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IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

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In re:

EXTRACTION OIL & GAS, INC. et al.,1

Debtors.

Chapter 11

Case No. 20-11548 (CSS)

(Joint Administration Requested)

DEBTORS' MOTION SEEKING ENTRY OF INTERIM AND FINAL ORDERS (I) AUTHORIZING THE DEBTORS TO (A) FILE A CONSOLIDATED LIST OF CREDITORS IN LIEU OF SUBMITTING A SEPARATE MAILING MATRIX FOR EACH DEBTOR, (B) FILE CONSOLIDATED LIST OF THE DEBTORS' THIRTY LARGEST UNSECURED CREDITORS, AND (C) REDACT CERTAIN PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION, AND (II) GRANTING RELATED RELIEF

The above-captioned debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the "Debtors")

respectfully state as follows in support of this motion (this "Motion"):

Relief Requested

1. The Debtors seek entry of an interim order (the "<u>Interim Order</u>") and a final order

(the "Final Order"), substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A and Exhibit B,

respectively: (a) authorizing the Debtors to (i) file a consolidated list of creditors in lieu of

submitting a separate mailing matrix for each Debtor, (ii) file a consolidated list of the Debtors'

¹ The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: Extraction Oil & Gas, Inc. (3923); 7N, LLC (4912); 8 North, LLC (0904); Axis Exploration, LLC (8170); Extraction Finance Corp. (7117); Mountaintop Minerals, LLC (7256); Northwest Corridor Holdings, LLC (9353); Table Mountain Resources, LLC (5070); XOG Services, LLC (6915); and XTR Midstream, LLC (5624). The location of the Debtors' principal place of business is 370 17th Street, Suite 5300, Denver, Colorado 80202.



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thirty largest unsecured creditors in lieu of filing lists for each Debtor, and (iii) redact certain personal identification information; and (b) granting related relief.

2. In addition, the Debtors request that the Court schedule a final hearing within approximately 25 days of the commencement of these chapter 11 cases to consider approval of this Motion on a final basis.

Jurisdiction and Venue

3. The United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware (the "<u>Court</u>") has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to 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. The Debtors confirm their consent, pursuant to rule 7008 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure (the "<u>Bankruptcy Rules</u>"), and 9013-1(f) of the Local Rules of Bankruptcy Practice and Procedure of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware (the "<u>Bankruptcy Local Rules</u>"), to the entry of a final order by the Court in connection with this Motion to the extent that it is later determined that the Court, absent consent of the parties, cannot enter final orders or judgments in connection herewith consistent with Article III of the United States Constitution.

4. Venue is proper pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409.

5. The statutory bases for the relief requested herein are sections 105(a), 107(c), and 521 of the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rules 1007 and 2002(d), and Bankruptcy Local Rules 1001-1(c), 1007-1, 1007-2, 2002-1, 9013-1(m), and 9018-1(d).

Background

6. On June 14, 2020 (the "<u>Petition Date</u>"), each Debtor filed a voluntary petition for relief under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code. A detailed description surrounding the facts and

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circumstances of these chapter 11 cases is set forth in the *Declaration of Matthew R. Owens, Co-Founder, President and Chief Executive Officer of the Debtors, in Support of Chapter 11 Petitions and First Day Motions* (the "<u>First Day Declaration</u>"), filed contemporaneously with this Motion and incorporated by reference herein.

7. The Debtors are operating their businesses and managing their properties as debtors in possession pursuant to sections 1107(a) and 1108 of the Bankruptcy Code. Concurrently with the filing of this Motion, the Debtors have requested 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, and no committees have been appointed or designated.

Basis for Relief

I. Cause Exists to Authorize the Debtors to File a Consolidated List of Creditors in Lieu of Filing a Separate Mailing Matrix for Each Debtor.

