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

In re:

HOPEMAN BROTHERS, INC.,

Debtor.

Chapter 11

Case No. 24-32428 (KLP)

**ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR ADMISSION OF W. BRAD NES TO
PRACTICE, *PRO HAC VICE*, UNDER LOCAL BANKRUPTCY RULE 2090-1(E)(3)**

Upon the *Motion for Admission of W. Brad Nes to Practice, Pro Hac Vice, Under Local Bankruptcy Rule 2090-1(E)(3)* (“**Motion**”), filed by Jeffrey A. Liesemer of the law firm of Caplin & Drysdale, Chartered, and the Court having determined that (i) it has jurisdiction over this matter under 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334, (ii) this is a core proceeding under 28 U.S.C. § 157(b), (iii) adequate notice of the Motion was given and no other or further notice is necessary, and (iv) the legal and factual bases set forth in the Motion establish good cause for the relief to be granted herein, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The Motion is GRANTED.
2. The application attached to the Motion as Exhibit B is APPROVED.



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3. W. Brad Nes is permitted to appear and practice before this Court *pro hac vice* as special insurance counsel to the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors in the above-captioned chapter 11 case and any related proceedings in accordance with Rule 2090-1(E)(3) of the Local Rules of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Virginia.

4. The terms and conditions of this Order shall be immediately effective and enforceable upon its entry.

5. This Court shall retain jurisdiction to hear and determine all matters arising from or related to this Order.

Sep 12 2024
Dated: _____, 2024
Richmond, Virginia

/s/ Keith L Phillips

THE HONORABLE KEITH L. PHILLIPS
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

Entered on Docket: Sep 12 2024

WE ASK FOR THIS:

/s/ Jeffrey A. Liesemer

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**CERTIFICATION OF ENDORSEMENT
UNDER LOCAL BANKRUPTCY RULE 9022-1(C)**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing proposed order has been endorsed by or served upon all necessary parties.

/s/ Jeffrey A. Liesemer

In re:
Hopeman Brothers, Inc.
Debtor

Case No. 24-32428-KLP
Chapter 11

CERTIFICATE OF NOTICE

District/off: 0422-7
Date Rcvd: Sep 12, 2024

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The following symbols are used throughout this certificate:

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+	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 Sep 14, 2024:

Recip ID	Recipient Name and Address
db	+ Hopeman Brothers, Inc., 6 Auburn Court, Unit 3, Brookline, MA 02446-6380
cr	+ Boling Law Firm, c/o Spotts Fain PC, 411 E. Franklin St., Suite 600, Richmond, VA 23219-2200
desig	+ Christopher Lascell, 6 Auburn Ct., Unit 3, Brookline, MA 02446, UNITED STATES 02446-6380
cr	+ Law Office of Philip C. Hoffman, c/o Spotts Fain PC, 411 E. Franklin St., Suite 600, Richmond, VA 23219-2200

TOTAL: 4

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). Electronic transmission is in Eastern Standard Time.

Recip ID	Notice Type: Email Address	Date/Time	Recipient Name and Address
smg	+ Email/Text: ustpreion04.rh.ecf@usdoj.gov	Sep 13 2024 00:30:00	UST smg Richmond, Office of the U. S. Trustee, 701 East Broad St., Suite 4304, Richmond, VA 23219-1849
16459360	Email/Text: sbse.cio.bnc.mail@irs.gov	Sep 13 2024 00:29:00	IRS, PO Box 7346, Philadelphia, PA 19101-7346
16459361	Email/Text: atreorg@sec.gov	Sep 13 2024 00:30:00	U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, Office of Reorganization, 950 East Paces Ferry Road, Suite 900, Atlanta, GA 30326-1382

TOTAL: 3

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.

Recip ID	Bypass Reason	Name and Address
cr		Certain Clients of Roussel & Clement
cr		Certain Clients of Simmons Hanly Conroy LLC, Brayt
cr		Huntington Ingalls Industries, Inc.
intp		Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
unk		Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors

TOTAL: 5 Undeliverable, 0 Duplicate, 0 Out of date forwarding address

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: Sep 14, 2024

Signature: /s/Gustava Winters

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CM/ECF NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING

The following persons/entities were sent notice through the court's CM/ECF electronic mail (Email) system on September 12, 2024 at the address(es) listed below:

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