsoever as a result of any breach of any Third Party Agreement caused by or resulting from the creation of the CCAA Charges.
- [62] [54] DECLARES that notwithstanding: (i) these proceedings and the declarations of insolvency made herein; (ii) any application(s) for bankruptcy or receivership order(s) filed pursuant to BIA, or any bankruptcy or receivership order made pursuant to such applications or any assignments in bankruptcy made or deemed to be made in respect of any Petitioner, and (iii) the provisions of any

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federal or provincial statute, the payments or disposition of Property made by any Petitioners pursuant to this Order and the granting of the CCAA Charges, do not and will not constitute settlements, fraudulent preferences, fraudulent conveyances, preferential payments, transfers at undervalue or other challengeable or reviewable transactions or conduct meriting an oppression remedy under any applicable law.

- [63] **[55] DECLARES** that the CCAA Charges shall be valid and enforceable as against all Property of the Petitioners and against all Persons, including, without limitation, any trustee in bankruptcy, receiver, receiver and manager or interim receiver of the Petitioners.
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#### s. Hearing Scheduling and Details

- [64] ORDERS that, subject to further Order of this Court, all applications in these CCAA proceedings are to be brought on not less than five (5) calendar days' notice to all Persons on the service list prepared by the Monitor or counsel for the Monitor in connection with these CCAA proceedings (the "Service List"). Each application shall specify a date (the "Initial Return Date") and time (the "Initial Return Time") for the hearing.
- [65] **ORDERS** that any Person wishing to object to the relief sought on an application in these CCAA proceedings must serve responding materials or a notice stating the objection to the application and the grounds for such objection (a "**Notice of Objection**") in writing to the moving party, the Petitioners and the Monitor, with a copy to all Persons on the Service List, no later than 5 P.M. on the date that is three (3) calendar days prior to the Initial Return Date (the "**Objection Deadline**").
- [66] ORDERS that, if no Notice of Objection is served by the Objection Deadline, the Judge having carriage of these proceedings (the "Presiding Judge") may determine: (a) whether a hearing is necessary; (b) whether such hearing will be in person, by videoconference, by telephone or by written submissions only; and (c) the parties from whom submissions are required (collectively, the "Hearing Details"). In the absence of any such determination, a hearing will be held in the ordinary course.
- [67] **ORDERS** that, if no Notice of Objection is served by the Objection Deadline, the Monitor or the Monitor's counsel shall communicate with the Presiding Judge regarding whether a determination has been made by the Presiding Judge concerning the Hearing Details. The Monitor or the Monitor's counsel shall thereafter advise the Service List of the Hearing Details and the Monitor shall

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report upon its dissemination of the Hearing Details to the Court in a timely manner, which may be contained in the Monitor's next report in these proceedings.

[68] **ORDERS** that, if a Notice of Objection is served by the Objection Deadline, the interested parties shall appear before the Presiding Judge on the Initial Return Date at the Initial Return Time, or such earlier or later time as may be directed by the Court, to, as the Court may direct: (a) proceed with the hearing on the Initial Return Date and at the Initial Return Time; or (b) establish a schedule for the delivery of materials and the hearing of the court may direct.

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- **[69] [56] ORDERS** that no Person shall commence, proceed with or enforce any Proceedings against any of the Directors, employees, representatives, legal counsel or financial advisers of the Petitioners or of the Monitor in relation to the Business or Property of the Petitioners, without first obtaining leave of this Court, upon ten (10) calendar days' written notice to the Petitioners' counsel, the Monitor's counsel, and to all those referred to in this paragraph whom it is proposed be named in such Proceedings.
- [70] [57] DECLARES that this Order and any proceeding or affidavit leading to this Order, shall not, in and of themselves, constitute a default or failure to comply by the Petitioners under any statute, regulation, licence, permit, contract, permission, covenant, agreement, undertaking or other written document or requirement.
- [71] [58] DECLARES that, except as otherwise specified herein, the Petitioners and the Monitor are at liberty to serve any notice, proof of claim form, proxy, circular or other document in connection with these proceedings by forwarding copies by prepaid ordinary mail, courier, personal delivery, electronic mail, or electronic transmission to Persons or other appropriate parties at their respective given addresses as last shown on the records of the Petitioners and that any such service shall be deemed to be received on the date of delivery if by personal delivery or electronic transmission, on the following business day if delivered by courier, or three (3) business days after mailing if by ordinary mail.
- [72] [59] DECLARES that the Petitioners and any party to these proceedings may serve any court materials in these proceedings on all represented parties electronically, by emailing a PDF or other electronic copy of such materials to counsels' email addresses.

