Docket #0912 Date Filed: 06/17/2026

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

DALLAS DIVISION

In re: HGE FIC R LLC

Debtor(s)

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Case No. 25-80153

Lead Case No. 25-80121

☒ Jointly Administered

# Post-confirmation Report

Chapter 11

Quarter Ending Date: 01/31/2026

Petition Date: 06/17/2025

Plan Confirmed Date: 11/26/2025

Plan Effective Date: 12/16/2025

This Post-confirmation Report relates to:

○ Reorganized Debtor

◉ Other Authorized Party or Entity: Liquidating Trust

Name of Authorized Party or Entity

/s/ Jason S. Brookner

Signature of Responsible Party

06/17/2026

Date

Jason S. Brookner

Printed Name of Responsible Party

1845 Woodall Rodgers Fwy, Suite 1300
Dallas, TX 75201

Address

STATEMENT: This Periodic Report is associated with an open bankruptcy case; therefore, Paperwork Reduction Act exemption 5 C.F.R. § 1320.4(a)(2) applies.

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**Part 1: Summary of Post-confirmation Transfers**

| | Current Quarter | Total Since Effective Date |
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| a. Total cash disbursements | $0 | $0 |
| b. Non-cash securities transferred | $0 | $0 |
| c. Other non-cash property transferred | $0 | $0 |
| d. Total transferred (a+b+c) | $0 | $0 |

**Part 2: Preconfirmation Professional Fees and Expenses**

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| c. | All professional fees and expenses (debtor & committees) | | | | | | |

**Part 3: Recoveries of the Holders of Claims and Interests under Confirmed Plan**

| | Total Anticipated Payments Under Plan | Paid Current Quarter | Paid Cumulative | Allowed Claims | % Paid of Allowed Claims |
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| a. Administrative claims | $0 | $0 | $0 | $0 | 0% |
| b. Secured claims | $0 | $0 | $0 | $0 | 0% |
| c. Priority claims | $0 | $0 | $0 | $0 | 0% |
| d. General unsecured claims | $0 | $0 | $0 | $0 | 0% |
| e. Equity interests | $0 | $0 | $0 | | |

**Part 4: Questionnaire**

a. Is this a final report? Yes ○ No ◉

If yes, give date Final Decree was entered: _____

If no, give date when the application for Final Decree is anticipated: 12/31/2026

b. Are you current with quarterly U.S. Trustee fees as set forth under 28 U.S.C. § 1930? Yes ◉ No ○

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**Privacy Act Statement**

28 U.S.C. § 589b authorizes the collection of this information and provision of this information is mandatory. The United States Trustee will use this information to calculate statutory fee assessments under 28 U.S.C. § 1930(a)(6) and to otherwise evaluate whether a reorganized chapter 11 debtor is performing as anticipated under a confirmed plan. Disclosure of this information may be to a bankruptcy trustee when the information is needed to perform the trustee's duties, or to the appropriate federal, state, local, regulatory, tribal, or foreign law enforcement agency when the information indicates a violation or potential violation of law. Other disclosures may be made for routine purposes. For a discussion of the types of routine disclosures that may be made, you may consult the Executive Office for United States Trustee's systems of records notice, UST-001, "Bankruptcy Case Files and Associated Records." *See* 71 Fed. Reg. 59,818 et seq. (Oct. 11, 2006). A copy of the notice may be obtained at the following link: http://www.justice.gov/ust/eo/rules_regulations/index.htm. Failure to provide this information could result in the dismissal or conversion of your bankruptcy case, or other action by the United States Trustee. 11 U.S.C. § 1112(b)(4)(F).