8. Bankruptcy Local Rule 2002-1(f)(v) requires each debtor, or its duly retained agent, in jointly administered cases, to maintain a separate creditor mailing matrix. Bankruptcy Local Rule 1001-1(c) permits modification of the Bankruptcy Local Rules by the Court "in the interest of justice." The Debtors submit that permitting them to maintain a single consolidated list of creditors (the "<u>Creditor Matrix</u>"), in lieu of maintaining a separate creditor matrix for each Debtor, is warranted. Requiring the Debtors to segregate and convert their computerized records to a Debtor-specific creditor matrix format would be an unnecessarily burdensome task and could result in duplicate mailings.²

² The Debtors submit that if any of these chapter 11 cases converts to a case under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code, the applicable Debtor will maintain its own creditor mailing matrix.

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9. Moreover, courts in this district have granted relief similar to the relief requested herein since the modifications to Bankruptcy Local Rule 2002-1(f)(v) took effect. *See, e.g., In re Bluestem Brands, Inc.*, No. 20-10566 (MFW) (Bankr. D. Del. Apr. 8, 2020) (authorizing filing of consolidated list of creditors in lieu of separate mailing matrices); *In re Clover Techs. Grp., LLC, et al.*, No. 19-12680 (KBO) (Bankr. D. Del. Feb. 4, 2020) (same); *In re Anna Holdings, Inc.*, No. 19-12551 (CSS) (Bankr. D. Del. Dec. 3, 2019) (same); *In re Destination Maternity Corp.*, No. 19-12256 (BLS) (Bankr. D. Del. Oct. 22, 2019) (same); *In re Forever 21, Inc.*, No. 19-12122 (KG) (Bankr. D. Del. Oct. 1, 2019) (same).³

II. It Is Appropriate and Necessary for the Debtors to File a Single Consolidated List of the Debtors' Top Thirty Largest Creditors in These Chapter 11 Cases.

10. Bankruptcy Rule 1007(d) provides that a debtor shall file "a list containing the name, address and claim of the creditors that hold the 20 largest unsecured claims, excluding insiders." Fed. R. Bank. P. 1007(d). This list is primarily used by the United States Trustee (the "<u>U.S. Trustee</u>") to evaluate the types and amounts of unsecured claims against the debtor and, thus, identify potential candidates to serve on an official committee of unsecured creditors appointed in the debtor's case pursuant to Bankruptcy Code section 1102.

11. The Debtors request authority to file a single list of their thirty largest general unsecured creditors on a consolidated basis (the "<u>Top 30 List</u>").⁴ Because the top creditors of the Debtors overlap, and certain Debtors may have fewer than thirty significant unsecured creditors, the Debtors submit that filing separate lists for each Debtor would be of limited utility. In addition,

³ Because of the voluminous nature of the orders cited herein, such orders have not been attached to this Motion. Copies of these orders are available upon request to the Debtors' proposed counsel.

⁴ The Debtors submit that if any of these chapter 11 cases converts to a case under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code, the applicable Debtor will file an unconsolidated Top 30 List within ten days of any such conversion.

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the exercise of compiling separate lists for each individual Debtor could consume an excessive amount of the company's limited time and resources. Further, the Debtors believe that a single, consolidated list of the Debtors' thirty largest unsecured, non-insider creditors will better aid the U.S. Trustee in its efforts to communicate with these creditors.

12. Courts in this district have granted relief similar to the relief requested herein. *See, e.g., In re Bluestem Brands, Inc.*, No. 20-10566 (MFW) (Bankr. D. Del. Apr. 8, 2020) (authorizing a consolidated top thirty general unsecured creditors list); *In re Clover Techs. Grp., LLC, et al.*, No. 19-12680 (KBO) (Bankr. D. Del. Feb. 4, 2020) (same); *In re Anna Holdings, Inc.,* No. 19-12551 (CSS) (Bankr. D. Del. Dec. 3, 2019) (same); *In re Destination Maternity Corp.,* No. 19-12256 (BLS) (Bankr. D. Del. Oct. 22, 2019) (same); *In re Forever 21, Inc.,* No. 19-12122 (KG) (Bankr. D. Del. Oct. 1, 2019) (authorizing a consolidated top fifty general unsecured creditors list).

