Caption in Compliance with D.N.J. LBR 9004-1(b)

KIRKLAND & ELLIS LLP KIRKLAND & ELLIS INTERNATIONAL LLP

Edward O. Sassower, P.C. (pro hac vice pending) Christopher Marcus, P.C. (pro hac vice pending)

Derek I. Hunter (pro hac vice pending)

601 Lexington Avenue

New York, New York 10022

Telephone: (212) 446-4800 Facsimile: (212) 446-4900

edward.sassower@kirkland.com christopher.marcus@kirkland.com derek.hunter@kirkland.com

COLE SCHOTZ P.C.

Michael D. Sirota, Esq.
Warren A. Usatine, Esq.
Felice R. Yudkin, Esq.
Court Plaza North, 25 Main Street
Hackensack, New Jersey 07601
Telephone: (201) 489-3000
msirota@coleschotz.com
wusatine@coleschotz.com
fyudkin@coleschotz.com

Proposed Co-Counsel for Debtors and Debtors in Possession

In re:

CYXTERA TECHNOLOGIES, INC., et al

Debtors.1

Chapter 11

Case No. 23-14853 (JKS)

(Jointly Administered)

A complete list of each of the Debtors in these chapter 11 cases may be obtained on the website of the Debtors' proposed claims and noticing agent at https://www.kccllc.net/cyxtera. The location of Debtor Cyxtera Technologies, Inc.'s principal place of business and the Debtors' service address in these chapter 11 cases is: 2333 Ponce de Leon Boulevard, Ste. 900, Coral Gables, Florida 33134.



Order Filed on June 6, 2023 by Clerk U.S. Bankruptcy Court District of New Jersey



23148532306080000000000009

INTERIM ORDER (I) AUTHORIZING THE PAYMENT OF CERTAIN TAXES AND FEES AND (II) GRANTING RELATED RELIEF

The relief set forth on the following pages, numbered three (3) through nine (9), is **ORDERED**.

DATED: June 6, 2023

Honorable John K. Sherwood United States Bankruptcy Court Case 23-14853-JKS Doc 84 Filed 06/08/23 Entered 06/09/23 00:17:31 Desc Imaged Certificate of Notice Page 3 of 11

(Page | 3)

Debtors: CYXTERA TECHNOLOGIES, INC., et al.

Case No. 23-14853 (JKS)

Caption of Order: Interim Order (I) Authorizing the Payment of Certain Taxes and Fees and

(II) Granting Related Relief

Upon the Debtors' Motion for Entry of Interim and Final Orders (I) Authorizing the Payment of Certain Taxes and Fees and (II) Granting Related Relief (the "Motion"),² of the abovecaptioned debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the "Debtors"), for entry of an interim order (this "Interim Order") (a) authorizing, but not directing, the Debtors to (i) negotiate, remit, and pay (or use tax credits to offset) Taxes and Fees in the ordinary course of business that are payable or become payable during these chapter 11 cases (including any obligations subsequently determined upon audit or otherwise to be owed for periods prior to the Petition Date) and (ii) undertake the Tax Planning Activities, (b) scheduling a final hearing to consider approval of the Motion on a final basis, and (c) granting related relief, all as more fully set forth in the Motion; and upon the First Day Declaration; and the Court having jurisdiction to consider the Motion and the relief requested therein pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334 and the Standing Order of Reference to the Bankruptcy Court Under Title 11 of the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey, entered July 23, 1984, and amended on September 18, 2012 (Simandle, C.J.); and this Court having found that venue of this proceeding and the Motion in this district is proper pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409; and this Court having found that the Debtors' notice of the Motion was appropriate under the circumstances and no other notice need be provided; and this Court having reviewed the Motion and having heard the statements in support of the relief requested therein at a hearing before this Court; and this Court having determined that the legal and factual bases set forth in the Motion establish just cause for the relief granted herein;

-

² Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein have the meaning ascribed to them in the Motion.

Case 23-14853-JKS Doc 84 Filed 06/08/23 Entered 06/09/23 00:17:31 Desc Imaged Certificate of Notice Page 4 of 11

(Page | 4)

Debtors: CYXTERA TECHNOLOGIES, INC., et al.

Case No. 23-14853 (JKS)

Caption of Order: Interim Order (I) Authorizing the Payment of Certain Taxes and Fees and

(II) Granting Related Relief

and upon all of the proceedings had before the Court and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The Motion is **GRANTED** on an interim basis as set forth herein.