**I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing Post-confirmation Report and its attachments, if any, are true and correct and that I have been authorized to sign this report.**

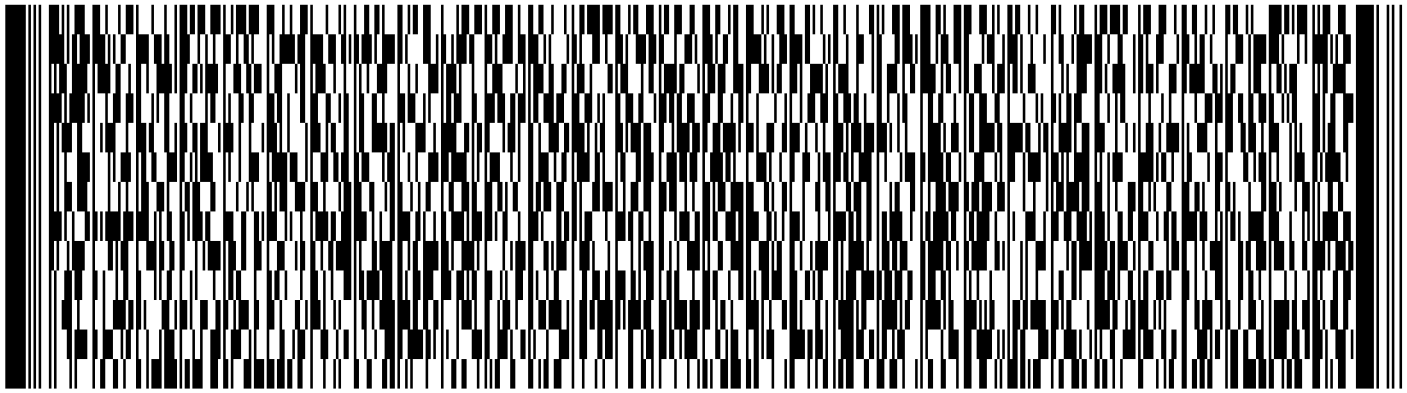
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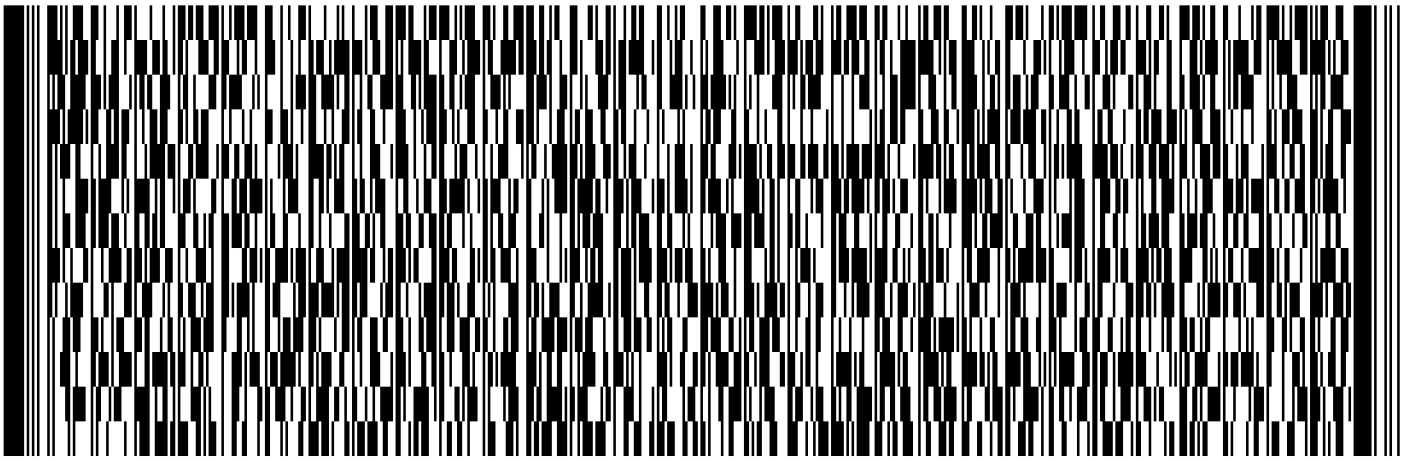
