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**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA  
RICHMOND DIVISION**

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**In re:** :  
 : **Chapter 11**  
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**HOPEMAN BROTHERS, INC.,** : **Case No. 24-32428 (KLP)**  
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 : **Debtor.** :  
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**AMENDED PROPOSED AGENDA FOR HEARING  
ON SEPTEMBER 10, 2024, AT 10:00 A.M. (PREVAILING EASTERN TIME)<sup>1</sup>**

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that the following matters are scheduled for hearing in-person and by remote video conference on September 10, 2024, at 10:00 A.M. (prevailing Eastern Time). Interested parties who wish to participate by video or audio may do so by registering in advance at:

[https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJItdeqqrzwwH4HOpcngzjlUmZj3bC\\_Yl4](https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJItdeqqrzwwH4HOpcngzjlUmZj3bC_Yl4)

**I. UNCONTESTED MATTERS**

1. **“Cash Management Motion”** – *Motion of the Debtor for Entry of Interim and Final Orders (I) Authorizing Debtor to Use Existing Bank Accounts and Business Forms; and (II) Granting the Debtor an Extension of Time to Comply with Section 345(b) of the Bankruptcy Code* [Docket No. 5].

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<sup>1</sup> The Debtor also refers the Court to the *Debtor’s Witness and Exhibit List for September 10, 2024 Hearing at 10:00 A.M. (Prevailing Eastern Time)* [Docket No. 158].



*Related Documents:*

- i. *Notice of Filing Chapter 11 Petition, First Day Motions, and Proposed Hearing on First Day Motions* [Docket No. 13].
- ii. *Interim Order (I) Authorizing Debtor to Maintain Existing Bank Accounts and Business Forms; and (II) Granting the Debtor an Extension of Time to Comply with Section 345(b) of the Bankruptcy Code* [Docket No. 31].
- iii. *Notice of Adjournment of Matters Scheduled for Hearing on August 6, 2024* [Docket No. 89].
- iv. *Certificate of No Objection and Notice of Filing of Revised Proposed Order* [Docket No. 149].

*Response Deadline:* July 30, 2024. The Debtor also agreed to extend the response deadline for certain parties to August 30, 2024.

*Responses:* None.

*Status:* The Debtor has submitted a proposed order with the Court approving the Cash Management Motion on a final basis.

2. **“Non-Asbestos Claim Bar Date Motion”** – *Motion of the Debtor for Entry of an Order (I) Establishing Bar Dates for Submitting Proofs of Non-Asbestos Claim; (II) Approving Procedures for Submitting Proofs of Non-Asbestos Claim; (III) Approving Notice Thereof; (IV) Approving a Tailored Proof of Non-Asbestos Claim Form; and (V) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. 74].

*Related Documents:*

- i. *Notice of Motions and Notice of Hearing* [Docket No. 77].
- ii. *Notice of Adjournment of Matters Scheduled for Hearing on August 6, 2024* [Docket No. 89].
- iii. *Certificate of No Objection and Notice of Filing of Revised Proposed Order* [Docket No. 151].

*Response Deadline:* August 3, 2024. The Debtor also agreed to extend the response deadline for certain parties to August 30, 2024.

*Responses:* None.

*Status:* The Debtor has submitted a proposed order with the Court approving the Non-Asbestos Claim Bar Date Motion.

3. **“Caplin & Drysdale Application”** – *Application of the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors to Retain and Employ Caplin & Drysdale, Chartered as the Committee’s Counsel, Effective Nunc Pro Tunc as of July 22, 2024* [Docket No. 112] filed by the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors.

*Related Documents:*

- i. *Notice of Application and Notice of Hearing* [Docket No. 113].

*Response Deadline:* September 3, 2024.

*Responses:* None.

*Status:* This matter is going forward.

## II. CONTESTED MATTERS

4. **“CKSMM Retention Application”** – *Application of the Debtor for Entry of an Order (I) Authorizing the Appointment of Courington, Kiefer, Sommers, Marullo & Matherne, L.L.C. as Special Asbestos Counsel Effective as of the Petition Date and (II) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. 72].

*Related Documents:*

- i. *Notice of Applications and Notice of Hearing* [Docket No. 76].
- ii. *Notice of Adjournment of Matters Scheduled for Hearing on August 6, 2024* [Docket No. 89].
- iii. *Supplemental Declaration of Kaye E. Courington in Support of the Application of the Debtor for Entry of an Order (I) Authorizing the Appointment of Courington, Kiefer, Sommers, Marullo & Matherne, L.L.C. as Special Asbestos Counsel Effective as of the Petition Date and (II) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. 118].
- iv. *Second Supplemental Declaration of Kaye E. Courington in Support of the Application of the Debtor for Entry of an Order (I) Authorizing the Appointment of Courington, Kiefer, Sommers, Marullo & Matherne, L.L.C. as Special Asbestos Counsel Effective as of the Petition Date and (II) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. 129].