2. The Final Hearing on the Motion will be held on June 29, 2023, at 10:00 a.m. (Eastern Time). Objections, if any, that relate to the Motion shall be filed and served so as to be actually received by the Debtors' proposed counsel on or before June 22, 2023, at 4:00 p.m. (Eastern Time). If no objections are filed to the Motion, the Court may enter an order approving the relief requested in the Motion on a final basis without further notice or hearing.

3. The Debtors are authorized, but not directed, to: (a) negotiate, pay, and remit (or use tax credits to offset), or otherwise satisfy Taxes and Fees (including corresponding Assessments) that arose or accrued prior to the Petition Date and that will become due and owing in the ordinary course of business during the pendency of these chapter 11 cases at such time when Taxes and Fees are payable in accordance with applicable law; and (b) negotiate, pay and remit (or use tax credits to offset) Taxes and Fees that arise or accrue in the ordinary course of business on a postpetition basis—including, for the avoidance of doubt, posting collateral or a letter of credit in connection with any dispute related to the Audits or Assessments or paying any Taxes and Fees arising as a result of the Audits or Assessments; *provided* that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein or in the Motion, in the event the Debtors make a payment with respect to any Taxes and Fees for the prepetition portion of any "straddle" period amount, and this Court subsequently determines such amount was not entitled to priority or administrative treatment under section 507(a)(8) or 503(b)(1)(B) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Debtors may (but shall not be

Case 23-14853-JKS Doc 84 Filed 06/08/23 Entered 06/09/23 00:17:31 Desc Imaged Certificate of Notice Page 5 of 11

(Page | 5)

Debtors: CYXTERA TECHNOLOGIES, INC., et al.

Case No. 23-14853 (JKS)

Caption of Order: Interim Order (I) Authorizing the Payment of Certain Taxes and Fees and

(II) Granting Related Relief

required to) seek an order from the Court requiring a return of such amounts, and the payment of such amount shall, upon order of the Court, be refunded to the Debtors.

4. Notwithstanding the relief granted herein or any actions taken hereunder, nothing contained in this Interim Order shall create any rights in favor of, or enhance the status of any claim held by, any of the Authorities.

- 5. Nothing in this Interim Order authorizes the Debtors to accelerate any payments not otherwise due.
- 6. To the extent that the Debtors have overpaid any Taxes and Fees, the Debtors are authorized to seek a refund or credit.
- 7. The Debtors are authorized, in consultation with the Ad Hoc First Lien Group, to undertake certain typical activities related to tax planning, including: (a) converting Debtor entities from one form to another (e.g., converting an entity from a corporation to a limited liability company) via conversion, merger, or otherwise ("Entity Conversions"); (b) making certain tax elections (including with respect to the tax classification of Debtor entities) ("Entity Classification Elections"); (c) changing the position of Debtor entities within the Debtors' corporate structure ("Entity Movements"); and (d) modifying or resolving intercompany claims and moving assets or liabilities among Debtor entities if doing so will not alter the substantive rights of the Debtors' stakeholders in these chapter 11 cases ("Asset and Liability Movements" and, together with the Entity Conversions, Entity Classification Elections, and Entity Movements, the "Tax Planning Activities").

Case 23-14853-JKS Doc 84 Filed 06/08/23 Entered 06/09/23 00:17:31 Desc Imaged Certificate of Notice Page 6 of 11

(Page | 6)

Debtors: CYXTERA TECHNOLOGIES, INC., et al.

Case No. 23-14853 (JKS)

Caption of Order: Interim Order (I) Authorizing the Payment of Certain Taxes and Fees and

(II) Granting Related Relief

8. The Debtors' rights to contest the validity or priority of any Taxes and Fees on any grounds they deem appropriate are reserved and extend to the payment of Taxes and Fees relating to Audits that have been completed, are in progress, or arise from prepetition periods.

