# IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re:

EPIC! CREATIONS, INC., et al.,

Debtors.1

Chapter 11

Case No. 24-11161 (BLS)

(Jointly Administered)

Re D.I. 605, 606, 607, 608, & 609

## CERTIFICATE OF COUNSEL REGARDING PROPOSED SECOND OMNIBUS ORDER GRANTING INTERIM ALLOWANCE OF FEES AND EXPENSES FOR CERTAIN PROFESSIONALS

The undersigned counsel to Claudia Z. Springer, Esq., in her capacity as Chapter 11 Trustee (the "<u>Trustee</u>") of Epic! Creations, Inc. ("<u>Epic</u>"), Neuron Fuel, Inc. ("<u>Neuron Fuel</u>"), and Tangible Play, Inc. ("<u>Tangible Play</u>," together with Epic and Neuron Fuel, collectively the "<u>Debtors</u>") hereby certifies as follows:

- 1. On October 28, 2024, the Court entered the *Order Establishing Procedures for Interim Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses for Retained Professionals* [D.I. 218] (the "Interim Compensation Order").<sup>2</sup>
- 2. Pursuant to the procedures set forth in the Interim Compensation Order, the following Interim Fee Applications were filed: *Notice of Certain Trustee's Professionals' Second Interim Fee Application for the Period December 1, 2024 through and Including February 28, 2025* [D.I. 605]; *Supplement to Second Interim Fee Application of Jenner & Block LLP* [D.I. 606];

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Interim Compensation Order.



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The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: Epic! Creations, Inc. (9113); Neuron Fuel, Inc. (8758); and Tangible Play, Inc. (9331).

Supplement to Second Interim Fee Application of Pashman Stein Walder Hayden, P.C. [D.I. 607]; Supplement to the Second Interim Fee Application of Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan LLP [D.I. 608]; and Supplement to Second Interim Fee Application of Law Offices of Panag & Babu [D.I. 609] (collectively, the "Professionals").

- 3. Each of the Professionals filed a certain of no objection regarding its Interim Fee Application [D.I. 652].
- 4. Attached hereto as **Exhibit A** is the Proposed Second Omnibus Order Granting Interim Allowance of Fees and Expenses for Certain Professionals (the "Proposed Order").
- 5. Each of the Professionals and the United States Trustee for the District of Delaware (the "<u>U.S. Trustee</u>") were provided with an opportunity to review the Proposed Order and do not object to its entry.

**WHEREFORE**, the Trustee respectfully requests that the Court enter the Proposed Order substantially in the form attached hereto as **Exhibit A** at the earliest convenience of the Court.

Dated: April 24, 2025

Wilmington, Delaware

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## Exhibit A

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## SECOND OMNIBUS ORDER GRANTING INTERIM ALLOWANCE OF FEES AND EXPENSES FOR CERTAIN PROFESSIONALS

These matters come to be heard, in accordance with the Order Establishing Procedures for Interim Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses for Retained Professionals [D.I. 218] (the "Interim Compensation Order"),<sup>2</sup> on the Interim Fee Applications filed by the Professionals identified on Exhibit A hereto for the periods set forth on such exhibit; and this Court having determined that proper and adequate notice of these matters has been given and that no other or further notice is necessary; and the requested compensation for the services detailed in the applicable Interim Fee Applications being for reasonable and necessary services rendered by the applicable Professionals; the reimbursements for expenses detailed in the Interim Fee Applications representing actuals and necessary expenses incurred by the applicable Professionals in connection with these cases; the legal and factual bases set forth in the Interim Fee Applications having established just cause for the relief granted herein; and after due deliberation thereon; and good and sufficient cause appearing therefor;

The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: Epic! Creations, Inc. (9113); Neuron Fuel, Inc. (8758); and Tangible Play, Inc. (9331).

