



UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
CHARLOTTE DIVISION

In re:)
ALDRICH PUMP LLC, *et al.*,¹) Chapter 11
Debtors.) Case No. 20-30608
(Jointly Administered)

ORDER GRANTING THE FIRST INTERIM APPLICATION OF THE BRATTLE GROUP, INC. FOR ALLOWANCE OF COMPENSATION FOR SERVICES RENDERED AND REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES AS CLAIMS TESTIFYING EXPERT TO JOSEPH W. GRIER, III, THE FUTURE CLAIMANTS' REPRESENTATIVE, FOR THE PERIOD OF JUNE 4, 2025 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2025

This matter came before the Court on the *First Interim Application of The Brattle Group, Inc. for Allowance of Compensation for Services Rendered and for Reimbursement of Expenses as Claims Testifying Expert to Joseph W. Grier, III, the Future Claimants' Representative, for the Period from June 4, 2025 through September 30, 2025* (the "Application") (Doc. No. 2915) filed

¹ The Debtors are the following entities (the last four digits of their respective taxpayer identification numbers follow in parentheses): Aldrich Pump LLC (2290) and Murray Boiler LLC (0679). The Debtors' address is 800-E Beaty Street, Davidson, North Carolina 28036.



on behalf of The Brattle Group, Inc. (“Brattle”) as claims testifying expert to Joseph W. Grier, III, the Future Claimants’ Representative in the above-referenced chapter 11 cases (the “FCR”). The Court having reviewed the Application and the record in this case having found that (a) the Court has jurisdiction to determine this matter pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334, (b) this is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b), (c) notice of the Application and the notice of opportunity for hearing were served upon the parties required by Local Rule 2002-1(g) and the *Order Establishing Procedures for Interim Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses of Retained Professionals* (Doc. No. 171) (the “Interim Compensation Order”), and no other or further notice is required, (d) the compensation requested in the Application is reasonable and reflects actual and necessary services rendered by Brattle on behalf of the FCR during the period from June 4, 2025 through September 30, 2025 (the “Compensation Period”), (e) the expenses for which reimbursement is sought in the Application reflect actual and necessary expenses incurred by Brattle during the Compensation Period on behalf of the FCR, and (f) the Application fully complies with the Interim Compensation Order, the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and this Court’s Local Rules and Compensation Guidelines; and the Court having determined that the legal and factual bases set forth in the Application establish just cause for the relief granted herein;

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that:

- 1) The Application is GRANTED.
- 2) Brattle is awarded, on an interim basis, compensation for professional services rendered during the Compensation Period in the amount of \$1,108,365.00 and reimbursement for actual and necessary expenses incurred by Brattle during the Compensation Period of \$2,106.69.

3) The Debtors are authorized and directed to pay promptly to Brattle the amount of fees and expenses approved in this Order, to the extent that such amounts have not previously been paid by the Debtors.

4) The Debtors and Brattle are authorized and empowered to take all actions necessary to implement the relief granted in this Order.

5) The Court shall retain exclusive jurisdiction to determine any and all matters arising from or related to the implementation, enforcement, or interpretation of this Order.

This Order has been signed electronically. The Judge's signature and Court's seal appear at the top of the Order.

United States Bankruptcy Court