13. Accordingly, the Debtors submit that filing a Top 30 List is necessary for the efficient and orderly administration of these chapter 11 cases, appropriate under the facts and circumstances, and in the best interests of the Debtors' estates.

III. Redaction of Certain Confidential Information of Individuals Is Warranted.

14. Section 107(c)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code provides that the Court:

for cause, may protect an individual, with respect to the following types of information to the extent the court finds that disclosure of such information would create undue risk of identity theft or other unlawful injury to the individual or the individual's property:

- (A) Any means of identification . . . contained in a paper filed, or to be filed, in a case under the Bankruptcy Code.
- (B) Other information contained in a paper described in subparagraph (A).

11 U.S.C. § 107(c)(1).

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15. In addition, privacy protection regulations are being enacted in key jurisdictions. In 2018, the state of California enacted the California Consumer Privacy Act of 2018 (the "<u>CCPA</u>"), which provides individuals domiciled in California the right to request their collected personal information be deleted by entities subject to the regulation. Violators risk injunctions and civil penalties of up to \$2,500 for each violation and up to \$7,500 for each intentional violation. Cal. Civ. Code § 1798.155. The CCPA applies to all for-profit entities doing business in California ("CCPA Entities") that collect and process consumers' personal data and satisfy one of the following criteria: (i) annual gross revenue in excess of \$25 million; (ii) buys, shares, receives, or sells the personal information of more than 50,000 consumers, households, or devices for commercial purposes; or (iii) receives 50% or more of their annual revenues from selling consumers' personal information. Cal. Civ. Code § 1798.140(c)(1). The Debtors likely qualify as CCPA Entities because their operations involve individual creditors, including royalty owners, located in California and the Debtors' annual gross revenue for 2019 was \$906,635,000. In addition, the European General Data Protection Regulation (the "GDPR"), which applies to all European Union member countries and protects all European Union member countries' citizens, imposes significant constraints on the disclosure of "personally identifiable information" (which includes home addresses of individuals). Violators of the GDPR risk severe penalties. If an organization is found to have disclosed information in breach of the GDPR, the organization may be fined up to the higher of €20,000,000 or 4% of worldwide annual turnover of the preceding financial year. See General Data Protection Regulation (EU) 2016/679, art. 83(5). The GDPR may apply to the Debtors as certain of the Debtors' creditors, including individual mineral interest

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holders, are located in member countries of the European Union and may therefore be European Union citizens protected by the personally identifiable information disclosure regulations.

16. The Debtors respectfully submit that it is appropriate to authorize the Debtors to redact from any paper filed or to be filed with the Court in these chapter 11 cases, including the Creditor Matrix and Schedules and Statements,⁵ (a) the home addresses of individual creditors including the Debtors' employees, mineral interest holders, and equity holders and (b) the names and addresses of European Union member countries' citizens because (x) such information can be used to perpetrate identity theft or locate survivors of domestic violence, harassment, or stalking, and (y) disclosure risks violating the CCPA and GDPR, exposing the Debtors to potential civil liability and significant financial penalties. This risk is not merely speculative. In at least one recent chapter 11 case, the abusive former partner of a debtor's employee used the publicly accessible creditor and employee information filed in the chapter 11 case to track the employee at her new address that had not been publicly available until then, forcing the employee to change addresses again.⁶

17. The Debtors propose to provide, on a confidential basis, an unredacted version of the Creditor Matrix, Schedules and Statements, and any other filings redacted pursuant to the Interim and Final Orders to (a) the Court, the U.S. Trustee, the ad hoc group of holders of the Debtors' prepetition senior notes, counsel to the administrative agent under the Debtors' prepetition senior credit facility, counsel to the administrative agent under the Debtors' debtor-in-

⁵ As defined in the Debtors' Motion for Entry of an Order(I) Extending Time to File Schedules of Assets and Liabilities, Schedules of Current Income and Expenditures, Schedules of Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases and Statements of Financial Affairs and (II) Granting Related Relief, filed contemporaneously herewith.