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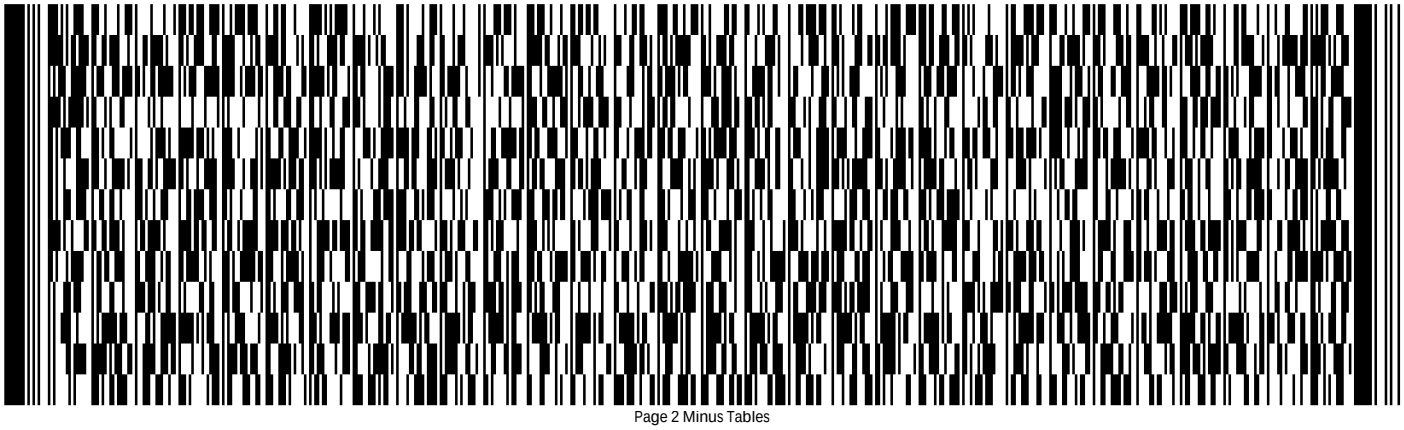
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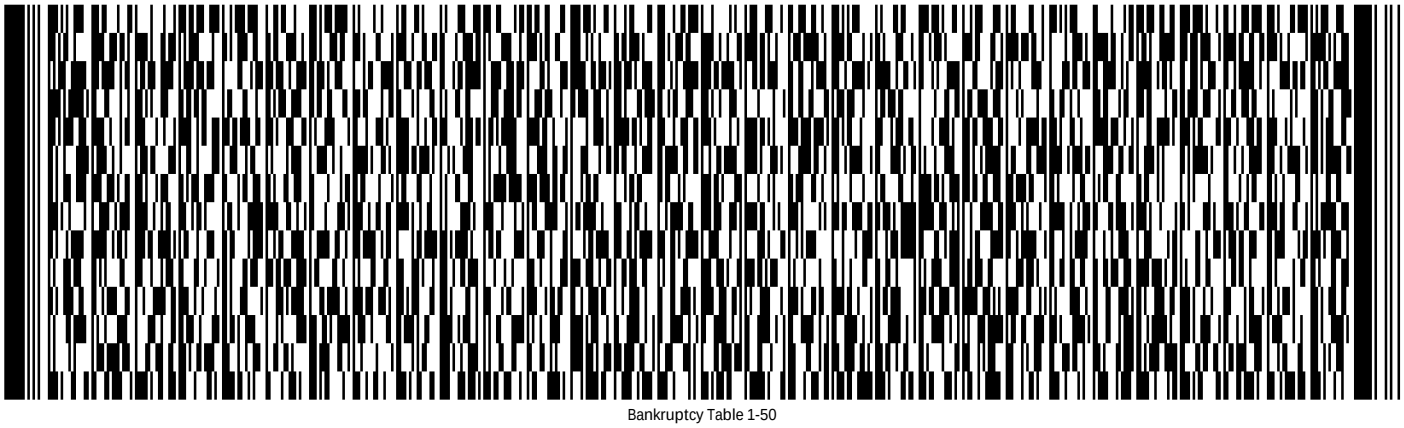
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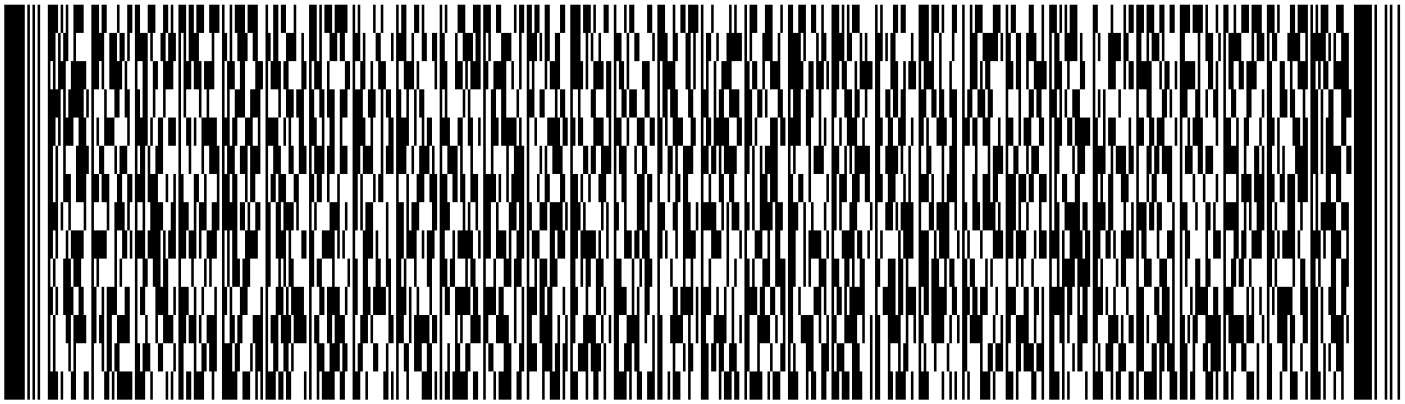


