



IT IS ORDERED as set forth below:

Date: June 28, 2024

Paul Baisier

**Paul Baisier
U.S. Bankruptcy Court Judge**

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
ATLANTA DIVISION**

IN RE:

CHAPTER 11

LAVIE CARE CENTERS, LLC, *et al.*,¹

CASE NO. 24-55507-PMB

Debtors.

(Jointly Administered)

**ORDER AUTHORIZING
APPOINTMENT OF PATIENT CARE OMBUDSPERSONS**

On June 2, 2024, the above-named Debtors (the “Debtors”) filed voluntary petitions under chapter 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code indicating that each of them is a “health care business” as defined by 11 U.S.C. § 101(27A)(Docket No. 1). Bankruptcy Code Section 333(a)(1) requires the Court to order the appointment of a patient care ombudsman within thirty (30) days of the commencement of case by a health care business unless the Court finds that same

¹ The last four digits of LaVie Care Centers, LLC’s federal tax identification number are 5592. There are 282 Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, *see* Case Nos. 24-55504 through 24-55787, which are being jointly administered under the above caption for procedural purposes only. A complete list of the jointly administered Debtors and the last four digits of their federal tax identification numbers may be obtained on the website of the Debtors’ proposed claims and noticing agent at <https://www.kcellc.net/LaVie>. The location of LaVie Care Centers, LLC’s corporate headquarters and the Debtors’ service address is 1040 Crown Pointe Parkway, Suite 600, Atlanta, GA 30338.



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is not necessary for the protection of the patients under the specific facts of the case. It appears that some of the Debtors still operate health care businesses and others do not.

Upon review of this matter, the Court finds the appointment of a patient care ombudsman is appropriate in the above-referenced cases where a Debtor still operates a health care business, and it is

ORDERED that a patient care ombudsman shall be appointed for each of the Debtors herein where a Debtor still operates a health care business (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(27A)), and the United States Trustee shall appoint patient care ombudspersons in the cases where a Debtor still operates a health care business in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 333(a)(2)(A).²

The Clerk's Office is directed to serve a copy of this Order upon counsel for the Debtors, the United States Trustee, and all parties requesting notices in this case.

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² The U.S. Trustee expressed during a hearing held in this matter on June 27, 2024, that its present intention is to appoint five (5) ombudspeople for all of the cases where the Debtor still operates a health care business (one for each state in which the Debtors still operate), which the Court sanctions as satisfying the requirements of 11 U.S.C. § 333(a)(2)(A) with regard to these cases.