*Response Deadline:* August 3, 2024. The Debtor also agreed to extend the response deadline for certain parties to August 30, 2024.

*Responses:*

- v. *Objection of the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditor to Debtor's Application to Employ Courington, Kiefer, Sommers, Marullo & Matherne, L.L.C. as Special Asbestos Counsel* [Docket No. 139].
- vi. *Reply in Support of the Application of the Debtor to Retain Courington, Kiefer, Sommers, Marullo & Matherne, L.L.C. as Special Counsel* [Docket No. 155].

*Status:* This matter is going forward.

5. **“Settlement Procedures Motion”** – *Motion of the Debtor for Entry of an Order (I) Establishing Procedures to Schedule Hearings to Consider the Insurer Settlement Motions; (II) Approving the Form and Manner of Notice Thereof; and (III) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. 54].

*Related Documents:*

- i. *Notice of Motion and Notice of Hearing* [Docket No. 54].
- ii. *Notice of Adjournment of Matters Scheduled for Hearing on August 6, 2024* [Docket No. 89].

*Response Deadline:* August 3, 2024. The Debtor also agreed to extend the response deadline for certain parties to August 30, 2024.

*Responses:*

- iii. *Motion of the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors to Extend the Response Deadline and Continue the Hearing on the Debtor's Insurance Settlement Procedures Motion* [Docket No. 120] and related notice [Docket No. 121].
- iv. *Motion to Extend the Response Deadline and Continue Hearing on the Debtor's Insurance Settlement Procedures Motion* [Docket No. 122] and related Notice [Docket No. 123].
- v. *Huntington Ingalls Industries, Inc.'s Objection to Motion of Debtor for Entry of Order (I) Establishing Procedures to Schedule Hearings to Consider the Insurer Settlement Motions; (II) Approving the Form and Manner of Notice Thereof; and (III) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. 136].
- vi. *Objection to Motion of Debtor for Entry of Order (I) Establishing Procedures to Schedule Hearings to Consider the Insurer Settlement Motions; (II) Approving the Form and Manner of Notice Thereof; and (III) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. 137].

- vii. *Provisional Objection of the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors to the Debtor's Insurance Settlement Procedures Motion* [Docket No. 140].
- viii. *Omnibus Reply of Debtor in Support of Settlement Procedures Motion and in Opposition to Motions to Continue Hearing on Settlement Procedures Motion* [Docket No. 156].

*Status:* This matter is going forward.

- 6. **“Motion to Stay”** – *Motion of the Debtor for Entry of Interim and Final Orders Extending the Automatic Stay to Stay Asbestos-Related Actions Against Non-Debtor Defendants* [Docket No. 7].

*Related Documents:*

- i. *Notice of Filing Chapter 11 Petition, First Day Motions, and Proposed Hearing on First Day Motions* [Docket No. 13].
- ii. *Interim Order Extending the Automatic Stay to Asbestos-Related Actions Against Non-Debtor Defendants* [Docket No. 35].
- iii. *Notice of Adjournment of Matters Scheduled for Hearing on August 6, 2024* [Docket No. 89].

*Response Deadline:* July 30, 2024. The Debtor also agreed to extend the response deadline for certain parties to August 30, 2024.

*Responses:*

- iv. *Opposition and Objection to Motion of the Debtor for Entry of Interim and Final Orders Extending the Automatic Stay to Stay Asbestos-Related Actions Against Non-Debtor Defendants* [Docket No. 86].
- v. *Huntington Ingalls Industries, Inc.'s Preliminary Objection and Reservation of Rights Regarding Motion of the Debtor for Entry of Interim and Final Orders Extending the Automatic Stay to Stay Asbestos-Related Actions Against Non-Debtor Defendants* [Docket No. 135].
- vi. *Opposition and Objection to Motion of the Debtor for Entry of Interim and Final Orders Extending the Automatic Stay to Stay Asbestos-Related Actions Against Non-Debtor Defendants* [Docket No. 138].
- vii. *Limited Objection of the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors to the Debtor's Motion for Extension of the Automatic Stay to Enjoin Asbestos-Related Actions Against Non-Debtor Defendants* [Docket No. 141].

- viii. *Omnibus Reply in Support of Motion of the Debtor for Entry of Interim and Final Orders Extending the Automatic Stay to Stay Asbestos-Related Actions Against Non-Debtor Defendants* [Docket No. 157].
- ix. *Liberty Mutual Insurance Company's Assented-to Emergency Motion for Entry of a Protective Order [Corrected]* [Docket No. 168].

*Status:* This matter is going forward.

Dated: September 9, 2024  
Richmond, Virginia

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