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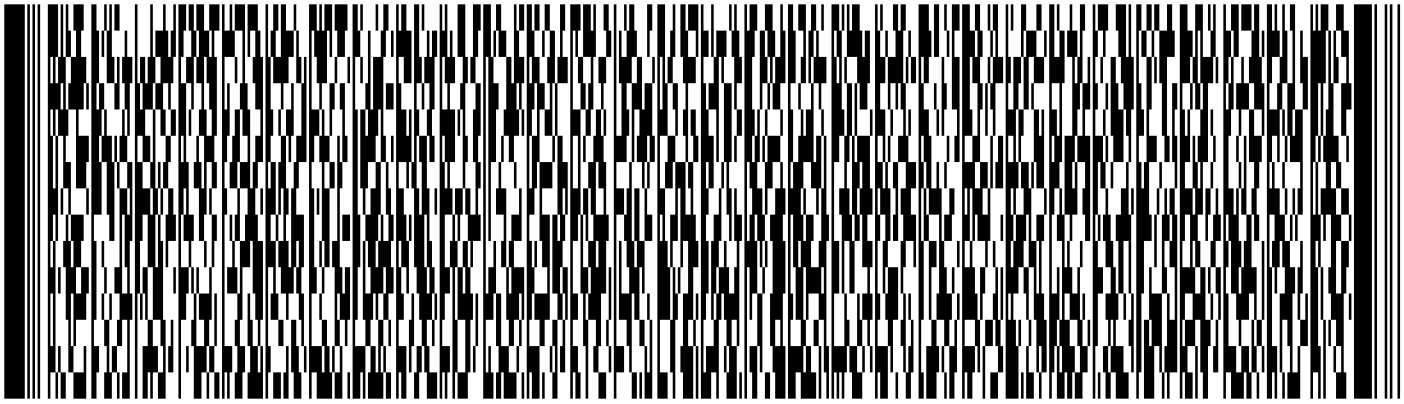


