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IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re: Chapter 11 Welded Construction, L.P., et al., Case No. 18-12378 (CSS) Debtors.1 (Jointly Administered) Welded Construction, L.P., Plaintiff. VS. Sautter Crane Rental, Inc., Adv. No. 20-50946 Defendant.

CERTIFICATION OF COUNSEL WITH RESPECT TO ORDER APPROVING STIPULATION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR **DEFENDANT TO RESPOND TO THE COMPLAINT**

The undersigned hereby certifies as follows:

- 1. On October 20, 2020, Welded Construction, L.P. (the "Plaintiff") initiated the above-captioned adversary proceeding (the "Adversary Proceeding") by filing the Complaint [Docket No. 1] against Sautter Crane Rental, Inc. (the "Defendant" and, together with Plaintiff, the "Parties").
- 2. On November 10, 2020, the Defendant was served with the Summons and Notice of Pretrial Conference in an Adversary Proceeding [Docket No. 4].
- 3. Pursuant to Rule 7012(a) of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, the Defendants' deadline to answer or otherwise respond to the Complaint (the "Response Deadline") is December 10, 2020.

¹ The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: Welded Construction, L.P (5008) and Welded Construction Michigan, LLC (9830).



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4. The Parties have agreed to extend the Response Deadline until January 4, 2021, and have entered into a stipulation to that effect (the "<u>Stipulation</u>"). A copy of the Stipulation is attached as <u>Exhibit 1</u> to <u>Exhibit A</u> hereto. A proposed form of order approving the Stipulation is attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A</u> (the "<u>Proposed Order</u>").

WHEREFORE, the Debtors respectfully request that the Court enter the Proposed Order, substantially in the form attached hereto as **Exhibit A**, at its earliest convenience

Dated: December 8, 2020 Wilmington, Delaware

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EXHIBIT A

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re: Chapter 11

Welded Construction, L.P., et al., Case No. 18-12378 (CSS)

Debtors. (Jointly Administered)

Welded Construction, L.P.,

Plaintiff,

VS.

Sautter Crane Rental, Inc.,

Defendant.

Adv. No. 20-50946

ORDER APPROVING STIPULATION EXTENDING TIME FOR DEFENDANT TO RESPOND TO THE COMPLAINT

AND NOW upon consideration of the *Stipulation Extending Time for Defendant to Respond to the Complaint* (the "<u>Stipulation</u>") between Welded Construction, L.P., as Post-Effective Date Debtors (the "<u>Plaintiff</u>") and Sautter Crane Rental, Inc. (the "<u>Defendant</u>") attached hereto as <u>Exhibit 1</u>; the Court having determined that no further notice of the Stipulation must be given; it is hereby

ORDERED that the Stipulation is hereby **APPROVED**, and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that the time within which Defendant may answer, move or otherwise plead to the Complaint is hereby further extended to and including January 4, 2021.

EXHIBIT 1

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re:

Welded Construction, L.P., et al.,

Debtors.¹

Case No. 18-12378 (CSS)

(Jointly Administered)

Welded Construction, L.P.,

Plaintiff,

vs.

Sautter Crane Rental, Inc.,

Defendant.

Adv. No. 20-50946

STIPULATION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR DEFENDANT TO RESPOND TO THE COMPLAINT

Welded Construction, L.P. (the "<u>Plaintiff</u>"), and Sautter Crane Rental, Inc. (the "<u>Defendant</u>" and, together with Plaintiff, the "<u>Parties</u>"), through their respective counsel, enter into this *Stipulation for Extension of Time For Defendant to Respond to the Complaint* (the "<u>Stipulation</u>") and hereby stipulate and agree as follows:

- 1. The Parties agree and stipulate that the time within which Defendant may answer, move, or otherwise plead to the Complaint [Docket No. 1] is hereby further extended to and including January 4, 2021.
- 2. Defendant admits that Defendant is the proper party defendant as named in the Summons and Complaint.
- 3. In exchange for Plaintiff's agreement to extend the response deadline, Defendant agrees to waive any issues relating to service of process of the Summons and Complaint.

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