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

In re:

SOUTHCROSS ENERGY PARTNERS, L.P., *et al.*,

Debtors.<sup>1</sup>

Chapter 11

Case No. 19-10702 (MFW)

Jointly Administered

**RE: D.I. 7** 

## INTERIM ORDER AUTHORIZING (I) DEBTORS TO CONTINUE AND RENEW THEIR LIABILITY, PROPERTY, CASUALTY, AND OTHER INSURANCE PROGRAMS AND HONOR ALL OBLIGATIONS IN RESPECT THEREOF AND (II) FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS TO HONOR AND PROCESS RELATED CHECKS AND TRANSFERS

Upon the motion (the "Motion")<sup>2</sup> of Southcross Energy Partners, L.P. ("Southcross"),

Southcross Energy Partners GP, LLC, and Southcross's wholly owned direct and indirect

subsidiaries, each of which is a debtor and debtor in possession in the Chapter 11 Cases

(collectively, the "Debtors"), for entry of interim and final orders pursuant to sections 105(a),

363(b)(1), and 363(c)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code, (a) authorizing, but not directing, the Debtors

to maintain, continue, and renew, in their sole discretion, the Insurance Programs through the

 $<sup>^{2}</sup>$  Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Motion.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The debtors and debtors in possession in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of their respective Employer Identification Numbers, are as follows: Southcross Energy Partners, L.P. (5230); Southcross Energy Partners GP, LLC (5141); Southcross Energy Finance Corp. (2225); Southcross Energy Operating, LLC (9605); Southcross Energy GP LLC (4246); Southcross Energy LP LLC (4304); Southcross Gathering Ltd. (7233); Southcross CCNG Gathering Ltd. (9553); Southcross CCNG Transmission Ltd. (4531); Southcross Marketing Company Ltd. (3313); Southcross NGL Pipeline Ltd. (3214); Southcross Midstream Services, L.P. (5932); Southcross Mississippi Industrial Gas Sales, L.P. (7519); Southcross Mississippi Pipeline, L.P. (7499); Southcross Gulf Coast Transmission Ltd. (0546); Southcross Mississippi Gathering, L.P. (2994); Southcross Delta Pipeline LLC (6804); Southcross Alabama Pipeline LLC (7180); Southcross Nueces Pipelines LLC (7034); Southcross Processing LLC (0672); FL Rich Gas Services GP, LLC (5172); FL Rich Gas Services, LP (0219); FL Rich Gas Utility GP, LLC (3280); FL Rich Gas Utility, LP (3644); Southcross Transmission, LP (6432); T2 EF Cogeneration Holdings LLC (0613); and T2 EF Cogeneration LLC (4976). The debtors' mailing address is 1717 Main Street, Suite 5300, Dallas, TX 75201.

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Insurance Carriers on an uninterrupted basis and in accordance with the same practices and procedures as were in effect before the Petition Date and (b) authorizing the Debtors' financial institutions to receive, process, honor, and pay checks or wire transfers used by the Debtors to pay the foregoing, as more fully described in the Motion; and the Court having jurisdiction to consider the matters raised in the Motion pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1334 and the Amended Standing Order of Reference from the United States District Court for the District of Delaware, dated February 29, 2012; and the Court having authority to hear the matters raised in the Motion pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157; and venue being proper before this Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409; and consideration of the Motion and the requested relief being a core proceeding that the Court can determine pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(2); and due and proper notice of the Motion and opportunity for a hearing on the Motion having been given to the parties listed therein, and it appearing that no other or further notice need be provided; and the Court having reviewed and considered the Motion and the Howe Declaration; and the Court having held a hearing on the Motion (the "Hearing"); and the 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 the Court having found that the relief requested in the Motion being in the best interests of the Debtors, their creditors, their estates, and all other parties in interest; and upon all of the proceedings had before the Court; and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor,

### IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The relief requested in the Motion is hereby granted on an interim basis as set forth herein.

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2. The Debtors are authorized, but not directed to maintain and continue, in their sole discretion, their Insurance Programs without interruption and in accordance with the same practices and procedures as were in effect prior to the Petition Date.