⁶ The incident, which took place during the first Charming Charlie chapter 11 proceedings in 2017, is described in the "creditor matrix motion" filed in *Charming Charlie Holdings Inc.*, Case No. 19-11534 (CSS) (Bankr. D. Del. Jul. 11, 2019), ECF No. 4.

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possession financing facilities, and the official committee of unsecured creditors appointed in these chapter 11 cases (if any), and (b) upon a request to the Debtors (email is sufficient) or to the Court that is reasonably related to these chapter 11 cases, any party in interest. In addition, the Debtors will distribute as applicable any notices that are received at the Debtors' corporate headquarters and are intended for a current employee.

18. Courts in this jurisdiction and others have granted the relief requested herein in comparable chapter 11 cases. See, e.g., In re TZEW Holdco LLC, No. 20-10910 (CSS) (Bankr. D. Del. Apr. 14, 2020) (authorizing the debtors to redact personally identifiable information, including home address information, of the debtors' individual creditors and interest holders on the creditor matrix, schedules and statements, and similar documents filed with the court); In re Art Van Furniture, LLC, No. 20-10553 (CSS) (Bankr. D. Del. Mar. 10, 2020) (authorizing the debtors to redact personally identifiable information, including home address information, of the debtors' individual creditors and interest holders on the creditor matrix and similar documents filed with the court); In re Boy Scouts of Am., No. 20-10343 (LSS) (Bankr. D. Del. Feb. 19, 2020) (authorizing the debtors to redact, among other things, personal contact information of current and former employee from the creditor unsecured creditors list); In re Melinta Therapeutics, Inc., No. 19-12748 (LSS) (Bankr. D. Del. Feb. 7, 2020) (authorizing the debtors to file under seal the portions of the creditor matrix, the schedules and statements, and any related affidavits of service containing the home addresses of the debtors' current employees); In re Clover Techs. Grp., LLC, et al., No. 19-12680 (KBO) (Bankr. D. Del. Feb. 4, 2020) (authorizing the debtors to redact personal identification information, including home address information, of all individuals on documents filed with the court, and names and address information in respect of individuals protected by the GDPR).

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19. Recently, in addition to granting the requested relief, courts in this district have also expounded on the importance of authorizing debtors to redact individual creditors' personally identifiable information, including home addresses in particular. In Art Van Furniture, in overruling the objection of the U.S. Trustee to the same redaction relief proposed here, Chief Judge Sontchi noted that the proposed redaction is not a "burden of proof" issue so "much as a common sense issue." Hr'g Tr. at 25:6–7, In re Art Van Furniture, LLC, No. 20-10533 (CSS) (Bankr. D. Del. Mar. 2020).⁷ Judge Sontchi found that "at this point and given the risks associated with having any kind of private information out on the internet, [redaction] has really become routine [and] I think obvious relief." Id. at 25:13–16. Similarly, in Clover, Judge Owens overruled the U.S. Trustee's objection, noting that "[t]o me it is common sense. I don't need evidence that there is, at best, a risk of identity theft and worse a risk of personal injury from listing someone's name and address on the internet by way of the court's electronic case filing system and, of course, the claims agent's website.... The court can completely avoid contributing to the risk by redacting the addresses. And while there is, of course, an important right of access we routinely redact sensitive and confidential information for corporate entities and redact individual's home addresses." Hr'g Tr. at 24:21-25, 25:9-10, In re Clover Techs. Grp., LLC, No. 19-12680 (KBO) (Bankr. D. Del. Jan. 22, 2020). And, in *Forever 21*, in overruling the U.S. Trustee's objection, Judge Gross found that "[w]e live in a new age in which the theft of personal identification is a

⁷ Similarly, Judge Sontchi previously overruled the Delaware U.S. Trustee's objection to the redaction of individuals' information and found that "it's just plain common sense in 2019—soon-to-be 2020—to put as little information out as possible about people's personal lives to present [sic] scams . . . [Identity theft] is a real-life issue, and, of course, the issue of domestic violence is extremely important." Hr'g Tr. at 48:20–22, 49:3–5, *In re Anna Holdings*, No. 19-12551 (CSS) (Bankr. D. Del. Dec. 3, 2019).

