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Signed April 5, 2024

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## IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS **DALLAS DIVISION**

In re:

Chapter 11

EIGER BIOPHARMACEUTICALS, INC., et  $al.^1$ 

Debtors.

Case No. 24-80040 (SGJ)

(Jointly Administered)

# **ORDER (I) AUTHORIZING THE DEBTORS TO (A) CONTINUE THEIR PREPETITION INSURANCE COVERAGE AND SATISFY PREPETITION OBLIGATIONS RELATED THERETO AND (B) RENEW, SUPPLEMENT, AND ENTER** INTO NEW INSURANCE POLICIES, AND (II) GRANTING RELATED RELIEF

Upon the motion ("Motion")<sup>2</sup> of the debtors and debtors in possession in the above-

captioned chapter 11 cases (collectively, the "Debtors"), for entry of an order (this "Order")

(a) authorizing the Debtors to (i) continue their prepetition insurance coverage and satisfy

 $<sup>^{2}</sup>$  Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the respective meanings ascribed to them in the Motion.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, together with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: Eiger BioPharmaceuticals, Inc. (1591); EBPI Merger Inc. (9986); EB Pharma LLC (8352); Eiger BioPharmaceuticals Europe Limited (N/A); and EigerBio Europe Limited (N/A). The Debtors' service address is 2155 Park Boulevard, Palo Alto, California 94306.

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prepetition obligations related thereto and (ii) renew, supplement, or enter into new insurance coverage in the ordinary course of business on a post-petition basis, and (b) granting related relief, each as more fully set forth in the Motion; and upon consideration of the First Day Declaration; and this Court having jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1334; and this matter being a core proceeding within the meaning of 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(2); and the Court being able to issue a final order consistent with Article III of the United States Constitution; and it appearing to the Court that venue of this proceeding and the Motion in this district is proper pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409;<sup>3</sup> and appropriate notice of and opportunity for a hearing on the Motion having been given; and the relief requested in the Motion being in the best interests of the Debtors' estates, their creditors and other parties in interest; and the Court having determined that the legal and factual bases set forth in the Motion establish just cause for the relief granted herein; and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor, it is

#### **HEREBY ORDERED THAT:**

1. The Debtors are authorized to continue the Insurance Policies in the ordinary course of business and to pay any prepetition or post-petition obligations related thereto, including, without limitation, any amounts owed to the Insurance Carriers and Insurance Broker, with respect to Premium Payments, Deductibles, and Insurance Broker Fees (including payment of premiums related thereto) to the extent that the Debtors determine that such payment is necessary or appropriate.

2. The Debtors are authorized to renew, supplement, modify, purchase, or enter into new Insurance Policies to the extent that the Debtors determine that such action is in the best interest of their estates; *provided* that the Debtors will notify the U.S. Trustee and any statutory

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Nothing in this Order shall preclude any later order of the Court approving a motion to transfer venue..

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committee appointed in these chapter 11 cases if the Debtors renew, amend, supplement, extend, terminate, replace, increase, or decrease existing Insurance Policies, change Insurance Carriers, enter into any new premium financing agreements, or obtain additional insurance.

3. Notwithstanding the relief granted herein or any actions taken hereunder, nothing contained in this Order shall create any rights in favor of, or enhance the status of any claim held by, any person to whom any obligations under the Insurance Policies are owed.

4. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, any payment to be made by the Debtors pursuant to the authority granted herein shall be subject to and in compliance with any orders entered by the Court authorizing the Debtors' use of cash collateral and/or any budget in connection therewith.

5. Notwithstanding the relief granted herein and any actions taken pursuant to such relief, nothing in this Order shall be deemed (a) an admission as to the amount of, basis for, priority, or validity of any claim against a Debtor entity under the Bankruptcy Code or other applicable nonbankruptcy law; (b) a waiver of the Debtors' or any party in interest's rights to dispute any claim or interest on any grounds; (c) a promise or requirement to pay any claim; (d) a waiver of the Debtors' or any other party in interest's rights under the Bankruptcy Code or any other applicable law; (e) an implication or admission that any particular claim is of a type specified or defined in this order or any other order granting the relief requested in this motion or a finding that any particular claim is an administrative expense claim or other priority claim; (f) an approval to assume, adopt, or reject any agreement, contract, program, policy, or lease under section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code; or (g) an admission as to the validity, priority, enforceability, or perfection of any lien on, security interest in, or other encumbrance on property of the Debtors' estates. Any payment made pursuant to this order is not intended to be nor should it be construed as an

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admission as to the validity of any claim or a waiver of the Debtors' rights to subsequently dispute such claim.

6. 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 in this Interim Order.

7. The Debtors are authorized to issue post-petition checks or to effect post-petition 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.

8. 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 Bankruptcy Local Rules are satisfied by such notice.

9. Notwithstanding Bankruptcy Rule 6004(h), the terms and conditions of this Order shall be immediately effective and enforceable upon its entry.

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

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

### # # # END OF ORDER # # #

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