3. The Debtors are authorized, but not directed, to pay, in their sole discretion, the Insurance Obligations, if any, that may be owed in connection with the Insurance Programs or the financing thereof (including the Brokers' Fees and Insurance Deductibles) during the interim period, in an amount not to exceed \$35,000, whether due and payable before, on, or after the Petition Date, unless otherwise ordered by the Court.

4. The Debtors are authorized, but not directed to (a) renew or obtain, in their sole discretion, new insurance policies or execute other agreements in connection with their Insurance Programs, including, without limitation, upon the expiration or termination of any Insurance Program and (b) enter, in their sole discretion, into insurance premium financing transactions in connection with the Insurance Programs.

5. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Insurance Programs or Obligations, in the event the Debtors default under the terms of the Insurance Programs or Obligations, the Insurer shall not cancel any insurance policy of the Debtors without first providing notice of such default in writing by overnight mail to the Debtors, their counsel, any statutory committee, and the U.S. Trustee and with at least 5 business days to cure. If the Debtors fail to cure the default within that time, then the Insurer may, in accordance with the terms of any applicable Insurance Program, and without further order of this Court, exercise any and all of its rights under the Insurance Program.

6. A final hearing to consider the relief requested in the Motion shall be held on May7, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. (Prevailing Eastern Time) and any objections or responses to the Motion

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shall be filed and served on the Notice Parties so as to be actually received on or prior to April 16, 2019 at 4:00 p.m. (Prevailing Eastern Time).

7. All applicable banks and other financial institutions are hereby authorized to receive, process, honor, and pay any and all checks, drafts, wires, check transfer requests, or automated clearing house transfers evidencing amounts paid by the Debtors under this Order whether presented prior to, on, or after the Petition Date. Such banks and financial institutions are authorized to rely on the representations of the Debtors as to which checks are issued or authorized to be paid pursuant to this interim Order without any duty of further inquiry and without liability for following the Debtors' instructions.

8. The Debtors are authorized, but not required to issue, in their sole discretion, new post-petition checks, or effect new fund transfers, for the Insurance Obligations to replace any prepetition checks or fund transfer requests that may be dishonored or rejected and to reimburse the Insurance Carriers, the Brokers, or the applicable payee, as the case may be, for any fees or costs incurred by them in connection with a dishonored or voided check or funds transfer.

9. Nothing in this Order or any action taken by the Debtors in furtherance of the implementation hereof shall be deemed to constitute an assumption or rejection of any executory contract or unexpired lease pursuant to section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code, and all of the Debtors' rights with respect to such matters are expressly reserved.

10. Notwithstanding the relief granted herein and any actions taken hereunder, nothing contained herein shall (a) create, nor is it intended to create, any rights in favor of, or enhance the status of any claim held by, any person or entity or (b) be deemed to convert the priority of any claim from a prepetition claim into an administrative expense claim.

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11. Nothing in this Order nor the Debtors' payment of claims pursuant to this Order shall be construed as or deemed to constitute (a) an agreement or admission by the Debtors as to the validity of any claim against the Debtors on any ground, (b) a grant of third party beneficiary status or bestowal of any additional rights on any third party, (c) a waiver or impairment of any rights, claims or defenses of the Debtors' rights to dispute any claim on any grounds, (d) a promise by the Debtors to pay any claim, or (e) an implication or admission by the Debtors that such claim is payable pursuant to this Order.

12. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Order, in the event of any inconsistency between the terms of this Order and the terms of any order of this Court approving the debtor-in-possession financing facility and use of cash collateral (the "**DIP Order**"), including, without limitation, any budget in connection therewith, the terms of the DIP Order shall govern.

The requirements of Bankruptcy Rule 6003 are satisfied by the contents of the Motion.

14. Any Bankruptcy Rule (including, but not limited to, Bankruptcy Rule 6004(h)) or Local Rule that might otherwise delay the effectiveness of this Order is hereby waived, and the terms and conditions of this Order shall be effective and enforceable immediately upon its entry.

15. The Debtors are authorized to take all such actions as are necessary or appropriate to implement the terms of this Order.

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16. The Court shall retain exclusive jurisdiction to hear and determine all matters arising from or related to the implementation, interpretation, and enforcement of this Order.

MARY F. WALRATH UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

Dated: April 2nd, 2019 Wilmington, Delaware