Notably, Judge Sontchi acknowledged that "the world is very different from [the 1980s] when you and I started practice with the problems of identity theft" and that his perspective had evolved in that he was not previously aware of "the dangers with this kind of information becoming public." *See* Hr'g Tr. at 45:25-46:2, 47:22–24. The Debtors reserve the right to supplement the record with respect to such risks insofar as they are not self-evident in this instance.

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real risk, as is injury to persons who, for personal reasons, seek to have their addresses withheld." Hr'g Tr. at 60:22–25, *In re Forever 21, Inc.*, No. 19-12122 (KG) (Bankr. D. Del. Dec. 19, 2019).

20. Further, Judge Gross found that it was not necessary to the effective administration of the debtors' bankruptcy estates to disclose the personally identifiable information of the debtors' stakeholders who are European Union member citizens which therefore created risk that debtors could be fined under the GDPR for unnecessary disclosures of personal information.

But I'll say the GDPR contains a necessity test in its guidelines. Is disclosure necessary for the legal proceedings at hand? Clearly, disclosing home addresses is not necessary for the conduct of the bankruptcy case and the absence of the address does not prejudice anyone; indeed, there's been no objection from any creditor in this case.

Hr'g Tr. at 62:16–22, In re Forever 21, Inc., No. 19-12122.

21. For these reasons, the Debtors respectfully submit that cause exists to authorize the Debtors to redact, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 107(c)(1) and in compliance with the CCPA and GDPR, the home addresses of individuals (and, with respect to individuals who are or may be located in the European Union, the names and home addresses) listed on the Creditor Matrix, Schedules and Statements, or any other document filed with the Court. Absent such relief, the Debtors (a) would be in violation of applicable data privacy law, thereby exposing them to severe monetary penalties that could threaten the Debtors' operations during this sensitive stage of their restructuring, (b) would unnecessarily render individuals more susceptible to identity theft, and (c) could jeopardize the safety of employees, mineral interest holders, and other individual creditors or equity holders who, unbeknownst to the Debtors, are survivors of domestic violence, harassment, or stalking by publishing their home addresses without any advance notice or opportunity to opt out or take protective measures.

<u>Compliance with Bankruptcy Local Rule 9018-1(d)(iv)</u>

22. To the best of the knowledge, information, and belief of the undersigned proposed counsel to the Debtors, the documents that the Debtors are requesting to seal pursuant to the relief requested in this Motion do not contain information subject to the Confidentiality Rights of another Holder of Confidentiality Rights (each as defined in Bankruptcy Local Rule 9018-1(d)(iii)).

<u>Notice</u>

23. Notice of the hearing on the relief requested in this Motion will be provided by the Debtors in accordance and compliance with Bankruptcy Rules 4001 and 9014, as well as the Bankruptcy Local Rules, and is sufficient under the circumstances. Without limiting the foregoing, due notice will be afforded, whether by facsimile, electronic mail, overnight courier or hand delivery, to parties-in-interest, including: (a) the U.S. Trustee for the District of Delaware; (b) the holders of the 30 largest unsecured claims against the Debtors (on a consolidated basis); (c) the administrative agent under the Debtors' prepetition senior credit facility or, in lieu thereof, counsel thereto; (d) the lenders under the Debtors' prepetition senior credit facility or, in lieu thereof, counsel thereto; (e) the lenders under the Debtors' debtor-in-possession financing facilities or, in lieu thereof, counsel thereto; (f) the administrative agent under the Debtors' debtorin-possession financing facilities or, in lieu thereof, counsel thereto; (g) the indenture trustee for the Debtors' prepetition senior notes or, in lieu thereof, counsel thereto; (h) the holders of the Debtors' prepetition senior notes or, in lieu thereof, counsel thereto; (i) the ad hoc group of holders of the Debtors' preferred equity or, in lieu thereof, counsel thereto; (j) the United States Attorney's Office for the District of Delaware; (k) the Internal Revenue Service; (l) the United States Securities and Exchange Commission; (m) the state attorneys general for states in which the Debtors conduct business; and (n) any party that has requested notice pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002. The Debtors submit that, in light of the nature of the relief requested, no other or further notice need be given.

