## IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re:

Chapter 11

Supply Source Enterprises, Inc., et al., 1

Case No. 24-11054 (BLS)

Debtors.

(Jointly Administered)

Re: Docket No. 13

INTERIM ORDER (I) AUTHORIZING THE DEBTORS TO (A) MAINTAIN INSURANCE POLICIES AND SURETY BONDS AND HONOR OBLIGATIONS THEREUNDER, AND (B) RENEW, AMEND, SUPPLEMENT, EXTEND, OR PURCHASE INSURANCE POLICIES AND SURETY BONDS, AND (II)

GRANTING RELATED RELIEF

Upon the motion (the "Motion")<sup>2</sup> of the above-captioned debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the "Debtors"), for entry of an interim order (this "Interim Order"), (i) authorizing, but not directing, the Debtors to (a) maintain their existing insurance policies and surety bonds and pay all obligations arising thereunder or in connection therewith, (b) renew, revise, extend, supplement, or enter into new insurance coverage and surety bonds as needed in their business judgment; (ii) authorizing all banks to honor payments related thereto; and (iii) granting related relief; all as more fully set forth in the Motion; and upon the First Day Declaration; and this Court having jurisdiction over this matter in accordance with 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334 and the Amended Standing Order of Reference from the United States District Court for the District of Delaware, dated February 29, 2012; and this Court having found that this is a core proceeding

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Motion.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Debtors in these chapter 11 proceedings, together with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: Supply Source Enterprises, Inc. (0842); SSE Intermediate, Inc. (1772); SSE Buyer, Inc. (5901); Impact Products, LLC (7450); and The Safety Zone, LLC (4597). The Debtors' headquarters are located at 385 Long Hill Road, Guilford, Connecticut 06437.

pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(2) and that this Court may enter a final order consistent with Article III of the United States Constitution; and this Court having found that venue of these Chapter 11 Cases is proper pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409; and this Court having found that the Debtors' notice of the Motion and opportunity for a hearing on the Motion were appropriate under the circumstances and no other notice need be provided; and this Court having determined that the legal and factual bases set forth in the Motion establish just cause for the relief granted herein and that such relief is in the best interests of the Debtors, their estates, their creditors and all parties in interest; and upon all of the proceedings had before the Court after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor, it is HEREBY ORDERED THAT,

- 1. The Motion is GRANTED on an interim basis as set forth herein.
- 2. The final hearing (the "Final Hearing") on the Motion shall be held on June 18, 2024, at 11:30 a.m., prevailing Eastern Time. Any objections or responses to entry of a final order on the Motion shall be filed with the Court, and served so as to be received by the following parties, by no later than 4:00 p.m., prevailing Eastern Time, on June 11, 2024: (i) proposed counsel to the Debtors, Potter Anderson & Corroon LLP, 1313 North Market Street, 6th Floor, Wilmington, Delaware 19801 (Attn: M. Blake Cleary (bcleary@potteranderson.com), R. Stephen Morales McNeill (rmcneill@potteranderson.com), and Katelin A. (kmorales@potteranderson.com)); (ii) Office of the United States Trustee, J. Caleb Boggs Federal Building, 844 King Street, Suite 2207, Lockbox 35, Wilmington, DE 19801 (Attn: Benjamin A. Hackman (benjamin.a.hackman@usdoj.gov) and Malcolm M. Bates (malcolm.m.bates@usdoj.gov)); (iii) counsel for the DIP Lender and the Prepetition Secured Parties, (a) Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP, 767 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York 10153 (Attn: Ray C. Schrock, Esq. (ray.schrock@weil.com) and Kevin Bostel, Esq. (kevin.bostel@weil.com))

and (b) Richards, Layton & Finger, P.A., One Rodney Square, 920 North King Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19801 (Attn: Zachary I. Shapiro, Esq. (shapiro@rlf.com)); and (iv) if any statutory committee has been appointed in these Chapter 11 Cases, counsel to such committee (collectively, the "Notice Parties").

- 3. The Debtors are authorized, but not directed, to pay and honor in their discretion, all prepetition Insurance Obligations, including accrued prepetition Insurance Premiums, in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$119,000 during the interim period.
- 4. The Debtors are authorized, but not directed, to maintain their Insurance Programs and Surety Bond Program in accordance with practices and procedures that were in effect before the commencement of the Chapter 11 Cases.
- 5. The Debtors are further authorized, but not directed, in the ordinary course of business, to renew, revise, amend, supplement, or extend the Insurance Policies and Surety Bond Program, as well as purchase new insurance coverage and surety bonds, and take all appropriate actions in connection therewith, to the extent that the Debtors determine that such action is in the best interest of their estates.
- 6. The Banks are authorized, when requested by the Debtors, to receive, process, honor, and pay all checks presented for payment of, and to honor all funds transfer requests made by the Debtors related to the postpetition continuation of the Insurance Programs and Surety Bond Program, whether such checks were presented or funds transfer requests were submitted prior to or after the Petition Date, *provided that* funds are available in the Debtors' accounts to cover such checks and funds transfers. The Banks are authorized to rely on the Debtors' designation of any particular check or funds transfer as approved by this Interim Order.

- 7. Nothing contained in this Interim Order shall be construed to accelerate payments that are not otherwise due and payable.
- 8. Nothing contained herein is or should be construed as: (i) an implication or admission as to the validity of any claim against the Debtors, (ii) a waiver of the Debtors' or any other 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, (iv) a promise to pay any claim, (v) a concession by the Debtors that any liens (contractual, common law, statutory or otherwise) satisfied pursuant to the Motion are valid (and all rights to contest the extent, validity or perfection or seek avoidance of all such liens are expressly reserved), (vi) an approval, assumption, adoption, or rejection of any agreement, contract, program, policy, or lease between the Debtors and any third party under section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code, (vii) a waiver of the obligation of any party in interest to file a proof of claim, or (viii) otherwise affecting the Debtors' rights under section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code to assume or reject any executory contract or unexpired lease. Any payment made pursuant to this Interim Order is not intended to be and should not be construed as an admission to the validity of any claim or a waiver of the Debtors' rights to subsequently dispute such claim.
- 9. All payments authorized by this Interim Order may be made solely to the extent in compliance with the Approved DIP Budget (as defined in the interim or final order authorizing the Debtors to obtain postpetition senior secured financing and related relief) then in effect.
- 10. This Court finds and determines that the requirements of Bankruptcy Rule 6003 are satisfied and that the interim relief requested is necessary to avoid immediate and irreparable harm.
  - 11. The notice requirement of Bankruptcy Rule 6004(a) is waived.

- 12. This Interim Order shall be immediately effective and enforceable upon its entry. The fourteen-day stay imposed by Bankruptcy Rule 6004(h) is hereby waived.
- 13. The Debtors are authorized and empowered to take all actions necessary to implement the relief granted in this Interim Order.
- 14. This Court retains jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or related to the implementation, interpretation, and enforcement of this Interim Order.

Dated: May 23rd, 2024 Wilmington, Delaware BRENDAN L. SHANNON
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE