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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re:	Chapter 11
Zosano Pharma Corporation, ¹	Case No. 22-10506 (JKS)
Debtor.	

CERTIFICATION OF COUNSEL REQUESTING ENTRY OF FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW, AND ORDER CONFIRMING THE SECOND AMENDED CHAPTER 11 PLAN OF LIQUIDATION OF ZOSANO PHARMA CORPORATION

The undersigned counsel to the above-captioned debtor and debtor-in-possession (the "**Debtor**") hereby certifies that:

- 1. On June 1, 2022, the Debtor filed a voluntary petition for relief under chapter 11 of Title 11 of the United States Code.
- 2. On October 7, 2022, the Court entered the *Order (I) Approving Adequacy of Disclosure Statement, (II) Approving Solicitation and Notice Procedures for Confirmation of the Chapter 11 Plan Of Liquidation, (III) Approving Ballot and Notice Forms in Connection Therewith, (IV) Scheduling Certain Dates with Respect Thereto, and (V) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. 227] (the "**DS Order**").
- 3. Pursuant to the DS Order and *Notice of Hearing to Consider Confirmation of the Chapter 11 Plan Filed by the Debtor and Related Voting and Objection Deadlines*, objections to confirmation of the Plan were due on November 10, 2022, which deadline was extended for the Office of the United States Trustee (the "**U.S. Trustee**"). The United States Trustee filed an objection to confirmation of the Plan, and BMR-34790 Ardentech Court LP filed a joinder thereto [Docket Nos. 264 and 271, respectively].

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¹ The business address and the last four (4) digits of the Debtor's federal tax identification number is Zosano Pharma Corporation, 34790 Ardentech Court, Fremont, California 94555 (8360).

- 4. On November 3, 2022, the Debtor filed the *Plan Supplement to the Chapter 11*Plan of Liquidation of Zosano Pharma Corporation [Docket No. 261] the ("Plan Supplement").
- 5. On November 18, 2022, the Court held a hearing to consider confirmation of the Plan [Docket No. 232] and made certain comments and rulings, including with respect to the objections and the resolutions thereof announced on the record.
- 6. On November 21, 2022, the Debtor filed the (i) Second Amended Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation of Zosano Pharma Corporation [Docket No. 291] (the "Second Amended Plan") and (ii) the Notice of Filing of Amended Liquidating Trust Agreement and Declaration of Trust [Docket No. 290] (the "Amended Liquidating Trust Agreement"), including a blackline against the version of the Liquidating Trust Agreement originally filed with the Plan Supplement, each reflecting the record of the November 18, 2022 hearing. A blackline of the Second Amended Plan against the Amended Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation of Zosano Pharma Corporation [Docket No. 280] was filed at Docket No. 292.
- 7. Attached hereto as Exhibit A is a revised proposed order confirming the Plan. Attached hereto as Exhibit B is a blackline of the revised proposed order against the version originally filed with the Plan Supplement, reflecting the record of the November 18, 2022 hearing.
- 8. Both the U.S. Trustee and BMR-34790 Ardentech Court LP have no objection to entry of the revised proposed order.
- 9. The Debtor therefore requests that the Court enter the revised proposed order attached hereto as Exhibit A at its earliest convenience. Counsel is available at the request of the Court.

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EXHIBIT A

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

Debtor.	Ref. Docket No. 291
Zosano Pharma Corporation, 1	Case No. 22-10506 (JKS)
In re:	Chapter 11

FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW, AND ORDER CONFIRMING THE SECOND AMENDED CHAPTER 11 PLAN OF LIQUIDATION OF ZOSANO PHARMA CORPORATION

Upon consideration of the Second Amended Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation of Zosano Pharma Corporation [Docket No. 291] (as may be amended, modified or supplemented, the "Plan"), proposed by the above-captioned debtor and debtor in possession (the "Debtor"); and the Bankruptcy Court having approved and the Debtor having filed the First Amended Disclosure Statement for the Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation of Zosano Pharma Corporation [Docket No. 231] (the "Disclosure Statement"); and the Debtor having filed the Plan Supplement on November 3, 2022 [Docket No. 261]; and upon consideration of the affidavits of service [Docket Nos. 232 & 248] (the "Notice Affidavits") filed reflecting compliance with the notice and solicitation requirements of the Order (I) Approving Adequacy of Disclosure Statement, (II) Approving Solicitation and Notice Procedures for Confirmation of the Debtor's Plan of Liquidation, (III) Approving Ballots and Notice Forms in Connection Therewith, (IV) Scheduling Certain Dates with Respect Thereto, and (V) Granting Related Relief (the "Disclosure Statement Order"); and upon the Notice Of Hearing To Consider Confirmation Of The Chapter 11 Plan Filed By The Debtor And Related Voting And Objection Deadlines [Docket No. 238] (the "Confirmation Hearing Notice"); and upon consideration of the Certification of Adam Gorman

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with Respect to the Tabulation of Votes on the Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation of Zosano Pharma Corporation [Docket No. 267], filed with the Bankruptcy Court on November 15, 2022 (the "Voting Declaration"); and upon consideration of the Declaration of Steven Lo in Support of Confirmation of the Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation of Zosano Pharma Corporation [Docket No. 266], filed with the Bankruptcy Court on November 15, 2022 (the "Lo Declaration"); and upon consideration of the Memorandum of Law in Support of Confirmation of the Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation of Zosano Pharma Corporation [Docket No. 268], filed with the Bankruptcy Court on November 15, 2022 (the "Confirmation Memorandum"); and any formal or informal objections to the Plan having been resolved and/or overruled by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to this Confirmation Order; and a hearing to consider Confirmation having been held on November 18, 2022 (the "Confirmation Hearing"); and upon the evidence adduced and proffered and the arguments of counsel made at the Confirmation Hearing; and the Bankruptcy Court having reviewed all documents in connection with Confirmation and having heard all parties desiring to be heard; and upon the record of the Chapter 11 Case; and after due deliberation and consideration of all of the foregoing; and sufficient cause appearing therefor; the Bankruptcy Court hereby makes the following:

Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law

A. **Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.** The findings and conclusions set forth herein, together with the findings of fact and conclusions of law set forth in the record of the Confirmation Hearing, constitute the Bankruptcy Court's findings of fact and conclusions of law pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 52, made applicable to these proceedings pursuant to Bankruptcy Rules 7052 and 9014. To the extent any of the following findings of fact constitute

conclusions of law, they are adopted as such. To the extent that any of the following conclusions of law constitute findings of fact, they are adopted as such.