No Prior Request

24. No prior request for the relief sought in this Motion has been made to this or any other court.

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WHEREFORE, the Debtors respectfully request that the Court enter the Interim Order and Final Order, substantially in the forms attached hereto as **Exhibit A** and **Exhibit B**, granting the relief requested in this Motion and granting such other and further relief as is appropriate under the circumstances.

Dated: June 15, 2020 Wilmington, Delaware

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<u>Exhibit A</u>

Proposed Interim Order

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

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Chapter 11

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Re: Docket No. ___

INTERIM ORDER (I) AUTHORIZING THE DEBTORS TO (A) FILE A CONSOLIDATED LIST OF CREDITORS IN LIEU OF SUBMITTING A SEPARATE MAILING MATRIX FOR EACH DEBTOR, (B) FILE A CONSOLIDATED LIST OF THE DEBTORS' THIRTY LARGEST UNSECURED CREDITORS, AND (C) REDACT CERTAIN PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION AND (II) GRANTING RELATED RELIEF

Upon the motion (the "<u>Motion</u>")² of the above-captioned debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the "<u>Debtors</u>") for entry of an interim order (this "<u>Interim Order</u>") (a) authorizing the Debtors to (i) file a consolidated list of creditors in lieu of submitting a separate mailing matrix for each Debtor, (ii) file a consolidated list of the Debtors' thirty largest unsecured creditors in lieu of filing lists for each Debtor, and (iii) redact certain personal identification information; (b) scheduling a final hearing to consider approval of the Motion on a final basis; and (c) 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 pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334 and the

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² Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein have the meanings ascribed to them in the Motion.

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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 venue of this proceeding and the Motion in this district 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 reviewed the Motion and having heard the statements in support of the relief requested therein at a hearing before this Court (the "Hearing"); and this Court having determined that the legal and factual bases set forth in the Motion and at the Hearing establish just cause for the relief granted herein; and upon all of the proceedings had before this Court; and 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 "<u>Final Hearing</u>") on the Motion shall be held on ______, 2020 at__:___.m., prevailing Eastern Time. Any objections or responses to entry of a final order on the Motion shall be filed on or before 4:00 p.m., prevailing Eastern Time, on ______, 2020, and shall be served on: (a) the Debtors, Extraction Oil & Gas, Inc., 370 17th Street, Suite 5300, Denver, Colorado 80202, Attn: Eric Christ; (b) proposed counsel to the Debtors, (i) Kirkland & Ellis LLP, 601 Lexington Avenue, New York, New York 10022, Attn: Christopher Marcus, P.C., Allyson Smith Weinhouse, and Ciara Foster and (ii) Whiteford, Taylor & Preston LLC, The Renaissance Centre, Suite 500, 405 North King Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19801, Attn: Marc R. Abrams, Richard W. Riley, and Stephen B. Gerald; (c) the United States Trustee, 844 King Street, Suite 2207, Lockbox 35, Wilmington, Delaware 19801, Attn: Richard L. Schepacarter; (d) counsel to the administrative agent under the Debtors' prepetition senior credit facility, Bracewell LLP, 711 Louisiana Street, Suite 2300, Houston, Texas 77002, Attn: Dewy J.

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Gonsoulin Jr., William A. (Trey) Wood III, and Heather Brown; (e) counsel to the ad hoc group of lenders under the Debtors' prepetition senior notes, (i) Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP, 1285 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10019, Attn: Andrew Rosenberg, Alice Belisle Eaton, Christopher Hopkins, Douglas Keeton and Omid Rahnama and (ii) Young Conaway Stargatt & Taylor, LLP, 1000 North King Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19801, Attn: Pauline K. Morgan & Sean T. Greecher; (f) counsel to the ad hoc group of holders of the Debtors' preferred equity, Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan, LLP, 51 Madison Avenue, 22nd Floor, New York, New York 10010, Attn: Benjamin Finestone; and (g) counsel to any statutory committee appointed in these chapter 11 cases. In the event no objections to entry of the Final Order on the Motion are timely received, this Court may enter such Final Order without need for the Final Hearing.