9. Notwithstanding the relief granted in this Interim Order and any actions taken pursuant to such relief, nothing in this Interim Order shall be deemed: (a) an implication or admission as to the amount of, basis for, or validity of any particular claim against the Debtors under the Bankruptcy Code or other applicable nonbankruptcy law; (b) a waiver of the Debtors' or any other party in interest's rights to dispute any particular claim on any grounds; (c) a promise or requirement to pay any particular claim; (d) an implication, admission, or finding that any particular claim is an administrative expense claim, other priority claim or otherwise of a type specified or defined in this Interim Order or the Motion or any order granting the relief requested by the Motion; (e) a request or authorization to assume, adopt, or reject any agreement, contract, or lease pursuant to section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code; (f) an admission by the Debtors as to the validity, priority, enforceability, or perfection of any lien on, security interest in, or other encumbrance on property of the Debtors' estates; (g) a waiver or limitation of the Debtors', or any other party in interest's, claims, causes of action, or other rights under the Bankruptcy Code or any other applicable law; (h) an approval, assumption, adoption, or rejection of any agreement, contract, lease, program, or policy under section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code; (i) a concession by the Debtors that any liens (contractual, common law, statutory, or otherwise) that may be satisfied pursuant to the relief requested in the Motion are valid, and the rights of all parties in interest are expressly reserved to contest the extent, validity, or perfection or seek avoidance of all such liens; (j) a waiver of the obligation of any party in interest to file a proof of claim; or (k) otherwise Case 23-14853-JKS Doc 84 Filed 06/08/23 Entered 06/09/23 00:17:31 Desc Imaged Certificate of Notice Page 7 of 11

(Page | 7)

Debtors: CYXTERA TECHNOLOGIES, INC., et al.

Case No. 23-14853 (JKS)

Caption of Order: Interim Order (I) Authorizing the Payment of Certain Taxes and Fees and

(II) Granting Related Relief

affecting the Debtors' rights under section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code to assume or reject any executory contract or unexpired lease. Any payment made pursuant to this Interim Order is not intended and should not be construed as an admission as to the validity of any particular claim or a waiver of the Debtors' rights to subsequently dispute such claim.

10. The Debtors are authorized, but not directed, to issue postpetition checks, or to effect postpetition fund transfer requests, in replacement of any checks or fund transfer requests that are dishonored as a consequence of these chapter 11 cases with respect to prepetition amounts owed in connection with the relief granted herein and to the extent authorized by this Interim Order.

- 11. The banks and financial institutions on which checks were drawn or electronic payment requests made in payment of the prepetition obligations approved herein are authorized to receive, process, honor, and pay all such checks and electronic payment requests when presented for payment, and all such banks and financial institutions are authorized to rely on the Debtors' designation of any particular check or electronic payment request as approved by this Interim Order.
- Order, any payment to be made, obligation incurred, or relief or authorization granted hereunder shall not be inconsistent with, and shall be subject to and in compliance with, the requirements imposed on the Debtors under the terms of each interim and final order entered by the Court in respect of Debtors' Motion for Entry of Interim and Final Orders (I) Authorizing the Debtors to (A) Obtain Postpetition Financing and (B) Utilize Cash Collateral, (II) Granting Liens and Superpriority Administrative Expense Claims, (III) Granting Adequate Protections,

Case 23-14853-JKS Doc 84 Filed 06/08/23 Entered 06/09/23 00:17:31 Desc Imaged Certificate of Notice Page 8 of 11

(Page | 8)

Debtors: CYXTERA TECHNOLOGIES, INC., et al.

Case No. 23-14853 (JKS)

Caption of Order: Interim Order (I) Authorizing the Payment of Certain Taxes and Fees and

(II) Granting Related Relief

(IV) Modifying the Automatic Stay, (V) Scheduling a Final Hearing, and (VI) Granting Related Relief filed substantially contemporaneously herewith (the "DIP Orders"), including compliance with any budget or cash flow forecast in connection therewith and any other terms and conditions thereof. Nothing herein is intended to modify, alter, or waive, in any way, any terms, provisions, requirements, or restrictions of the DIP Orders.

- 13. The requirements set forth in Bankruptcy Rule 6003(b) are satisfied by the contents of the Motion or otherwise deemed waived.
- 14. The Debtors are authorized to take all actions necessary to effectuate the relief granted pursuant to this Interim Order in accordance with the Motion.
- 15. Notwithstanding Bankruptcy Rule 6004(h), to the extent applicable, this Interim Order shall be effective and enforceable immediately upon entry hereof.
- 16. Notice of the Motion as provided therein shall be deemed good and sufficient notice of such Motion and the requirements of Bankruptcy Rule 6004(a) and the Local Rules are satisfied by such notice.
- 17. The requirement set forth in Local Rule 9013-1(a)(3) that any motion be accompanied by a memorandum of law is hereby deemed satisfied by the contents of the Motion or otherwise waived.
- 18. The Debtors shall serve by regular mail a copy of this Interim Order and the Motion on all parties required to receive such service pursuant to Local Rule 9013-5(f) within two (2) business days after the entry of this Interim Order.
- 19. Any party may move for modification of this Interim Order in accordance with Local Rule 9013-5(e).