- B. **Capitalized Terms.** Capitalized terms used herein, but not defined herein, shall have the respective meanings attributed to such terms in the Plan and the Disclosure Statement, as applicable.
- C. **Jurisdiction and Venue.** The Bankruptcy Court has jurisdiction over the Chapter 11 Case 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 as of February 29, 2012. This is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(2), and the Bankruptcy Court may enter a final order consistent with Article III of the United States Constitution, and the Debtor consents to entry of this Confirmation Order under the Local Rules and Article III of the United States Constitution. Venue of these proceedings and the Chapter 11 Case is proper in this district and in this Bankruptcy Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409.
- D. Chapter 11 Petition. On June 1, 2022 (the "Petition Date"), the Debtor commenced a voluntary case under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code (the "Chapter 11 Case") in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware (the "Bankruptcy Court"). The Debtor is authorized to continue to operate its business and manage its property as a debtor in possession pursuant to sections 1107(a) and 1108 of the Bankruptcy Code. No official committee of unsecured creditors has been appointed in the Chapter 11 Case. *See* Docket No. 65. No request has been made for the appointment of a trustee or an examiner.
- E. **Judicial Notice.** The Bankruptcy Court takes judicial notice of the docket in the Chapter 11 Case maintained by the Clerk of the Bankruptcy Court and/or its duly appointed agent, including, without limitation, all pleadings, notices, and other documents filed, all orders entered,

and all evidence and arguments made, proffered or adduced at the hearings held before the Bankruptcy Court during the Chapter 11 Case, including, without limitation, the hearing to consider the adequacy of the Disclosure Statement and the Confirmation Hearing.

- F. Plan Supplement. Prior to the Confirmation Hearing, the Debtor filed the Plan Supplement. The Plan Supplement complies with the terms of the Plan, and the filing and notice of the Plan Supplement was appropriate and complied with the requirements of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules and the Local Rules, and no other or further notice is or shall be required. The Debtor is authorized to modify the Plan Supplement documents following entry of this Confirmation Order in a manner consistent with this Confirmation Order and the Plan.
- G. Mailing of Solicitation and Confirmation Materials. As is evidenced by the Voting Declaration and the Notice Affidavits, the transmittal and service of the Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the Ballots, the Confirmation Hearing Notice and the notice of non-voting status (the "Notice of Non-Voting Status") were adequate and sufficient under the circumstances, and all parties required to be given notice of the Plan and the Confirmation Hearing (including the deadline for filing and serving objections to Confirmation of the Plan) have been given due, proper, timely, and adequate notice thereof in accordance with the Disclosure Statement Order and in compliance with the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, the Local Rules, and applicable non-bankruptcy law, and such parties have had an opportunity to appear and be heard with respect thereto. Except as otherwise provided herein, no other or further notice of the Plan and the Confirmation Hearing is required.
- H. **Voting.** Votes on the Plan were solicited after disclosure of adequate information as defined in section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code. The procedures by which the Ballots for acceptance or rejection of the Plan were distributed and tabulated, including as set forth in the

Voting Declaration, under the circumstances of the Chapter 11 Case were fair, properly conducted, and complied with the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, the Local Rules, applicable non-bankruptcy law and the Disclosure Statement Order. As more fully set forth in the Voting Declaration, Class 3, the only voting class, voted to accept the Plan.²

- I. **Bankruptcy Rule 3016(a).** In accordance with Bankruptcy Rule 3016(a), the Plan is dated and identifies the Debtor as the proponent of the Plan.
- J. **Burden of Proof**. The Debtor, as the proponent of the Plan, has met its burden of proving the satisfaction of the requirements for confirmation of the Plan set forth in section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code by a preponderance of the evidence, which is the applicable standard. Further, each witness who testified on behalf of the Debtor at or in connection with (by declaration) the Confirmation Hearing was credible, reliable and qualified to testify as to the topic addressed in his or her testimony.
- K. Plan Compliance with Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(1)). As set forth below, the Plan complies with all of the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, thereby satisfying section 1129(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- L. **Proper Classification** (11 U.S.C. §§ 1122, 1123(a)(1)). The classification of Claims and Interests under the Plan is proper under the Bankruptcy Code. In addition to Administrative Claims, Professional Fee Claims, and Other Priority Claims, which need not be classified, the Plan designates five (5) Classes of Claims and Interests. The Claims or Interests placed in each Class are substantially similar to other Claims or Interests, as the case may be, in each such Class. Valid business, factual, and legal reasons exist for separately classifying the

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² Class 4 was a vacant Class of Claims and, pursuant to the terms of the Plan, there was no solicitation of votes in that Class.

various Classes of Claims and Interests created under the Plan, and such Classes do not unfairly discriminate between Holders of Claims and Interests. Thus, the Plan satisfies sections 1122 and 1123(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code.

- M. Specification of Unimpaired Classes (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(2)). Article II of the Plan specifies that Class 1 (Secured Claims) and Class 2 (Other Priority Claims) are Unimpaired under the Plan. Thus, section 1123(a)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code is satisfied.
- N. Specification of Treatment of Impaired Classes (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(3)). Article II of the Plan designates Class 3 (General Unsecured Claims), Class 4 (Subordinated Claims), and Class 5 (Interests) as Impaired and specifies the treatment of Claims and Interests in such Classes. Thus, section 1123(a)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code is satisfied.
- O. **No Discrimination** (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(4)). The Plan provides for the same treatment by the Debtor for each Claim or Interest in each respective Class unless the Holder of a particular Claim or Interest has agreed to a less favorable treatment of such Claim or Interest. Thus, section 1123(a)(4) of the Bankruptcy Code is satisfied.
- P. Implementation of the Plan (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(5)). The Plan, including, without limitation, the provisions of Article V thereof, and the Liquidating Trust Agreement, provide adequate and proper means for the Plan's implementation. Thus, section 1123(a)(5) of the Bankruptcy Code is satisfied.
- Q. Non-Voting Equity Securities (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(6)). The Plan does not provide for the issuance of any securities, including non-voting securities, and the Debtor is being

dissolved on or after the Effective Date as provided for in the Plan. Therefore, section 1123(a)(6) of the Bankruptcy Code is satisfied.