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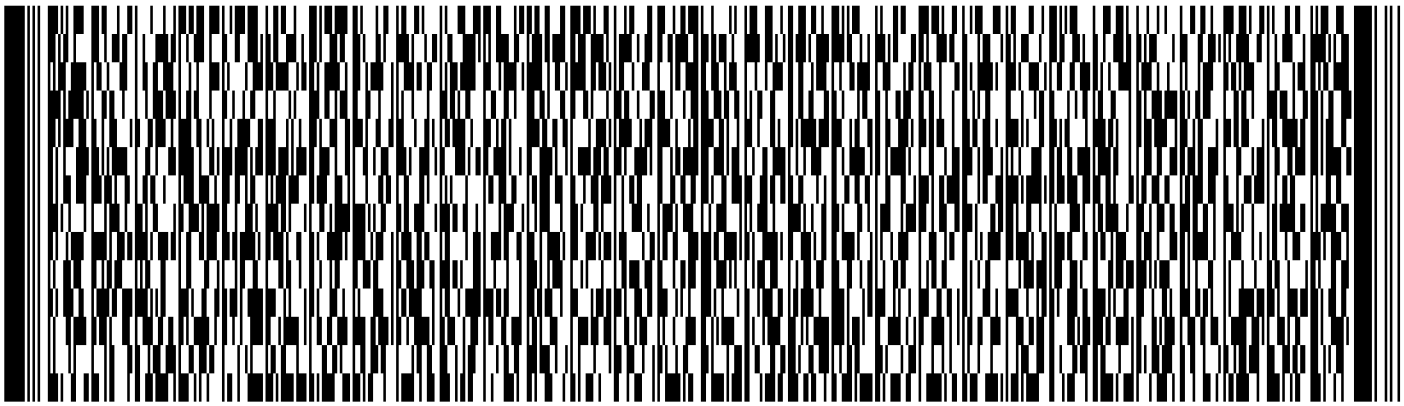
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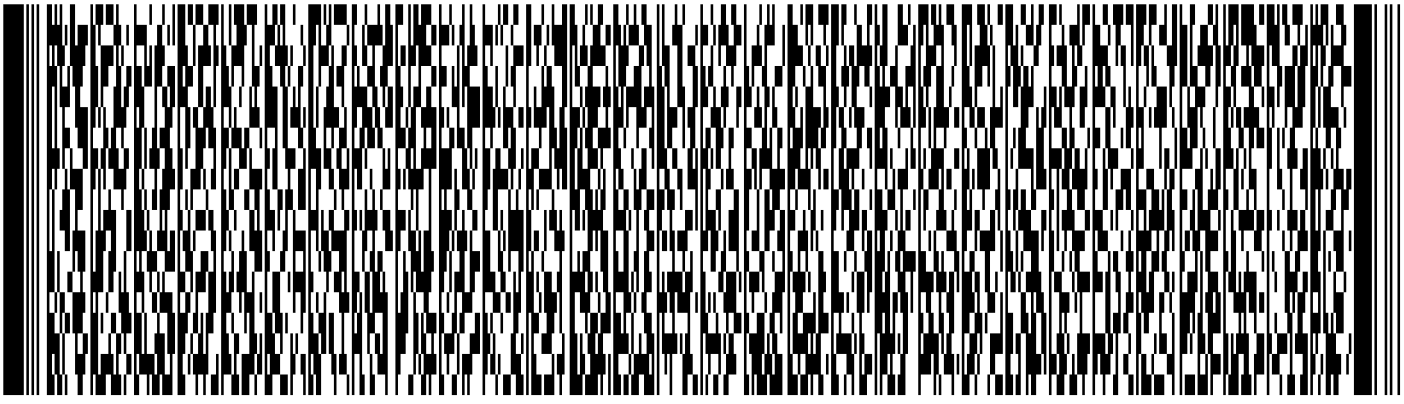
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**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT**
**FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS**
**DALLAS DIVISION**

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| In re: | § | Chapter 11 |
| HIGHER GROUND EDUCATION, INC., *et al.*, | § | Case No. 25-80121 (MVL) |
| Debtors.[1] | § | (Jointly Administered) |

**NOTES TO POST-CONFIRMATION REPORT**

On June 17, 2025 and June 18, 2025 (collectively, the "Petition Date"), each of the Debtors filed a voluntary petition for relief under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code. On June 20, 2025, the Court entered an order [Docket No. 41] granting procedural consolidation and joint administration of these chapter 11 cases pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 1015(b). No request for the appointment of a trustee or examiner has been made in these chapter 11 cases. On July 8, 2025, the United States Trustee for the Northern District of Texas (the "U.S. Trustee") appointed an official committee of unsecured creditors pursuant to section 1102 of the Bankruptcy Code [Docket No. 158].

