## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

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In re : Chapter 11

TECT AEROSPACE GROUP HOLDINGS, : Case No. 21–10670 (KBO)

INC., et al., :

: Jointly Administered

Debtors.<sup>1</sup> : Re: D.I. 6

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## ORDER AUTHORIZING THE APPOINTMENT OF KURTZMAN CARSON CONSULTANTS LLC AS CLAIMS AND NOTICING AGENT NUNC PRO TUNC TO THE PETITION DATE

Upon the application (the "Application")<sup>2</sup> of TECT Aerospace Group Holdings, Inc. and its debtor affiliates in the above-captioned chapter 11 cases, as debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the "Debtors"), for entry of an order (this "Order") appointing Kurtzman Carson Consultants LLC ("KCC") as claims and noticing agent ("Claims and Noticing Agent") in the Debtors' chapter 11 cases, which will include KCC assuming full responsibility for the distribution of notices and the maintenance, processing and docketing of proofs of claim, if any, filed in the Debtors' chapter 11 cases, all as more fully set forth in the Application; and upon the Jordan Declaration, filed contemporaneously with and attached to the Application as Exhibit B; and the Debtors having estimated that there are in excess of 1,000 notice parties in these chapter 11 cases; and it appearing that the receiving, docketing and maintaining of proofs of claim would be unduly time consuming and burdensome for the Clerk; and the Court being authorized under 28 U.S.C.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Debtors in these cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: TECT Aerospace Group Holdings, Inc. (9338); TECT Aerospace Kansas Holdings, LLC (4241); TECT Aerospace Holdings, LLC (9112); TECT Aerospace Wellington Inc. (4768); TECT Aerospace, LLC (8650); TECT Hypervelocity, Inc. (8103); and Sun Country Holdings, LLC (6079). The Debtors' mailing address is 300 W. Douglas, Suite 100, Wichita, KS 67202.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein have the meanings given to those terms in the Application.

\$156(c) to utilize, at the Debtors' expense, outside agents and facilities to provide notices to parties in title 11 cases and to receive, docket, maintain, photocopy and transmit proofs of claim; and the Court being satisfied that KCC has the capability and experience to provide such services and that KCC does not hold an interest adverse to the Debtors or the estates respecting the matters upon which it is to be engaged; and the Court having jurisdiction to consider the Application and the relief requested therein pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157(a)–(b) and 1334(b), and the Amended Standing Order of Reference from the United States District Court for the District of Delaware, dated February 29, 2012; and consideration of the Application and the requested relief being a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b); and venue being proper before this Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409; and due and proper notice of the Application having been provided to the Notice Parties under the circumstances, and it appearing that no other or further notice need be provided; and this Court having held a hearing to consider the relief requested in the Application (the "Hearing"); and upon the First Day Declaration; and the Court having determined that the legal and factual bases set forth in the Application and at the Hearing establish just cause for the relief granted herein; and it appearing that the relief requested in the Application is in the best interests of the Debtors, their estates, creditors, and all 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 Debtors are authorized to retain KCC as Claims and Noticing Agent effective *nunc pro tunc* to the Petition Date under the terms of the Engagement Agreement.
- 2. KCC is authorized and directed to perform noticing services and to receive, maintain, record, and otherwise administer the proofs of claim filed in these chapter 11 cases, and

all related tasks, all as described in the Application (collectively, the "Claims and Noticing Services").

- 3. KCC shall serve as the custodian of court records and shall be designated as the authorized repository for all proofs of claim filed in these chapter 11 cases and is authorized and directed to maintain official claims registers for each of the Debtors, to provide public access to every proof of claim unless otherwise ordered by the Court and to provide the Clerk with a certified duplicate thereof upon the request of the Clerk.
- 4. KCC is authorized and directed to provide an electronic interface for filing proofs of claim and to obtain a post office box or address for the receipt of proofs of claim.
- 5. KCC is authorized to take such other action to comply with all duties set forth in the Application.
- 6. The Debtors are authorized to compensate KCC in accordance with the terms of the Engagement Agreement upon the receipt of reasonably detailed invoices setting forth the services provided by KCC and the rates charged for each, and to reimburse KCC for all reasonable and necessary expenses it may incur, upon the presentation of appropriate documentation, without the need for KCC to file fee applications or otherwise seek Court approval for the compensation of its services and reimbursement of its expenses.
- 7. KCC shall maintain records of all services showing dates, categories of services, fees charged and expenses incurred, and shall serve monthly invoices on the Debtors, the Office of the United States Trustee for the District of Delaware, counsel for the Debtors, counsel for any official committee monitoring the expenses of the Debtors, and any party-in-interest who specifically requests service of the monthly invoices.

