

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
SOUTHEASTERN DIVISION

In re:	§	Chapter 11
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	§	Case No. 20-43957-399
BRIGGS & STRATTON CORPORATION, <i>et al.</i> ,	§	(Jointly Administered)
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Debtors.	§	Related Docket No. 18

**ORDER (I) EXTENDING THE TIME TO FILE SCHEDULES AND STATEMENTS;
(II) EXTENDING THE TIME TO SCHEDULE THE MEETING OF CREDITORS;
(III) WAIVING THE REQUIREMENTS TO FILE EQUITY LISTS AND PROVIDE
NOTICE TO EQUITY SECURITY HOLDERS; (IV) AUTHORIZING THE DEBTORS
TO FILE A CONSOLIDATED LIST OF THE DEBTORS' THIRTY (30) LARGEST
UNSECURED CREDITORS (V) AUTHORIZING THE DEBTORS TO FILE A
CONSOLIDATED AND REDACTED CREDITOR MATRIX; AND (VI) APPROVING
THE MANNER OF SERVICE OF NOTICE OF CASE COMMENCEMENT**

Upon the motion (the “**Motion**”)¹ of Briggs & Stratton Corporation and its affiliated debtors in the above-captioned chapter 11 cases, as debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the “**Debtors**”), for entry of an order pursuant to sections 105, 341 and 521 of the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rules 1007, 2002 and 2003(a), and Local Rules 1007-6(A), 1007-7, 1009 and 2002-2 (i) extending the time to file schedules and statements, (ii) extending the time to schedule the meeting of creditors, (iii) waiving the requirements to file equity lists and provide notice to equity security holders, (iv) authorizing the Debtors to file a consolidated list of the Debtors’ thirty (30) largest unsecured creditors, (v) authorizing the Debtors to file a consolidated and redacted creditor matrix, and (vi) approving the Manner of Service of the Notice of Case Commencement, all as more fully set forth in the Motion; and upon consideration of the Ficks Declaration; and this Court having jurisdiction to consider the Motion and the relief requested therein pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334; and consideration of the Motion and

¹ Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Motion.



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the requested relief being a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b); and it appearing that venue is proper before this Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409; and the Debtors having represented that adequate and proper notice of the Motion has been given and that no other or further notice need be given; and this Court having reviewed the Motion; and this Court having held a hearing to consider the relief requested in the Motion; and this Court having determined that the legal and factual bases set forth in the Motion establish just cause for the relief granted herein; and it appearing that the relief requested in the Motion is in the best interests of the Debtors and their respective estates and creditors; and upon all of the proceedings had before this Court and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor, **it is hereby ORDERED that the Motion is GRANTED in that:**

1. Pursuant to sections 105(a) and 521 of the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rule 1007(c), the time in which the Debtors shall file their Schedules and Statements is extended for an additional sixteen (16) days, up to and including August 19, 2020 without prejudice to the Debtors' right to seek further extensions.

2. The U.S. Trustee is authorized to schedule the Section 341 Meeting on a date that is more than forty (40) days after the Petition Date as imposed by Bankruptcy Rule 2003.

3. The requirement under Bankruptcy Rule 1007(a)(3) to file the Equity Lists is hereby waived.

4. The requirement under Bankruptcy Rule 2002(d) to give notice to all equity security holders of the Debtors of the orders for relief is hereby waived.

5. The Debtors are authorized to file a consolidated list of their thirty (30) largest unsecured creditors in the Debtors' chapter 11 cases in lieu of each Debtor filing a list of its twenty (20) largest unsecured creditors.

6. The Debtors are authorized to file a consolidated and redacted copy of the Creditor Matrix and redacted copies of any Amended Creditor Matrix that redacts the Confidential Information of Debtors' employees and directors.

7. The Debtors shall provide the unredacted Creditor Matrix, and any unredacted Amended Creditor Matrix, to the Clerk of the Court's Office to be filed under seal.

8. The Debtors shall furnish Kurtzman Carson Consultants, LLC ("**KCC**") with the Creditor Matrix as soon as possible upon the Court's authorization of the Debtors' engagement of KCC as claims and noticing agent in these chapter 11 cases.

9. KCC is authorized and directed to serve the Commencement Notice no later than two days after the Commencement Notice is entered by the Court in the Debtors' chapter 11 cases. KCC shall serve the Commencement Notice by regular mail, postage prepaid, on those entities entitled to receive the Commencement Notice pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002(a) and Local Rule 2002-1. Service of the Commencement Notice in accordance with this paragraph is approved in all respects and is deemed sufficient notice to all parties in interest of the commencement of these chapter 11 cases and the Section 341 Meeting under the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules and the Local Rules.

10. The Debtors shall publish, as soon as practicable after the commencement of these chapter 11 cases, the notice of commencement in the national edition of the *USA Today*; the *Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*, a Milwaukee, Wisconsin newspaper; and the *St. Louis Dispatch*, a St. Louis, Missouri newspaper.


11. Notwithstanding any Bankruptcy Rule or Local Rule that might otherwise delay the effectiveness of this Order, the terms and conditions of this Order shall be immediately effective and enforceable upon its entry.

12. The Debtors are authorized to take all actions necessary or appropriate to carry out the relief granted in this Order.

13. Not later than two (2) business days after the date of this Order, the Debtors shall serve a copy of the Order and shall file a certificate of service no later than twenty-four (24) hours after service.

DATED: July 22, 2020
St. Louis, Missouri

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Barry S. Schermer
United States Bankruptcy Judge

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