- R. Selection of Officers and Directors (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(7)). Article IV.K of the Plan provides for the appointment of a Liquidating Trustee, who will serve as a fiduciary of the Debtor's Estate, and who shall be empowered to, among other things, (i) implement the terms of the Plan; (ii) object to, compromise, or settle any Claims; (iii) establish reserves; (iv) liquidate Assets; (v) prosecute, compromise, resolve or withdraw any of the Causes of Action; and (vi) otherwise wind-down the Estate in accordance with this Confirmation Order, the Plan, and the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The Liquidating Trustee was selected by the Debtor. Successors, if any, shall be selected pursuant to the procedures set forth in the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The foregoing is consistent with the interest of holders of Claims and holders of Interests and with public policy and therefore, section 1123(a)(7) of the Bankruptcy Code is satisfied.
- S. Additional Plan Provisions (11 U.S.C. § 1123(b)). The Plan's provisions are appropriate, in the best interests of the Debtor and its Estate, and consistent with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rules, and Local Rules.
- T. Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases (11 U.S.C. § 1123(b)(2)). The Debtor has exercised appropriate business judgment in determining to reject the Debtor's remaining executory contracts and unexpired leases as provided for in the Plan and this Confirmation Order, and any such rejections are justified and appropriate in the Chapter 11 Case.
- U. Releases, Exculpations, and Injunctions (11 U.S.C. § 1123(b)). Under the facts and circumstances of the Chapter 11 Case, the releases, exculpations, and injunctions provided for in the Plan, as modified herein, are: (i) within the jurisdiction of the Bankruptcy Court under 28 U.S.C. § 1334; (ii) an appropriate exercise of the Debtor's business judgment; (iii) integral

elements of the transactions incorporated into the Plan and inextricably bound with the other provisions of the Plan; (iv) in exchange for good and valuable consideration provided by the Released Parties; (v) in the best interests of the Debtor, the Estate, and all Holders of Claims and Interests that are Releasing Parties; (vi) fair, equitable, and reasonable; (vii) given and made after due notice and an opportunity to object and be heard with respect thereto, as the Disclosure Statement, the Confirmation Hearing Notice, the Voting Instructions, the Ballots, and the Notice of Non-Voting Status each unambiguously state that (a) the Plan contains certain release, exculpation, and injunction provisions and (b) affected parties may object to or opt out of the releases in Article IX.C of the Plan, and therefore such releases, including the releases in Article IX.C of the Plan, are consensual as they pertain to Holders of Claims; (viii) are consistent with sections 105, 524, 1123, 1129, and 1141 and other applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code and other applicable law; and (ix) a bar to any of the Releasing Parties asserting any released claim against any of the Released Parties as and to the extent provided for in the Plan and this Confirmation Order.

- V. **Debtor's Compliance with Bankruptcy Code** (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(2)). Pursuant to section 1129(a)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Debtor has complied with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, including, without limitation, sections 1122, 1123, 1124, 1125, and 1126 of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and the Disclosure Statement Order governing notice, disclosure, and solicitation in connection with the Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the Plan Supplement, and all other matters considered by the Bankruptcy Court in connection with Confirmation.
- W. Plan Proposed in Good Faith and Not by Means Forbidden by Law (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(3)). The Debtor has proposed the Plan in good faith and not by any means forbidden

by law, thereby satisfying section 1129(a)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code. In determining that the Plan has been proposed in good faith, the Bankruptcy Court has examined the totality of the circumstances surrounding the filing of the Chapter 11 Case, the Plan itself, and the process leading to its formulation. The Plan is the result of extensive arm's-length negotiations among the Debtor and key stakeholders in the Chapter 11 Case, and is supported by the Debtor's creditors and other parties in interest in the Chapter 11 Case.

- X. Payments for Services or Costs and Expenses (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(4)). The procedures set forth in the Plan for the Bankruptcy Court's approval of the fees, costs, and expenses to be paid in connection with the Chapter 11 Case, or in connection with the Plan and incident to the Chapter 11 Case, satisfy the objectives of, and are in compliance with, section 1129(a)(4) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- Y. **Directors, Officers, and Insiders (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(5)).** Article IV.D.2 of the Plan provides that, on the Effective Date, the Debtor's officers and managers shall be terminated automatically. The Debtor selected the Liquidating Trustee and the Liquidating Trustee's identity and affiliation are set forth in the Plan Supplement. Thus, the Plan satisfies section 1129(a)(5) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- Z. **No Rate Changes (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(6)).** The Plan does not provide for any rate change that requires regulatory approval. Section 1129(a)(6) of the Bankruptcy Code is thus not applicable.
- AA. **Best Interests of Creditors (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(7)).** The "best interests" test is satisfied as to all Impaired Classes under the Plan, as each Holder of a Claim or Interest in such Impaired Classes will receive or retain property of a value, as of the Effective Date, that is not less than the amount that such Holder would so receive or retain if the Debtor was liquidated under

chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code, as demonstrated by the Liquidation Analysis attached as Exhibit B to the Disclosure Statement.

- BB. Acceptance by Certain Classes (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(8)). Class 1 (Secured Claims) and Class 2 (Other Priority Claims) are unimpaired under the Plan, and Class 3 (General Unsecured Claims) has voted to accept the Plan in accordance with the Bankruptcy Code, thereby satisfying section 1129(a)(8) as to those Classes. Class 4 (Subordinated Claims) has been eliminated as vacant. However, Class 5 (Interests) is deemed to have rejected the Plan pursuant to section 1126(g) of the Bankruptcy Code. Accordingly, section 1129(a)(8) of the Bankruptcy Code has not and cannot be satisfied. The Plan, however, is still confirmable because it satisfies the nonconsensual confirmation provisions of section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, as set forth below.
- CC. Treatment of Administrative, Professional Fee, Priority Tax Claims (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(9)). The treatment of Administrative Claims, Professional Fee Claims, and Priority Tax Claims pursuant to Article II of the Plan satisfies section 1129(a)(9) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- DD. Acceptance by Impaired Class (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(10)). Given that Class 4 (Subordinated Claims) was a vacant Class, Class 3 (General Unsecured Claims) is the only Impaired Class of Claims entitled to vote and voted to accept the Plan, determined without including any acceptance of the Plan by any insider. Therefore, section 1129(a)(10) of the Bankruptcy Code is satisfied.
- EE. **Feasibility** (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(11)). The Plan provides for the appointment of the Liquidating Trustee. Following the implementation of the Plan, the administration and distribution of the Debtor's Assets in accordance with the terms of the Plan, and the winding down of the Debtor's affairs, without the need for any further order or action of the Bankruptcy Court,

the Debtor will be dissolved and its affairs wound up. Thus, section 1129(a)(11) of the Bankruptcy Code is satisfied.

- FF. **Payment of Fees (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(12)).** All fees payable under 28 U.S.C. § 1930 have been paid or will be paid on or before the Effective Date pursuant to the Plan, thus satisfying section 1129(a)(12) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- GG. **Miscellaneous Provisions** (11 U.S.C. §§ 1129(a)(13)–(16)). Sections 1129(a)(13)–(16) of the Bankruptcy Code are inapplicable to Confirmation, as the Debtor: (i) does not provide "retiree benefits," as defined in section 1114 of the Bankruptcy Code (§ 1129(a)(13)); (ii) has no domestic support obligations (§ 1129(a)(14)); (iii) is not an individual (§ 1129(a)(15)); and (iv) is not a nonprofit corporation (§ 1129(a)(16)).
- HH. No Unfair Discrimination; Fair and Equitable Treatment (11 U.S.C. § 1129(b)). The classification and treatment of Interests in Class 5 (Interests), which are deemed to have rejected the Plan, is proper pursuant to section 1122 of the Bankruptcy Code, does not discriminate unfairly, and is fair and equitable pursuant to section 1129(b)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code. There is no Class of Claims or Interests junior to the Holders of Interests in Class 5 that will receive or retain property under the Plan on account of their Claims or Interests. Accordingly, the Plan does not violate the absolute priority rule, does not discriminate unfairly, and is fair and equitable with respect to each Class that is deemed to have rejected the Plan. Thus, the Plan satisfies section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code with respect to Class 5.
- II. Only One Plan (11 U.S.C. § 1129(c)). The Plan is the only chapter 11 plan currently proposed in the Chapter 11 Case, and section 1129(c) of the Bankruptcy Code is therefore satisfied.
 - JJ. Principal Purpose (11 U.S.C. § 1129(d)). The principal purpose of the Plan is

neither the avoidance of taxes, nor the avoidance of the application of section 5 of the Securities Act of 1933, and no governmental unit has objected to Confirmation on any such grounds. Accordingly, section 1129(d) of the Bankruptcy Code is inapplicable.

- KK. **Satisfaction of Confirmation Requirements.** Based upon the foregoing, the Plan satisfies the requirements for Confirmation set forth in section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code, and should be confirmed.
- LL. Good Faith Solicitation (11 U.S.C. § 1125(e)). The Debtor and its officers, directors, employees, advisors, Professionals, and agents have acted in good faith within the meaning of section 1125(e) of the Bankruptcy Code, and in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules and the Disclosure Statement Order in connection with all of their respective activities relating to the solicitation of acceptances of the Plan and their participation in the activities described in section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code, and they are entitled to the benefits and protections afforded by section 1125(e) of the Bankruptcy Code and the injunction and exculpation provisions set forth in Article XI of the Plan and in this Confirmation Order.
- MM. **Retention of Jurisdiction.** The Bankruptcy Court may properly retain jurisdiction over the matters set forth in Article X of the Plan and section 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code.

Based upon the foregoing findings, and upon the record made before the Bankruptcy Court in connection with the Confirmation Hearing, and good and sufficient cause appearing therefor, it is hereby ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED THAT:

Confirmation of the Plan

1. The Plan, attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A</u>, as and to the extent modified by this Confirmation Order, is approved and confirmed pursuant to section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code. All ancillary Plan documents necessary for implementing the Plan, including those in the Plan

Supplement, are approved. Any objections to the Plan not otherwise withdrawn, resolved, or otherwise disposed of are overruled and denied.

2. The terms of the Plan are incorporated by reference into (except to the extent modified by this Confirmation Order), and are an integral part of, this Confirmation Order.

Compromises and Settlements Under the Plan

3. Pursuant to section 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rule 9019, upon the Effective Date, all settlements and compromises set forth in the Plan are approved in all respects, and constitute good faith compromises and settlements.

Classification and Treatment

4. The Plan's classification scheme is approved. The classifications set forth on the Ballots: (i) were set forth on the Ballots solely for purposes of voting to accept or reject the Plan; (ii) do not necessarily represent, and in no event shall be deemed to modify or otherwise affect, the actual classification of such Claims under the Plan for distribution purposes; (iii) may not be relied upon by any Holder as representing the actual classification of such Claim under the Plan for distribution purposes; and (iv) shall not be binding on the Debtor and the Liquidating Trustee except for Plan voting purposes.

Authorization to Implement the Plan

5. Pursuant to section 1142(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, section 303 of the Delaware General Corporation Law, and any comparable provisions of the business corporation or similar laws of the state of Delaware, the Debtor, and the Liquidating Trustee, as applicable, are authorized to take or cause to be taken all corporate actions necessary or appropriate to implement all provisions of, and to consummate, the Plan, and to execute, enter into or otherwise make effective all documents arising in connection therewith, including, without limitation, the Liquidating Trust Agreement, prior to, on, and after the Effective Date.

- 6. On the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee is authorized to do all things and to execute and deliver all agreements, documents, instruments, notices and certificates as are contemplated by the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement, and to take all necessary actions required in connection therewith, in the name of and on behalf of the Debtor.
- 7. The approvals and authorizations specifically set forth in this Confirmation Order are not intended to limit the authority of the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee to take any and all actions necessary or appropriate to implement, effectuate and consummate any and all documents or transactions contemplated by the Plan or this Confirmation Order.

Enforceability of the Plan

8. Pursuant to sections 1123(a), 1141(a) and 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code, subject to the occurrence of the Effective Date, the Plan and all Plan-related documents shall be, and hereby are, valid, binding and enforceable.

Vesting of Assets

9. Except as otherwise provided in the Plan, on and after the Effective Date, all Assets of the Estate, including all claims, rights, Causes of Action and any property acquired by the Debtor under or in connection with the Plan, shall vest in the Liquidating Trust free and clear of all Claims, Liens, charges, other encumbrances, and Interests.