Case 23-14853-JKS Doc 84 Filed 06/08/23 Entered 06/09/23 00:17:31 Desc Imaged Certificate of Notice Page 9 of 11

(Page | 9)

Debtors: CYXTERA TECHNOLOGIES, INC., et al.

Case No. 23-14853 (JKS)

Caption of Order: Interim Order (I) Authorizing the Payment of Certain Taxes and Fees and

(II) Granting Related Relief

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

Case 23-14853-JKS Doc 84 Filed 06/08/23 Entered 06/09/23 00:17:31 Desc Imaged Certificate of Notice Page 10 of 11

United States Bankruptcy Court District of New Jersey

In re: Case No. 23-14853-JKS

Cyxtera Technologies, Inc. Chapter 11

Debtor

CERTIFICATE OF NOTICE

District/off: 0312-2 User: admin Page 1 of 2
Date Rcvd: Jun 06, 2023 Form ID: pdf903 Total Noticed: 1

The following symbols are used throughout this certificate:

Symbol Definition

+ Addresses marked '+' were corrected by inserting the ZIP, adding the last four digits to complete the zip +4, or replacing an incorrect ZIP. USPS

regulations require that automation-compatible mail display the correct ZIP.

Notice by first class mail was sent to the following persons/entities by the Bankruptcy Noticing Center on Jun 08, 2023:

Recipi ID Recipient Name and Address

db + Cyxtera Technologies, Inc., 2333 Ponce De Leon Boulevard, Suite 900, Coral Gables, FL 33134-5449

TOTAL: 1

Notice by electronic transmission was sent to the following persons/entities by the Bankruptcy Noticing Center.

Electronic transmission includes sending notices via email (Email/text and Email/PDF), and electronic data interchange (EDI).

NONE

BYPASSED RECIPIENTS

The following addresses were not sent this bankruptcy notice due to an undeliverable address, *duplicate of an address listed above, *P duplicate of a preferred address, or ## out of date forwarding orders with USPS.

NONE

NOTICE CERTIFICATION

I, Gustava Winters, declare under the penalty of perjury that I have sent the attached document to the above listed entities in the manner shown, and prepared the Certificate of Notice and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Meeting of Creditor Notices only (Official Form 309): Pursuant to Fed .R. Bank. P.2002(a)(1), a notice containing the complete Social Security Number (SSN) of the debtor(s) was furnished to all parties listed. This official court copy contains the redacted SSN as required by the bankruptcy rules and the Judiciary's privacy policies.

Date: Jun 08, 2023 Signature: /s/Gustava Winters

CM/ECF NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING

The following persons/entities were sent notice through the court's CM/ECF electronic mail (Email) system on June 6, 2023 at the address(es) listed below:

Name Email Address

Alan J. Brody

on behalf of Creditor Citibank N.A. brodya@gtlaw.com, NJLitDock@gtlaw.com

Dale E. Barney

on behalf of Creditor Ad Hoc First Lien Group dbarney@gibbonslaw.com

David Gerardi

on behalf of U.S. Trustee U.S. Trustee david.gerardi@usdoj.gov

Joseph L. Schwartz

on behalf of Creditor Wilmington Savings Fund Society FSB, as Administrative Agent and Collateral Agent

jschwartz@riker.com

Lisa Bonsall

on behalf of Creditor PNC Bank National Association lbonsall@mccarter.com

Michael D. Sirota

on behalf of Debtor Cyxtera Technologies Inc. msirota@coleschotz.com,

Case 23-14853-JKS Doc 84 Filed 06/08/23 Entered 06/09/23 00:17:31 Desc Imaged Certificate of Notice Page 11 of 11

District/off: 0312-2 User: admin Page 2 of 2
Date Rcvd: Jun 06, 2023 Form ID: pdf903 Total Noticed: 1

fpis ano@coleschotz.com; ssallie@coleschotz.com; lmorton@coleschotz.com

Phillip Pavlick

on behalf of Creditor PNC Bank National Association ppavlick@mccarter.com

Ronald S. Gellert

on behalf of Interested Party NVIDIA Corporation <code>rgellert@gsbblaw.com</code> <code>abrown@gsbblaw.com</code>

U.S. Trustee

USTPRegion03.NE.ECF@usdoj.gov

TOTAL: 9