- 8. The parties shall meet and confer in an attempt to resolve any dispute that may arise relating to the Engagement Agreement or monthly invoices; <u>provided that</u> the parties may seek resolution of the matter from the Court if resolution is not achieved.
- 9. Pursuant to section 503(b)(1)(A) of the Bankruptcy Code, the fees and expenses of KCC under this Order shall be an administrative expense of the Debtors' estates.
- 10. KCC may apply its retainer to all prepetition invoices, which retainer shall be replenished to the original retainer amount, and thereafter, KCC may hold its retainer under the Engagement Agreement during the chapter 11 cases as security for the payment of fees and expenses incurred under the Engagement Agreement.
- 11. The Debtors shall indemnify KCC under the terms of the Engagement Agreement, as modified pursuant to this Order.
- 12. KCC shall not be entitled to indemnification, contribution or reimbursement pursuant to the Engagement Agreement for services other than the services provided under the Engagement Agreement, unless such services and the indemnification, contribution or reimbursement therefor are approved by the Court.
- Debtors shall have no obligation to indemnify KCC, or provide contribution or reimbursement to KCC, for any claim or expense that is either: (i) judicially determined (the determination having become final) to have arisen from KCC's gross negligence, willful misconduct or fraud; (ii) for a contractual dispute in which the Debtors allege the breach of KCC's contractual obligations if the Court determines that indemnification, contribution or reimbursement would not be permissible pursuant to *In re United Artists Theatre Co.*, 315 F.3d 217 (3d Cir. 2003); or (iii) settled prior to a judicial determination under (i) or (ii), but determined by this Court, after notice and a hearing, to

be a claim or expense for which KCC should not receive indemnity, contribution or reimbursement under the terms of the Engagement Agreement as modified by this Order.

- 14. If, before the earlier of (i) the entry of an order confirming a chapter 11 plan in these chapter 11 cases (that order having become a final order no longer subject to appeal), or (ii) the entry of an order closing these chapter 11 cases, KCC believes that it is entitled to the payment of any amounts by the Debtors on account of the Debtors' indemnification, contribution and/or reimbursement obligations under the Engagement Agreement (as modified by this Order), including the advancement of defense costs, KCC must file an application therefor in this Court, and the Debtors may not pay any such amounts to KCC before the entry of an order by this Court approving the payment. This paragraph is intended only to specify the period of time under which the Court shall have jurisdiction over any request for fees and expenses by KCC for indemnification, contribution or reimbursement, and not a provision limiting the duration of the Debtors' obligation to indemnify KCC. All parties in interest shall retain the right to object to any demand by KCC for indemnification, contribution or reimbursement.
- 15. The limitation of liability section in section IX.B of the Engagement Agreement is deemed to be of no force or effect with respect to the services to be provided pursuant to this Order.
- 16. In the event KCC is unable to provide the services set out in this Order, KCC will immediately notify the Clerk and the Debtors' attorney and, upon approval of the Court, cause to have all original proofs of claim and computer information turned over to another claims and noticing agent with the advice and consent of the Clerk and the Debtors' attorney.
- 17. The Debtors may submit a separate retention application, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 327 and/or any applicable law, for work that is to be performed by KCC but is not specifically authorized by this Order.

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18. The Debtors and KCC are authorized to take all actions necessary to effectuate the

relief granted pursuant to this Order.

19. Notwithstanding any term in the Engagement Agreement to the contrary, the Court

retains jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or related to the implementation of this

Order.

Notwithstanding any provision in the Bankruptcy Rules to the contrary, this Order 20.

shall be immediately effective and enforceable upon its entry.

21. KCC shall not cease providing claims processing services during the chapter 11

cases for any reason, including nonpayment, without an order of the Court.

22. In the event of any inconsistency between the Engagement Agreement, the

Application and the Order, the Order shall govern.

23. The Court shall retain jurisdiction to hear and determine all matters arising from or

related to the implementation, interpretation, and/or enforcement of this Order.

Dated: April 7th, 2021 Wilmington, Delaware

INITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

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