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- [73] [60] ORDERS that Exhibits-P-3, P-8 and P-10 to the <u>Initial Application and</u> <u>Exhibits P-2 and P-3 to the</u> Application shall be filed under seal and kept confidential until further order of this Court.
- [74] **[61] DECLARES** that, unless otherwise provided herein, under the CCAA, or ordered by this Court, no document, order or other material need be served on any Person in respect of these proceedings, unless such Person has served an Answer on the counsel for the Petitioners and the Monitor and has filed such notice with this Court, or appears on the Service List, save and except when an order is sought against a Person not previously involved in these proceedings.
- [75] [62] DECLARES that the Petitioners or the Monitor may, from time to time, apply to this Court for directions concerning the exercise of their respective powers, duties and rights hereunder or in respect of the proper execution of this Order on notice only to each other.
- [76] **[63] DECLARES** that this Order and all other orders in these proceedings shall have full force and effect in all provinces and territories in Canada.
- [77] **[64]**-**REQUESTS** the aid and recognition of any Court, tribunal, regulatory or administrative body in any Province of Canada and any Canadian federal court or in the United States of America, including without limitation the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware, and any court or administrative body elsewhere, to give effect to this Order and to assist the Petitioners, the Monitor and their respective agents in carrying out the terms of this Order. All Courts, tribunals, regulatory and administrative bodies are hereby respectfully requested to make such orders and to provide such assistance to the Petitioners and the Monitor as may be necessary or desirable to give effect to this Order, to grant representative status to the Monitor or the authorized representative of the Petitioners in any foreign proceeding, to assist the Petitioners, and the Monitor, and to act in aid of and to be complementary to this Court, in carrying out the terms of this Order.
- [78] **[65]** AUTHORIZES the Monitor or the Petitioners to apply as they may consider necessary or desirable, with or without notice, to any other court or administrative body, whether in Canada, the United States of America or elsewhere, for orders which aid and complement this Order and any subsequent orders of this Court and, without limitation to the foregoing, any orders under Chapter 15 of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code, including an order for recognition of these CCAA proceedings as "Foreign Main Proceedings" in the United States of America pursuant to Chapter 15 of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code, for which Xebec Adsorption Inc., shall be the foreign representative of the Petitioners. All courts and administrative bodies of all such jurisdictions are hereby respectively requested to make such orders and to provide such assistance to the Petitioners and the Monitor as may be deemed necessary or appropriate for that purpose.

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- [79] **[66] DECLARES** that, for the purposes of any applications authorized by paragraph [64<u>78</u>] of this Order, Petitioners' centre of main interest is located in Montréal, Québec, Canada.
- [80] **[67] ORDERS** the provisional execution of this Order notwithstanding appeal and without security.
- [81] [68] THE WHOLE WITHOUT COSTS.

Christian Immer, J.S.C.

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#### SUPERIOR COURT

(Commercial Division)

(Sitting as a court designated pursuant to the *Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act,* RSC 1985, c. C-36)

**DISTRICT OF MONTRÉAL** 

# IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPROMISE OR ARRANGEMENT OF:

#### **XEBEC ABSORPTION INC. & AL**

Debtors / Petitioners

and.

#### **DELOITTE RESTRUCTURING INC.,**

Proposed Monitor

APPLICATION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF AN AMENDED AND RESTATED INITIAL ORDER, AFFIDAVIT, NOTICE OF PRESENTATION, LIST OF EXHIBITS, EXHIBITS P-1 and P-1A (Sections 4, 9, 10, 11, 11.02, 11.03, 11.2, 11.51, 11.52, 11.7 and 23 of the *Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act*, RSC 1985, c C-36)

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