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**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
 ALEXANDRIA DIVISION**

In re:)	
)	Chapter 11
)	
ENVIVA INC., <i>et al.</i> ,)	Case No. 24-10453 (BFK)
)	
Debtors. ¹)	(Jointly Administered)
)	
)	

**DECLARATION OF DISINTERESTEDNESS OF KENISON, DUDLEY & CRAWFORD,
 LLC PURSUANT TO THE ORDER (I) AUTHORIZING THE DEBTORS
 TO RETAIN AND COMPENSATE PROFESSIONALS UTILIZED IN THE
 ORDINARY COURSE OF BUSINESS AND (II) GRANTING RELATED RELIEF**

I, Brian A. Autry, declare under penalty of perjury:

1. I am a Member of Kenison, Dudley & Crawford, LLC, located at 1122 Barnwell Street, Suite B, Columbia, SC 29201 (the "*Firm*").

¹ Due to the large number of Debtors in these jointly administered chapter 11 cases, a complete list of the Debtor entities and the last four digits of their federal tax identification numbers is not provided herein. A complete list may be obtained on the website of the Debtors' claims and noticing agent at www.kccllc.net/enviva. The location of the Debtors' corporate headquarters is: 7272 Wisconsin Avenue, Suite 1800, Bethesda, MD 20814.



2. Enviva Inc. and certain of its affiliates, as debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the “*Debtors*”), have requested that the Firm provide legal services for project development activities to the Debtors, and the Firm has consented to provide such services.

3. The Firm may have performed services in the past, may currently perform services, and may perform services in the future in matters unrelated to these chapter 11 cases for persons that are parties in interest in the Debtors’ chapter 11 cases. The Firm, however, does not perform services for any such person in connection with these chapter 11 cases, or have any relationship with any such person, their attorneys, or accountants that would be adverse to the Debtors or their estates.

4. As part of its customary practice, the Firm is retained in cases, proceedings, and transactions involving many different parties, some of whom may represent or be employed by the Debtors, claimants, and parties in interest in these chapter 11 cases.

5. Neither I nor any principal, partner, director, officer, or employee of, or professional employed by, the Firm has agreed to share or will share any portion of the compensation to be received from the Debtors with any other person other than the principal and regular employees of the Firm.

6. Neither I nor any principal, partner, director, officer, or employee of, or professional employed by the Firm, insofar as I have been able to ascertain, holds or represents any interest adverse to the Debtors or their estates with respect to the matter(s) upon which the Firm is to be employed.

7. The Debtors owe the Firm \$879.52 for prepetition services, the payment of which is subject to limitations contained in title 11 of the United States Code, 11 U.S.C. §§ 101–1532.

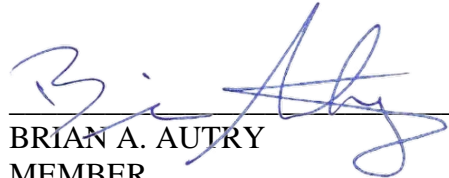
8. As of March 12, 2024 (the “*Petition Date*”), which was the date on which the Debtors commenced these chapter 11 cases, the Firm was not party to any agreement for indemnification with certain of the Debtors.

9. As of the *Petition Date*, the Firm did not hold a retainer.

10. The Firm is conducting further inquiries regarding its retention by any creditors of the Debtors, and upon conclusion of that inquiry, or at any time during the period of its employment, if the Firm should discover any facts bearing on the matters described herein, the Firm will supplement the information contained in this declaration.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated: May 7, 2024



BRIAN A. AUTRY
MEMBER
KENISON, DUDLEY & CRAWFORD, LLC