Preservation of Causes of Action

10. Except as expressly provided in the Plan or this Confirmation Order: (i) in accordance with section 1123(b)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Debtor shall retain all Causes of Action and nothing contained in the Plan or this Confirmation Order shall be deemed to be a release, waiver or relinquishment of any such Causes of Action; and (ii) the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee, as applicable, shall have, retain, reserve and be entitled to assert all such Causes of Action as fully as if the Chapter 11 Case had not been commenced, and all of the

Debtor's legal and equitable rights respecting any Claim that are not specifically waived or relinquished by the Plan, this Confirmation Order, or any Final Order (including settlement or other agreements authorized thereby) may be asserted after the Effective Date to the same extent as if the Chapter 11 Case had not been commenced.

Reservation of Causes of Action

11. Unless a Cause of Action against a Holder or other Person or Entity is expressly waived, relinquished, released, compromised or settled in the Plan, the Confirmation Order or any Final Order, the Debtor, the Liquidating Trustee, and the Estate expressly reserve such Cause of Action for later adjudication by the Liquidating Trustee, including, without limitation, Causes of Action of which the Debtor may presently be unaware or which may arise or exist by reason of additional facts or circumstances unknown to the Debtor at this time or facts or circumstances that may change or be different from those the Debtor now believes to exist. Therefore, no preclusion doctrine, including, without limitation, the doctrines of res judicata collateral estoppel, issue preclusion, claim preclusion, waiver, estoppel (judicial, equitable or otherwise), laches or the like shall apply to such Causes of Action upon or after the entry of this Confirmation Order or Effective Date based on the Disclosure Statement, the Plan, or this Confirmation Order, except where such Causes of Action have been expressly waived, relinquished, released, compromised or settled in the Plan, this Confirmation Order, a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court or, following the Effective Date, in a written agreement duly executed by the Liquidating Trustee, which agreement, by its terms, is not subject to Bankruptcy Court approval.

Wind-Up and Dissolution of the Debtor

12. On the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall be appointed to manage the Debtor, in accordance with the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement. Following the implementation of the Plan, the administration and distribution of the Debtor's Assets in

accordance with the terms of the Plan, and the winding down of the Debtor's affairs, without the need for any further order or action of the Bankruptcy Court, the Debtor will be dissolved and its affairs will be wound up in accordance with Delaware law. The Liquidating Trustee is authorized to take all actions reasonably necessary to dissolve the Debtor, and neither the Liquidating Trustee nor the Debtor shall be required to pay any taxes or fees in order to cause such dissolution and termination of the Debtor's existence.

Cancellation of Interests

13. As of the Effective Date, all Interests of any kind shall be deemed cancelled, and the Holders thereof shall not receive or retain any property, interest in property or consideration under the Plan on account of such Interests.

Plan Distributions

- 14. The Liquidating Trustee or its designee, on behalf of the Debtor, shall serve as the Disbursing Agent under the Plan with respect to distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims (provided that the Liquidating Trustee may hire professionals or consultants to assist with making distributions). The Liquidating Trustee shall make all distributions required to be made to such Holders of Allowed Claims pursuant to the Plan, the Confirmation Order and the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The Liquidating Trustee shall not be required to give any bond or surety or other security for the performance of the Liquidating Trustee's duties as disbursing agent unless otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court.
- 15. Except as otherwise provided by the Plan, this Confirmation Order or as ordered by the Bankruptcy Court, all distributions to be made on account of Claims that are Allowed Claims as of the Effective Date shall be made on the initial distribution date by the Liquidating Trustee. distributions on account of Claims that first become Allowed Claims after the Effective Date shall be made pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

No distribution shall be made on account of, without limitation, any Allowed Claim or portion thereof that (i) has been satisfied after the Petition Date; (ii) is listed in the Schedules as contingent, unliquidated, disputed or in a zero amount, and for which a proof of claim has not been timely filed; or (iii) is evidenced by a proof of claim that has been amended by a subsequently filed proof of claim.

16. Except to the extent provided in section 506(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Plan, or this Confirmation Order, post-petition interest, penalties or fees shall not accrue or be paid on Allowed Claims, and no Holder of an Allowed Claim shall be entitled to interest accruing on any Allowed Claim from and after the Petition Date.

<u>Implementation of the Plan and the Liquidating Trustee</u>

- 17. The Liquidating Trust Agreement, substantially in the form filed with the Plan Supplement, is hereby approved. To the extent of any inconsistency between the Plan and Liquidating Trust Agreement, the terms of the Liquidating Trust Agreement shall govern.
- 18. The appointment of SierraConstellation Partners, LLC as the Liquidating Trustee is hereby approved. The Liquidating Trustee shall be compensated in the manner set forth in and consistent with the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The Liquidating Trustee shall have all powers, rights, duties and protections afforded the Liquidating Trustee under the Plan, this Confirmation Order, and the Liquidating Trust Agreement.
- 19. No later than ten (10) Business Days after the end of the first calendar quarter of 2023 and the end of each calendar quarter thereafter until all distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims, all payments to professionals and consultants retained by the Liquidating Trustee, and all other payments by the Liquidating Trustee have been made and the Chapter 11 Case has been closed, the Liquidating Trustee shall file with the Bankruptcy Court a report that contains the following information; (a) cash on hand at the beginning and end of the calendar quarter; (b) a

list, by name, of all fees the Liquidating Trustee has paid during the calendar quarter (including to itself); (c) a list, by names and amounts, of all open claims at the beginning of the calendar quarter and, as to such claims: (i) the claims allowed by the Liquidating Trustee; (ii) the claims paid by the Liquidating Trustee; (iii) the claims disallowed by the Liquidating Trustee; and (iv) the claims settled by the Liquidating Trustee and, if any, for how much.

20. Holders of Claims against or Interests in the Debtor shall have ten (10) Business Days from the date each quarterly report is filed to file in the Bankruptcy Court an objection to any of the reported fees paid by the Liquidating Trustee during such calendar quarter. The Bankruptcy Court shall retain jurisdiction over any such objections.

Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases

- 21. On the Effective Date, all executory contracts and unexpired leases of the Debtor that have not been assumed, assumed and assigned, or rejected, prior to the Effective Date, or are not subject to a motion to assume or reject Filed before the Effective Date, shall be deemed rejected pursuant to this Confirmation Order, as of the Effective Date, other than the Insurance Contracts. For the avoidance of doubt, any post-petition consulting or transition services agreements shall not be deemed rejected as of the Effective Date.
- 22. Any Creditor asserting a executory contract or lease rejection damages claims (a "Rejection Claim") shall File a proof of claim with the Debtor's claims and noticing agent Kurtzman Carson Consultants LLC, in accordance with the Plan, within thirty (30) days of the Effective Date, and shall also serve such proof of claim upon the Liquidating Trustee.
- Any Rejection Claims arising from the Plan that are not timely Filed pursuant to Section 6.1 of the Plan shall be forever disallowed and barred unless otherwise ordered by the Court. If one or more Rejection Claims are timely filed, the Liquidating Trustee may file an objection to any Rejection Claim on or prior to the Claims Objection Bar Date.

Disputed Claims

- 24. Except as otherwise specifically provided in the Plan, this Confirmation Order and the Liquidating Trust Agreement, after the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall have the authority (i) to file, withdraw, or litigate to judgment objections to Claims; (ii) to settle, compromise, or Allow any Claim or Disputed Claim without any further notice to or action, order, or approval by the Bankruptcy Court; (iii) to amend the Schedules in accordance with the Bankruptcy Code; and (iv) to administer and adjust the claims register to reflect any such settlements or compromises without any further notice to or action, order, or approval by the Bankruptcy Court. Any agreement entered into by the Liquidating Trustee in accordance with the terms of the Plan and this Confirmation Order with respect to the Allowance of any Claim shall be conclusive evidence and a final determination of the Allowance of such Claim.
- 25. All objections to Claims (other than (i) Administrative Claims and (ii) Professional Fee Claims, which Professional Fee Claims shall be governed by Section 11.2 of the Plan) shall be Filed on or before the Claims Objection Bar Date, which date may be extended by the Bankruptcy Court upon a motion filed by the Liquidating Trustee on or before the Claims Objection Bar Date with notice only to those parties entitled to notice in the Chapter 11 Case pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002 as of the filing of such motion. The Filing of a motion to extend the Claims Objection Bar Date shall automatically extend the Claims Objection Bar Date until a final order is entered by the Bankruptcy Court. In the event that such a motion to extend Claims Objection Bar Date is denied, the Claims Objection Bar Date shall be the later of the then-current Claims Objection Bar Date (as previously extended, if applicable) or thirty (30) days after entry of a Final Order denying the motion to extend the Claims Objection Bar Date.

Administrative Claims

All requests for payment of an Administrative Claim (other than a Section 503(b)(9) Claim and Professional Fee Claims) arising on or after June 1, 2022 must be Filed with the Bankruptcy Court and served on counsel to the Liquidating Trustee and counsel to the U.S. Trustee no later than thirty (30) days after the Effective Date. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Plan, Holders of Administrative Claims may file proofs of claim rather than motions for the allowance of Administrative Claims provided, however, that Holders of Administrative Claims shall have the burden of proof under Section 503(b). In the event of an objection to allowance of an Administrative Claim, the Bankruptcy Court shall determine the Allowed amount of such Administrative Claim.

Professional Fee Claims

- All final requests for payment of Professional Fee Claims pursuant to sections 327, 328, 330, 331, 503(b), or 1103 of the Bankruptcy Code must be made by application Filed with the Bankruptcy Court and served on counsel to the Liquidating Trustee and counsel to the U.S. Trustee no later than forty-five (45) days after the Effective Date, unless otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court. Objections to such applications must be Filed and served on counsel to the Liquidating Trustee and counsel to the U.S. Trustee and the requesting Professional on or before the date that is fourteen (14) days after the date on which the applicable application was served (or such longer period as may be allowed by Order of the Bankruptcy Court or by agreement with the requesting Professional).
- 28. All Professional Fee Claims shall be paid by the Estate to the extent approved by Order of the Bankruptcy Court within five (5) Business Days from entry of such Order. On or before the Effective Date, the Debtor shall establish the Professional Fee Reserve, which shall only be used to pay Professional Fee Claims, unless and until all Professional Fee Claims have been

paid in full, otherwise satisfied or withdrawn. The Professional Fee Reserve shall vest in the Estate and shall be maintained by the Liquidating Trustee in accordance with the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

29. The Estate shall fund the Professional Fee Reserve on the Effective Date in an amount that is determined by the Debtor and that approximates, as of the Effective Date, the total projected amount of unpaid Professional Fee Claims. Any excess funds in the Professional Fee Reserve shall be released back to the Estate to be used for other purposes consistent with the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

Release, Injunction, Exculpation and Related Provisions

30. Except to the extent modified herein, the release, injunction, exculpation, and related provisions set forth in Article XI of the Plan are hereby approved and authorized in their entirety, and such provisions are effective and binding on all Persons and Entities as and to the extent provided for therein.

Notice of Entry of Confirmation Order and Effective Date

31. Pursuant to Bankruptcy Rules 2002 and 3020(c), the Debtor shall serve a notice of entry of this Confirmation Order and the occurrence of the Effective Date, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit B (the "Notice of Confirmation and Effective Date"), no later than five (5) Business Days after the Effective Date, on all Holders of Claims against or Interests in the Debtor and all other Persons on whom the Confirmation Hearing Notice was served. The form of the Notice of Confirmation and Effective Date is hereby approved in all respects. The Notice of Confirmation and Effective Date shall constitute good and sufficient notice of the entry of this Confirmation Order and of the relief granted herein, including, without limitation, the rejection of executory contracts and unexpired leases as provided for in the Plan and this Confirmation Order, and no

other or further notice of the entry of this Confirmation Order, the occurrence of the Effective Date and any such bar dates and deadlines need be given.

Retention of Jurisdiction

32. Under sections 105(a) and 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code, and notwithstanding entry of this Confirmation Order and occurrence of the Effective Date, and except as otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court, the Bankruptcy Court shall retain exclusive jurisdiction over all matters arising out of, or related to, the Chapter 11 Case and the Plan to the fullest extent permitted by law, including, among other things, to take the actions specified in Article X of the Plan and to consider any objections filed in accordance with Section 20 of this Confirmation Order.

