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

|                                                   | 7 | Re: Docket No. 762      |
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| Reorganized Debtors. :                            |   | Jointly Administered    |
| EMERGE ENERGY SERVICES LP, et al., <sup>1</sup> : |   | Case No. 19-11563 (KBO) |
| In re:                                            |   | Chapter 11              |
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CERTIFICATION OF NO OBJECTION REGARDING THE SIXTH MONTHLY APPLICATION OF RICHARDS, LAYTON & FINGER, P.A. FOR ALLOWANCE OF COMPENSATION FOR SERVICES RENDERED AND FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES AS CO-COUNSEL TO THE DEBTORS AND DEBTORS IN POSSESSION FOR THE PERIOD FROM DECEMBER 1, 2019 THROUGH **DECEMBER 20, 2019 (NO ORDER REQUIRED)** 

The undersigned hereby certifies as follows:

- 1. On January 22, 2020, Richards, Layton & Finger, P.A. (the "Applicant") filed the Sixth Monthly Application of Richards, Layton & Finger, P.A. for Allowance of Compensation for Services Rendered and for Reimbursement of Expenses as Co-Counsel to the Debtors and Debtors in Possession for the Period from December 1, 2019 through December 20, 2019 [Docket No. 762] (the "Application"), with the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware (the "Court").
- 2. As of the date hereof, the undersigned has reviewed the Court's docket in these cases and certifies that no answer, objection, or other responsive pleading to the Application has

The Reorganized Debtors in these cases, along with the last four digits of each Reorganized Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: Emerge Energy Services LP (2937), Emerge Energy Services GP LLC (4683), Emerge Energy Services Operating LLC (2511), Superior Silica Sands LLC (9889), and Emerge Energy Services Finance Corporation (9875). The Reorganized Debtors' address is 6500 West Freeway, Suite 800, Fort Worth, Texas 76116.



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appeared thereon. Pursuant to the *Notice of Fee Application*, objections to the Application were to be filed and served no later than February 11, 2020 at 4:00 p.m. (Eastern Time).

3. The Application was filed and served in accordance with the *Order Under 11 U.S.C.* §§ 105(a) and 331, Fed. R. Bankr. P. 2016(a) and Del. Bankr. L.R. 2016-2 Establishing Procedures for Interim Compensation and Reimbursement of Professionals [Docket No. 155] (the "Interim Compensation Order"). Pursuant to the Interim Compensation Order and the Order Authorizing the Debtors to Employ and Retain Richards, Layton & Finger, P.A. as Co-Counsel to the Debtors Pursuant to Section 327(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rules 2014(a) and 2016 and Local Rule 2014-1, Nunc Pro Tunc to the Petition Date [Docket No. 198], the Reorganized Debtors are authorized and directed to pay the Applicant eighty percent (80%) of the fees and one hundred percent (100%) of the expenses requested in the Application upon the filing of this certification of no objection without the need for a further order of the Court. A summary of the fees and expenses sought by the Applicant is annexed hereto as Exhibit A.

Dated: February 14, 2020 Wilmington, Delaware

### /s/ Travis C. Cuomo

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# **EXHIBIT A**

**Emerge Energy Services LP**Professional Fees and Expenses Monthly Fee Application

| Applicant                                                  | Time Period                    | Fees & Expenses in Application | Fees and<br>Expenses<br>Allowed/<br>Awarded | Date Filed | Objection<br>Deadline |
|------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|------------|-----------------------|
| Richards, Layton & Finger, P.A.  Co-Counsel to the Debtors | 12/1/19<br>through<br>12/20/19 | \$77,418.00<br>(Fees)          | \$61,934.40<br>(Fees at 80%)                | 1/22/20    | 2/11/20               |
|                                                            | 12/20/19                       | \$7,618.09<br>(Expenses)       | \$7,618.09<br>(Expenses at<br>100%)         |            |                       |