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#### IT IS HEREBY ORDERED;

- 1. Interim compensation and reimbursement of expenses for the Professionals are hereby allowed as set forth in this Order, including **Exhibit A** attached hereto.
- 2. Unless otherwise ordered by the Court or agreed by the applicant, the entry of this Order is without prejudice to the right of the Professionals at future hearing to request the allowance and payment of compensation and/or expenses in amounts in excess of these allowed pursuant to the first decretal paragraph of this Order for the periods covered by the Interim Fee Applications for allowance and payment of compensation and expenses considered at the hearing.
- 3. The Trustee is authorized and directed to promptly disburse to each Professional payment in the amount of the difference between (a) one hundred percent (100%) of the total fees and expenses allowed herein for such Professional as set forth in Column (9) on **Exhibit A** attached hereto and (b) the actual payments received by such Professional for the period covered herein, subject to final allowance by the Court pursuant to the terms of the Interim Compensation Procedures Order.
- 4. The Trustee is authorized and empowered to take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate to implement the terms of this Order.
- 5. This Court shall retain jurisdiction with respect to all matters related to the interpretation or implementation of this Order.
  - 6. This Order shall be effective immediately upon entry.

## Exhibit A

INTERIM FEE APPLICATIONS											
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)		
Applicant	Interim Period	Total Fees Requested for the Interim Period	Amount of Fees for Which Payment was Requested in Monthly Applications (80%)	Amount of Holdback Fees Requested (20%)	Total Expenses Requested for the Interim Period (100%)	Total Amount Requested for the Interim Period (Fees and Expenses)	Voluntary Reductions	Total Amount Authorized for the Interim Period	Total Amount Requested in Cases (Fees and Expenses) through the Interim Period		
FTI Consulting, Inc. [D.I. 605]	12/01/2024- 02/28/2025	\$169,474.00	\$135,579.20	\$33,894.80	\$2,550.29	\$172,024.29	\$1,600.79	\$170,423.50	\$300,672.81		
Jenner & Block LLP [D.I. 605 and 606]	12/01/20204- 02/28/2025	\$2,281,062.50	\$1,824,850.00	\$456,212.50	\$265,539.70	\$2,546,602.20	\$0.00	\$2,546,602.20	\$4,377,777.25		
Kurtzman Carson Consultants, LLC dba Verita Global [D.I. 605]	12/01/20204- 02/28/2025	\$33,699.37	\$26,959.50	\$6,739.87	\$0.00	\$33,699.37	\$0.00	\$33,699.37	\$33,699.37		
The Law Offices of Panag & Babu [D.I. 605 and 609]	12/01/20204- 02/28/2025	\$103,306.95	\$82,645.56	\$20,661.39	\$5,647.50	\$108,954.45	\$0.00	\$108,954.45	\$238,194.45		
Moelis & Company LLC [D.I. 605]	11/07/20204- 02/28/2025	\$600,000.00	\$480,000.00	\$120,000.00	\$12,132.00	\$612,132.00	\$.00	\$612,132.00	\$612,132.00		
Novo Advisors LLC [D.I 605]	12/01/20204- 02/28/2025	\$1,264,599.00	\$1,011,679.20	\$252,919.80	\$12,102.91	\$1,276,701.91	\$4,172.66 <sup>1</sup>	\$1,272,529.25	\$2,382,585.29		
Pashman Stein Walder Hayden, P.C. [D.I. 605 and 607]	12/01/20204- 02/28/2025	\$503,673.50	\$402,938.80	\$100,734.70	\$6,635.24	\$510,308.74	\$0.00	\$510,308.74	\$1,039,347.18		
Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan LLP [D.I. 605 and D.I. 608]	12/01/20204- 02/28/2025	\$44,950.50	\$35,960.40	\$8,990.10	\$0.00	\$44,950.00	\$0.00	\$44,950.50	\$96,652.99		

This amount reflects a voluntary reduction of expenses in the amount of \$2,445.15 in resolution of the informal responses received by the Office of the Untied States Trustee.

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SC&H Group, Inc. [D.I. 605]	11/19/2024- 2/28/2025	\$100,000.00	\$80,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$0.00	\$100,000.00	\$0.00	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00	
Totals for Interim Requested	09/23/2024- 11/30/2024	\$5,100,765.82	\$4,080,612.66	\$1,020,153.16	\$304,607.64	\$5,405,372.96	\$5,773.45	\$5,399,600.01	\$9,181,061.34	