3. The requirements of Bankruptcy Local Rule 1007-2(a) and Bankruptcy Local Rule 2002-1(f)(v) that separate mailing matrices be submitted for each Debtor are permanently waived, and the Debtors are authorized to submit a consolidated Creditor Matrix; *provided* that if any of these chapter 11 cases converts to a case under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code, each applicable Debtor shall file its own creditor mailing matrix.

4. The Debtors are authorized to file a consolidated Top 30 List.

5. The Debtors are authorized to redact (a) the home addresses of individuals listed on the Creditor Matrix, Schedules and Statements, or other document filed with the Court and (b) names and address information in respect of individuals protected by the CCPA or the GDPR. The Debtors shall provide an unredacted version of the Creditor Matrix, Schedules and Statements, and any other filings redacted pursuant to this Interim Order to (x) the Court, the U.S. Trustee, the ad hoc group of holders of the Debtors' prepetition senior notes, counsel to the administrative

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agent under the Debtors' prepetition senior credit facility, counsel to the administrative agent under the Debtors' debtor-in-possession financing facilities, and counsel to an official committee of unsecured creditors appointed in these chapter 11 cases (if any), and (y) upon a request to the Debtors (email is sufficient) or to the Court that is reasonably related to these chapter 11 cases, any party in interest, subject to the restrictions of the CCPA and GDPR; *provided* that any receiving party shall not transfer or otherwise provide such unredacted document to any person or entity not party to the request. The Debtors shall inform the U.S. Trustee promptly after denying any request for an unredacted document pursuant to this Interim Order.

6. When serving any notice in these cases on the Debtors' employees and European Union member countries' citizens, the Debtors' claims agent, and, where applicable, the Clerk of the Court, shall use the employee's and European Union member countries' citizens' home address.

7. Nothing in this Order shall waive or otherwise limit the service of any document upon or the provision of any notice to any individual whose Personal Information is sealed or redacted pursuant to this Order. Service of all documents and notices upon individuals whose Personal Information is sealed or redacted pursuant to this Order shall be confirmed in the corresponding certificate of service. The Debtors shall provide the Personal Information to any party in interest that files a motion that indicates the reason such information is needed and that, after notice and a hearing, is granted by the Court.

8. Notice of the Motion as provided therein shall be deemed good and sufficient notice of such Motion and the requirements of Bankruptcy Rule 6004(a) and the Bankruptcy Local Rules are satisfied by such notice.

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9. Notwithstanding Bankruptcy Rule 6004(h), the terms and conditions of this Interim Order are immediately effective and enforceable upon its entry.

10. The Debtors are authorized to take all actions necessary to effectuate the relief granted in this Interim Order in accordance with the Motion.

11. This Court retains exclusive jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or related to the implementation, interpretation, and enforcement of this Interim Order.

<u>Exhibit B</u>

Proposed Final Order

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

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In re:

EXTRACTION OIL & GAS, INC. et al.,1

Debtors.

Chapter 11

Case No. 20-11548 (CSS)

(Joint Administration Requested)

Re: Docket No. ____

FINAL ORDER (I) AUTHORIZING THE DEBTORS TO (A) FILE A CONSOLIDATED LIST OF CREDITORS IN LIEU OF SUBMITTING A SEPARATE MAILING MATRIX FOR EACH DEBTOR, (B) FILE A CONSOLIDATED LIST OF THE DEBTORS' THIRTY LARGEST UNSECURED CREDITORS, AND (C) REDACT CERTAIN PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION, AND (II) GRANTING RELATED RELIEF

Upon the motion (the "<u>Motion</u>")² of the above-captioned debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the "<u>Debtors</u>") for entry of a final order (this "<u>Final Order</u>") (a) authorizing the Debtors to (i) file a consolidated list of creditors in lieu of submitting a separate mailing matrix for each Debtor, (ii) file a consolidated list of the Debtors' thirty largest unsecured creditors in lieu of filing lists for each Debtor, and (iii) redact certain personal identification information; and (b) 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 pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334 and the *Amended Standing Order of Reference* from the United States District Court for the

