

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

In re:)	Chapter 11
)	Case No. 08-12229 (MFW)
Washington Mutual, Inc., <i>et al.</i> , ¹)	(Jointly Administered)
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Debtors.)	Ref. Docket No. 11011, 11039 & 11054
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)	Hearing Date: March 7, 2013 at 10:30 AM
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ORDER

Upon the motion, dated February 1, 2013 (the "Motion"), of Chandan Sharma (the "Claimant") for entry of an order authorizing Claimant to amend his respective claim as more fully set forth in the Motion, pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 7015; the Court finding that it has jurisdiction over this matter and the relief requested herein pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334; and it appearing that due and proper notice of the Motion and the relief requested therein having been given, and no other or further notice need be given, and all parties in interest having been heard or having been afforded an opportunity to be heard; and the Court having determined that the legal and factual bases set forth in the Motion establishes just cause for the relief granted herein; and the Court having determined that good and just cause appears in favor of granting the Motion;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The Motion is GRANTED as set forth herein;

¹ The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number are: (i) Washington Mutual, Inc. (3725); and (ii) WMI Investment Corp. (5395).



2. Claimant is hereby granted leave to file an amended proof of claim asserting a claim pursuant to his respective WaMu severance plan and the retention bonus agreement, as set forth in the Motion, within 15 days of the entry of this Order;
3. Claimant's amended proof of claim will relate back to the bar date established in these cases, March 31, 2009;
4. WMI Liquidating Trust may file objection (the "Objection") to the amended proof of claim solely with respect to any WaMu severance plan and the retention bonus agreement claim amendment, unless otherwise agreed to by the parties or ordered by the Court, within 30 days of the entry of this Order;
5. Claimant shall file a response, if any, to the Objection within 45 days of the entry of this Order;
6. The parties may take additional discovery solely with respect to the WaMu severance plan claim and the retention bonus agreement;
7. WMI Liquidating Trust is granted leave to bring additional adversary proceeding related solely to the WaMu severance plan claim and retention bonus agreement claim within 30 days of the entry of this Order;
8. Claimant hereby waives the invocation of any defense based on the running of any statute of limitation, statute of repose, period of prescription, contractual period of limitation, laches, and any other rule or doctrine, at law or in equity, relating to the timeliness of any claims that could have been timely asserted by WMI Liquidating Trust solely with respect to adversary proceedings related to the WaMu severance plan claim and retention bonus agreement claim.

9. This Order is without prejudice to the rights of any party to seek additional relief from this Court; and,
10. This Court shall retain jurisdiction with respect to any matters related to or arising from the implementation of this Order.

Dated: March 7, 2013

Wilmington, Delaware



THE HONORABLE MARY F. WALRATH
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE