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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI EASTERN DIVISION

In re:

MIDWEST CHRISTIAN VILLAGES, INC. *et al*,

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Chapter 11

Case No. 24-42473-659 Jointly Administered

Related Docket Nos. 10 and 66

Debtors.

FINAL ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR ENTRY OF INTERIM AND FINAL ORDERS AUTHORIZING DEBTORS TO: (1) CONTINUE USING EXISTING CASH MANAGEMENT SYSTEM, BANK ACCOUNTS AND BUSINESS FORMS; (2) IMPLEMENT CHANGES TO THE CASH MANAGEMENT SYSTEM IN THE ORDINARY COURSE OF BUSINESS; (3) CONTINUE INTERCOMPANY TRANSACTIONS; (4) PROVIDE ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE PRIORITY FOR POST-PETITION INTERCOMPANY CLAIMS; <u>AND (5) OBTAIN RELATED RELIEF</u>

On August 14 2024, the Court heard, on a final basis, the Debtors' Motion for entry of a final order to: (1) continue to using existing cash management system, bank account and business forms; (2) implement changes to their cash management system in the ordinary course of business; (3) continue intercompany transactions in the ordinary course of business; (4) provide administrative expense priority for postpetition intercompany claims (the "<u>Cash Management Motion</u>") and orders as follows:¹

ORDERED the Cash Motion Management Motion is GRANTED on a final basis;

FURTHER ORDERED the Debtors may (1) continue to use their cash management system, including the continued maintenance of their existing bank accounts and business forms;

¹ Capitalized terms used herein but not otherwise defined shall have the meaning ascribed to the terms in the Motion [Docket No. 10] or other referenced First Day Motion or pleading.



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(2) implement changes to their cash management system in the ordinary course of business, including opening new or closing existing bank accounts; (3) continue to perform under and honor intercompany transactions in the ordinary course of business, in their business judgment and in their sole discretion;

FURTHER ORDERED that post-petition intercompany claims incurred in the ordinary course of business are granted administrative expense priority under the Bankruptcy Code;

FURTHER ORDERED that intercompany claims shall be recorded by the Debtors in the same manner and means that such transactions were recorded pre-petition in the Debtors' ordinary course of business and policies and procedures;

FURTHER ORDERED that financial institutions at which the Debtors maintain various bank accounts shall (a) continue to maintain, service and administer the Debtors' bank accounts, and (b) debit the bank accounts in the ordinary course of business on account of (i) wire transfers or checks drawn on the bank accounts, or (ii) undisputed service charges owed to the banks for maintenance of the Debtors' cash management system, if any;

FURTHER ORDERED that the Debtors shall use best efforts to contact the financial institutions at which the Debtors maintain various bank accounts that are authorized depositories under the United States Trustee's Program to have the Debtors' accounts designated as Debtor-in-Possession accounts;

FURTHER ORDERED that notwithstanding anything else in this Order, to the extent there is an inconsistency in this Order with the DIP Order this Court is granting on an interim basis on this same day, that the terms of the DIP Order shall control;

FURTHER ORDERED the 14 day stay of the effectiveness of this Order under Bankruptcy Rule 6004 is waived and it shall be effective on a final basis upon entry of this Order; and

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FURTHER ORDERED that within two (2) business days of the entry of this Order, the Debtors shall serve a copy of this Order and shall file a certificate of service pursuant to Local Rule 9004(D) within one (1) business day thereafter.

ATHY A. SURRATT-STAT U.S. Bankruptcy Judge

DATED: August 16, 2024 St. Louis, Missouri jjh

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