¹ The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: Extraction Oil & Gas, Inc. (3923); 7N, LLC (4912); 8 North, LLC (0904); Axis Exploration, LLC (8170); Extraction Finance Corp. (7117); Mountaintop Minerals, LLC (7256); Northwest Corridor Holdings, LLC (9353); Table Mountain Resources, LLC (5070); XOG Services, LLC (6915); and XTR Midstream, LLC (5624). The location of the Debtors' principal place of business is 370 17th Street, Suite 5300, Denver, Colorado 80202.

² Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein have the meanings ascribed to them in the Motion.

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District of Delaware, dated February 29, 2012; 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 this proceeding and the Motion in this district 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 reviewed the Motion and having heard the statements in support of the relief requested therein at a hearing before this Court (the "<u>Hearing</u>"); and this Court having determined that the legal and factual bases set forth in the Motion and at the Hearing establish just cause for the relief granted herein; and upon all of the proceedings had before this Court; and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor, it is HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The Motion is granted on a final basis as set forth herein.

2. The requirements of Bankruptcy Local Rule 1007-2(a) and Bankruptcy Local Rule 2002-1(f)(v) that separate mailing matrices be submitted for each Debtor are permanently waived, and the Debtors are authorized to submit a consolidated Creditor Matrix; *provided* that if any of these chapter 11 cases converts to a case under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code, each applicable Debtor shall file its own creditor mailing matrix.

3. The Debtors are authorized to file a consolidated Top 30 List.

4. The Debtors are authorized to redact (a) the home addresses of individuals listed on the Creditor Matrix, Schedules and Statements, or other document filed with the Court and (b) names and address information in respect of individuals protected by the CCPA or the GDPR. The Debtors shall provide an unredacted version of the Creditor Matrix, Schedules and Statements, and any other filings redacted pursuant to this Final Order to (x) the Court, the U.S. Trustee, the ad hoc group of holders of the Debtors' prepetition senior notes, counsel to the administrative

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agent under the Debtors' prepetition senior credit facility, counsel to the administrative agent under the Debtors' debtor-in-possession financing facilities, and counsel to an official committee of unsecured creditors appointed in these chapter 11 cases (if any), and (y) upon a request to the Debtors (email is sufficient) or to the Court that is reasonably related to these chapter 11 cases, any party in interest, subject to the restrictions of the CCPA and GDPR; *provided* that any receiving party shall not transfer or otherwise provide such unredacted document to any person or entity not party to the request. The Debtors shall inform the U.S. Trustee promptly after denying any request for an unredacted document pursuant to this Final Order.

5. When serving any notice in these cases on the Debtors' employees and European Union member countries' citizens, the Debtors' claims agent, and, where applicable, the Clerk of the Court, shall use the employee's and European Union member countries' citizens' home address.

6. Nothing in this Order shall waive or otherwise limit the service of any document upon or the provision of any notice to any individual whose Personal Information is sealed or redacted pursuant to this Order. Service of all documents and notices upon individuals whose Personal Information is sealed or redacted pursuant to this Order shall be confirmed in the corresponding certificate of service. The Debtors shall provide the Personal Information to any party in interest that files a motion that indicates the reason such information is needed and that, after notice and a hearing, is granted by the Court.

7. Notice of the Motion as provided therein shall be deemed good and sufficient notice of such Motion and the requirements of Bankruptcy Rule 6004(a) and the Bankruptcy Local Rules are satisfied by such notice.

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8. Notwithstanding Bankruptcy Rule 6004(h), the terms and conditions of this Final Order are immediately effective and enforceable upon its entry.

9. The Debtors are authorized to take all actions necessary to effectuate the relief granted in this Final Order in accordance with the Motion.

10. This Court retains exclusive jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or related to the implementation, interpretation, and enforcement of this Final Order.