References to Plan Provisions

33. The failure specifically to include or to refer to any particular article, section, or provision of the Plan or any related document in this Confirmation Order shall not diminish or impair the effectiveness of such article, section, or provision, and such article, section, or provision shall have the same validity, binding effect, and enforceability as every other article, section, or provision of the Plan, it being the intent of the Bankruptcy Court that the Plan (as and to the extent modified by this Confirmation Order) be confirmed in its entirety.

Rules Governing Conflicts Between Documents

34. In the event and to the extent that any provision of the Plan is inconsistent with the provisions of the Disclosure Statement and any other order in the Chapter 11 Case, or any other agreement to be executed by any Person pursuant to the Plan, the provisions of the Plan shall control and take precedence; *provided, however*, that this Confirmation Order shall control and take precedence in the event of any inconsistency between this Confirmation Order, any provision of the Plan, and any of the foregoing documents.

Extension of Injunctions and Stays

35. Unless otherwise provided in the Plan or in this Confirmation Order, all injunctions or stays provided for in the Chapter 11 Case under sections 105 or 362 of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise, and extant on the Confirmation Date (including any injunctions or stays contained in or arising from the Plan or this Confirmation Order), shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 1146 Exemption

36. Pursuant to section 1146(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, the issuance, transfer or exchange of any security under the Plan or the making or delivery of any instrument of transfer pursuant to, in implementation of, or as contemplated by the Plan, or the re-vesting, transfer or sale of any real or personal property of the Debtor pursuant to, in implementation of, or as contemplated by the Plan, shall not be taxed under any state or local law imposing a stamp tax, transfer tax or any similar tax or fee.

Reservation of Rights

37. **Terminating Debtor Professionals.** On the Effective Date, the engagement of each Professional retained by the Debtor shall be terminated without further order of the Bankruptcy Court; *provided, however*, such Professional shall be entitled to prosecute their respective Professional Fee Claim.

Headings

38. Headings utilized herein are for convenience and reference only, and do not constitute a part of the Plan or this Confirmation Order for any other purpose.

No Stay of Confirmation Order

39. Notwithstanding Bankruptcy Rules 3020(e), 6004(h), and 7062 and any other Bankruptcy Rule to the contrary, to the extent applicable, there is no reason for delay in the

implementation of this Confirmation Order and, thus, this Confirmation Order shall be effective and enforceable immediately upon entry.

EXHIBIT A

Plan

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re:	Chapter 11
Zosano Pharma Corporation, ¹	Case No. 22-10506 (JKS)
Debtor	

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INTRODUCTION

Zosano Pharma Corporation (the "**Debtor**") proposes this chapter 11 plan (this "**Plan**") under section 1121 of the Bankruptcy Code. The Debtor is the proponent of the Plan within the meaning of section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code. Capitalized terms used in the Plan and not otherwise defined have the meanings ascribed to such terms in Article I of this Plan.

Reference is made to the Disclosure Statement Filed contemporaneously with the Plan for a discussion of the Debtor's history, business, historical financial information, and liquidation analysis, as well as a summary and analysis of the Plan and certain related matters, including distributions to be made under this Plan.

ALL HOLDERS OF CLAIMS AND INTERESTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO READ THE PLAN AND THE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT IN THEIR ENTIRETY BEFORE VOTING TO ACCEPT OR REJECT THE PLAN.

ARTICLE I. DEFINED TERMS AND RULES OF INTERPRETATION

A. Definitions

The following terms, when used in this Plan, or any subsequent amendments or modifications thereof, have the respective meanings hereinafter set forth and shall be equally applicable to the singular and plural of terms defined.

- 1. "Accrued Professional Compensation Claims" means at any given moment, all Claims for accrued fees and expenses for services rendered by a Retained Professional from June 1, 2022 through and including the Effective Date, to the extent such fees and expenses have not been paid pursuant to the Interim Compensation Order, OCP Order, or any other order of the Bankruptcy Court and regardless of whether a fee application has been Filed for such fees and expenses. To the extent the Bankruptcy Court denies or reduces Accrued Professional Compensation Claims by a Final Order any amount of a Retained Professional's fees or expenses, then the amount by which such fees or expenses are reduced or denied shall reduce the applicable Accrued Professional Compensation Claims.
- 2. "Administrative Claim" means a Claim entitled to priority under section 503(b) (including sections 503(b)(3), 503(b)(4) or 503(b)(5) of the Bankruptcy Code), 507(a)(2), or 507(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, including actual and necessary costs and expenses incurred on or after the Petition Date of preserving the Estate and operating the business of the Debtor.
- 3. "Administrative Claims Bar Date" means the deadline for Filing all requests for allowance and payment of Administrative Claims, which shall be thirty (30) days after the Effective Date.
- 4. "Allowed" means, with respect to any Claim, except as otherwise provided in the Plan: (a) a Claim that is evidenced by a Filed Proof of Claim (or for which Claim under the Plan, the Bankruptcy Code, or pursuant to a Final Order a Proof of Claim is not or shall not be required to be Filed); (b) a Claim that is listed in the Schedules as not contingent, not unliquidated, and not

disputed, and for which no Proof of Claim, as applicable, has been Filed; or (c) a Claim Allowed pursuant to the Plan or a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court; provided that with respect to a Claim described in clauses (a) and (b) above, such Claim shall be considered Allowed only if and to the extent that, with respect to such Claim, no objection to the allowance thereof has been interposed by any party in interest within the applicable period of time fixed by the Plan, the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, or the Bankruptcy Court, or such an objection is so interposed and the Claim, as applicable, shall have been Allowed by a Final Order. Any Claim that has been or is hereafter listed in the Schedules as contingent, unliquidated, or disputed, and for which no Proof of Claim is or has been Filed, is not considered Allowed and shall be expunged without further action by the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) and without further notice to any party or action, approval, or order of the Bankruptcy Court. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, no Claim of any Entity subject to section 502(d) of the Bankruptcy Code shall be deemed Allowed unless and until such Entity pays in full the amount that it owes the Debtor to the Debtor or the Liquidating Trust (as applicable). For the avoidance of doubt, unless agreed to in writing by the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable). "Allow" and "Allowing" shall have correlative meanings.

