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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

SANTA ROSA DIVISION

In re:

LEFEVER MATTSON, a California corporation, *et al.*,¹

Debtors.

Lead Case No. 24-10545 (CN)

(Jointly Administered)

Chapter 11

FINAL ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DEBTORS TO MAINTAIN INSURANCE PROGRAMS AND PAY OBLIGATIONS WITH RESPECT THERETO

Date: October 15, 2024

Time: 1:30 p.m.

Place: United States Bankruptcy Court 1300 Clay Street, Courtroom 215

1300 City Street, Courtie

Oakland, CA 94612

The last four digits of LeFever Mattson's tax identification number are 7537. Due to the large number of debtor entities in these Chapter 11 Cases, a complete list of the Debtors and the last four digits of their federal tax identification numbers is not provided herein. A complete list of such information may be obtained on the website of the Debtors' proposed claims and noticing agent at https://veritaglobal.net/LM. The address for service on the Debtors is 6359 Auburn Blvd., Suite B, Citrus Heights, CA 95621.

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Upon consideration of the Motion of Debtors for Interim and Final Orders Authorizing the Debtors to Maintain Insurance Programs and Pay Obligations with Respect Thereto (the "Motion"), filed by the above-captioned debtors and debtors in possession (the "Debtors"); the Court having reviewed the Motion and the Sharp Declaration and having considered the statements of counsel and the evidence adduced with respect to the Motion at a hearing before the Court (the "Hearing"); and the Court having found that (i) the Court has jurisdiction to consider the Motion and the relief requested therein pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334, and the Order Referring Bankruptcy Cases and Proceedings to Bankruptcy Judges, General Order 24 and Rule 5011-1(a) of the Bankruptcy Local Rules for the United States District Court for the Northern District of California; (ii) venue is proper in this district pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409; (iii) this is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b); and (iv) notice of the Motion and the Hearing was sufficient under the circumstances; and after due deliberation the Court having determined that the relief requested in the Motion is in the best interests of the Debtors, their estates, and their creditors; and good and sufficient cause having been shown;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- The Motion is granted on a final basis.
- 2. The Debtors are authorized, but not directed, pursuant to sections 105(a), 362 and 363 of the Bankruptcy Code, to continue and maintain all Insurance Programs and Workers' Compensation Claims, and to perform all of their obligations with respect thereto, and to pay any amounts owed with respect to the Insurance Programs, the Workers' Compensation Claims, and any associated fees therewith.
- 3. Pursuant to section 362(d) of the Bankruptcy Code, to the extent any of the Debtors' employees hold claims under or in connection with the Workers' Compensation Program, in the Debtors' sole discretion, such employees are authorized to proceed with their Workers' Compensation Claims through and including the collection or payment of any judgment or claim in the appropriate judicial or administrative forum under the Workers' Compensation Program;

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Capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings given to them in the Motion.

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provided, that the prosecution of such claims is in accordance with the Workers' Compensation Program and the recoveries are limited to the proceeds available under the Workers' Compensation Program.

- 4. Nothing herein alters or amends the terms and conditions of any of the Insurance Programs or relieves the Debtors of any of their obligations under the Insurance Programs.
- 5. Applicable banks and financial institutions are authorized, but not directed, at the Debtors' request, to receive, process, honor and pay, to the extent of funds on deposit, any and all checks issued or to be issued or electronic funds transfers requested or to be requested by the Debtors relating to the Insurance Obligations, the Workers' Compensation Claims, and any associated fees.
- 6. The Debtors are authorized, but not directed, to issue new postpetition checks, or effect new electronic funds transfers on account of the Insurance Obligations, the Workers' Compensation Claims, and any associated fees, to replace any prepetition checks or electronic funds transfer requests that may be lost, dishonored, or rejected as a result of the commencement of these Chapter 11 Cases.
- 7. Nothing contained in the Motion or this Order is intended to be or shall be construed as (i) an admission as to the validity of any claim against the Debtors; (ii) a waiver of the Debtors' or any appropriate party in interest's rights to dispute the amount of, basis for, or validity of any claim against the Debtors; (iii) a waiver of any claims or causes of action that may exist against any creditor or interest holder; or (iv) an approval, assumption, adoption, or rejection of any agreement, contract, lease, program, or policy between the Debtors and any third party under section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 8. Notwithstanding entry of this Order, nothing herein is intended to create, and nothing herein shall create, any rights in favor of or enhance the status of any claim held by, any party.
 - 9. The requirements of Bankruptcy Rules 4001(d) and 6004(a) have been satisfied.
- 10. Notwithstanding the provisions of Bankruptcy Rules 4001(a)(2) and 6004(h), this Final Order shall be immediately effective and enforceable upon its entry.

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11.	The Debtors	are hereby	authorized	to take	such	actions	and	to	execute	such
documents as	may he necess	arv to imple	ment the rel	ief grant	ed by	this Ord	er			

12. The Court retains exclusive jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or related to the implementation, interpretation, and enforcement of this Order.

** END OF ORDER **

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