## 1 Joey P. San Nicolas Attorney-at-Law 2 San Nicolas Law Office, LLC 3813 Mestisa Ave. Dandan Village 3 P.O. Box 505335 Saipan, MP 96950 4 Tel: (670) 288-1073 Email: jpsn@sannicolaslaw.net 5 Attorney for Loi Lam Sit 6 7 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS 8 **BANKRUPTCY DIVISION** 9 In re Case No. 1:24-bk-00002 10 IMPERIAL PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL (CNMI), LLC, MOTION TO EXCUSE LOCAL COUNSEL 11 JOEY P. SAN NICOLAS AND ALLOW PRO HAC VICE COUNSEL 12 CHRISTOPHER J. MUZZI TO APPEAR Debtor and WITHOUT LOCAL COUNSEL 13 Debtor-in-Possession Date: August 21, 2025 14 Time: 9:00 a.m. Judge: Hon. Robert J. Faris 15 16 17 COMES NOW, the undersigned local counsel, JOEY P. SAN NICOLAS, Esq., on behalf 18 of his client, Loi Lam Sit, to request an order from the Court to allow counsel to be excused from 19 the status conference set for August 21, 2025 at 9:00 a.m. before Judge Robert J. Faris and allow 20 *Pro Hac Vice* counsel, Christopher J. Muzzi, Esq., to appear without local counsel. 21 22 It is respectfully submitted that good cause exists for the requested order on the grounds 23 that undersigned Counsel is scheduled to appear at a hearing at the CNMI Superior Court at the 24 same date and time as the status conference in this case. Mr. Muzzi is intimately aware of the 25 issues before this Court and will be present at the hearing via video teleconference. 26 Respectfully submitted this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2025. 27

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