On November 26, 2025, the Court entered its Order confirming the *Modified Second Amended Joint Plan of Reorganization of Higher Ground Education, Inc., Its Affiliated Debtors, and the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors* [Docket No. 649] (the "Plan") [Docket No. 708].[2] The effective date of the Plan occurred on December 16, 2025 (the "Effective Date"). Under the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement, the HGE Liquidating Trust shall serve as a successor to the Debtors pursuant to sections 1123(a)(5)(B) and (b)(3)(B) of the Bankruptcy Code to: (a) administer the terms of the Plan, including making payments in accordance with Article 7 to all Holders of Allowed Claims and Interests; (b) make distributions pursuant to the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement; (c) assert any Debtors' Retained Cause of Action that constitutes a Liquidating Trust Asset on behalf of the Debtors and their Estates; and (d) take such other action as may be authorized by the Liquidating Trust Agreement, including objecting to any and all Claims other than Professional Fee Claims..

In accordance with the Plan, on the Effective Date, the Debtors' estates were deemed consolidated for distribution purposes so that, among other things, any claim filed against any Debtor shall be deemed filed against the consolidated Debtors and shall be deemed a single consolidated Claim against and obligation of the consolidated Debtors.

[1] A complete list of the Debtors in these chapter 11 cases may be obtained on the website of the Debtors' claims and noticing agent at https://www.veritaglobal.net/higherground. The Debtors' service address for these chapter 11 cases is 1321 Upland Dr., PMB 20442, Houston, TX 77043.

[2] Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Plan.

The HGE Liquidating Trust is filing this quarterly post-confirmation report (this "PCR") solely for the purposes of reporting to the U.S. Trustee in accordance with the Instructions for UST Form 11-PCR: Post Confirmation Report (12/07/2022). The following notes, statements, and limitations should be referred to and referenced in connection with any review of the PCR.

**Note to Part 2: Pre-Confirmation Professional Fees and Expenses**: All preconfirmation professional fees for retained bankruptcy professionals are reported on a consolidated basis in Part 2.a. of the PCR for Higher Ground Education, Inc. (Case No. 25-80121). All preconfirmation professional fees for ordinary course professionals are reported on a consolidated basis in Part 2.b. of the PCR for Higher Ground Education, Inc. (Case No. 25-80121).

**Note to Part 3: Recoveries of the Holders of Claims and Interests under Confirmed Plan:** The total amounts paid by the HGE Liquidating Trust in the quarter, total cumulative amounts paid by the HGE Liquidating Trust since it was established on the Effective Date, and the aggregate allowed amount of claims in each class are all reported on a consolidated basis in Part 3 of the PCR for Higher Ground Education, Inc. (Case No. 25-80121). Further, Professional Fee Claims are not included in Part 3 and are instead reported in Part 2.

**Reservation of Rights:** Given the complexity of the Debtors' books and records and the ongoing administration of the Liquidating Trust Assets, inadvertent errors or omissions may have occurred. The Liquidating Trustee reserves all rights to amend or supplement the PCR in all respects as may be necessary or appropriate. Nothing contained in this PCR shall constitute an admission of any kind or nature or a waiver of any rights of the HGE Liquidating Trust or the Liquidating Trustee, all of which are expressly reserved in full.

This PCR was executed by John P. Madden, Managing Partner of Emerald Capital Advisors Corp., solely in his capacity as Liquidating Trustee of the HGE Liquidating Trust.