- 5. "Avoidance Actions" means any and all avoidance, recovery, subordination, or other claims, actions, or remedies that may be brought by or on behalf of the Debtor or the Estate or other authorized parties in interest under the Bankruptcy Code or applicable non-bankruptcy law, including actions or remedies under sections 502, 510, 542, 544, 545, 547 through 553, and 724(a) of the Bankruptcy Code or under similar or related state or federal statutes and common law, including fraudulent transfer laws.
- 6. "Bankruptcy Code" means title 11 of the United States Code, 11 U.S.C. §§ 101-1532, as amended from time to time.
- 7. **"Bankruptcy Court"** means the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware.
- 8. "Bankruptcy Rules" means the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure as promulgated by the United States Supreme Court under section 2075 of title 28 of the United States Code, 28 U.S.C. § 2075, as applicable to the Chapter 11 Case, and the general, local, and chambers rules of the Bankruptcy Court.
- 9. "Bar Date" means, as applicable, the Administrative Claims Bar Date and any other date or dates established by an order of the Bankruptcy Court by which Proofs of Claim must be Filed, including the general bar date of August 22, 2022 and the bar date of November 28, 2022 for Governmental Units, as set forth in the Order (I) Fixing Deadline for Filing Proofs of Claim and (II) Approving the Form and Manner of Notice Thereof [Docket No. 142]; provided, for the avoidance of doubt, that Professional Fee Claims shall be Filed in accordance with Article II.B of the Plan.
- 10. "**Business Day**" means any day, other than a Saturday, Sunday, or "legal holiday" (as that term is defined in Bankruptcy Rule 9006(a)).

- 11. "Cash" means cash and cash equivalents in legal tender of the United States of America.
- 12. "Causes of Action" means any claims, interests, damages, remedies, causes of action, demands, rights, actions, suits, obligations, liabilities, accounts, defenses, offsets, powers, privileges, licenses, Liens, indemnities, guaranties, and franchises of any kind or character whatsoever, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, existing or hereinafter arising, contingent or non-contingent, liquidated or unliquidated, secured or unsecured, assertable, directly or derivatively, matured or unmatured, suspected or unsuspected, in contract, tort, law, equity, or otherwise, with the exception, as to each, of those transferred to Purchaser pursuant to the Sale Documents. Causes of Action also include: (a) all rights of setoff, counterclaim, or recoupment and claims under contracts or for breaches of duties imposed by law; (b) the right to object to or otherwise contest Claims or Interests; (c) claims pursuant to sections 362, 510, 542, 543, 544 through 550, or 553 of the Bankruptcy Code; and (d) such claims and defenses as fraud, mistake, duress, and usury, and any other defenses set forth in section 558 of the Bankruptcy Code, with the exception, as to each, of those transferred to Purchaser pursuant to the Sale Documents.
- 13. "Chapter 11 Case" means the chapter 11 case Filed by the Debtor under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code in the Bankruptcy Court.
- 14. "Claim" means any claim, as defined in section 101(5) of the Bankruptcy Code, against the Debtor or Estate.
- 15. "Claims Objection Bar Date" means the date that is three hundred sixty-five (365) days after the Effective Date, which date may be extended upon presentment of an order to the Bankruptcy Court by the Liquidating Trustee.
- 16. "Claims Register" means the official register of Claims maintained by the Notice and Claims Agent.
- 17. "Class" means a category of Claims or Interests as established by and set forth in Article III of this Plan pursuant to section 1122(a) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 18. "**Confirmation**" means the entry of the Confirmation Order by the Bankruptcy Court on the docket of the Chapter 11 Case.
- 19. "Confirmation Date" means the date upon which the Bankruptcy Court enters the Confirmation Order on the docket of the Chapter 11 Case.
- 20. "Confirmation Hearing" means the hearing(s) conducted by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to section 1128(a) of the Bankruptcy Code to consider Confirmation of the Plan pursuant to section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code, as such hearing may be adjourned or continued from time to time.
- 21. "Confirmation Order" means the order of the Bankruptcy Court confirming the Plan pursuant to section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code.

- 22. "Cure" means all amounts, including an amount of \$0.00, required to cure any monetary defaults under any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease (or such lesser amount as may be agreed upon by the parties under an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease) that is to be assumed by the Debtor pursuant to sections 365 or 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 23. "**D&O Policies**" means, collectively, the Debtor's directors & officers liability insurance policies, and any other applicable Directors & Officers liability insurance policies (including primary insurance, excess insurance, or tail insurance policies).
 - 24. "**Debtor Releases**" means the releases set forth in Article IX.B of this Plan.
- 25. "**Disbursing Agent**" means the Liquidating Trustee or the Entity(ies) selected by the Liquidating Trustee to make or to facilitate distributions pursuant to the Plan.
- 26. "**Disclosure Statement**" means the Disclosure Statement for Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation for Zosano Pharma Corporation, dated October 10, 2022 (as may be amended, supplemented or modified from time to time), including all exhibits and schedules thereto and references therein that relate to the Plan, that is prepared and distributed in accordance with the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and any other applicable law.
- 27. "**Disputed**" means, with respect to any Claim or Interest, any Claim or Interest as to which an objection has been filed.
- 28. "**Distribution Record Date**" means the date for determining which Holders of Claims are eligible to receive distributions under the Plan, which date shall be the Confirmation Date or such other date as designated in a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court.
- 29. "Effective Date" means the date that is the first Business Day after the Confirmation Date on which (a) no stay of the Confirmation Order is in effect, (b) all conditions precedent to the occurrence of the Effective Date set forth in Article VIII.A of the Plan have been satisfied or waived in accordance with Article VIII.B of the Plan, and (c) the Debtor declares the Plan effective. Any action to be taken on the Effective Date may be taken on or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter. The Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee will File and serve a notice of the occurrence of the Effective Date.
 - 30. "Entity" means any "entity," as defined in section 101(15) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 31. "**Estate**" means the bankruptcy estate of the Debtor created pursuant to section 541 of the Bankruptcy Code upon the commencement of the Chapter 11 Case.
- 32. "Exculpated Parties" or "Exculpated Party" means, in each case in its capacity as such: (a) the Debtor, (b) the Debtor's directors and officers during the Chapter 11 Case, and (c) the Retained Professionals.
- 33. "Executory Contract" means a contract to which the Debtor is a party and subject to assumption or rejection under section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code.

- 34. "File" or "Filed" means file, filed, or filing with the Bankruptcy Court or its authorized designee in the Chapter 11 Case, or, in the case of a Proof of Claim or a Proof of Interest, the Notice and Claims Agent.
- "Final Order" means an order or judgment of the Bankruptcy Court or other court 35. of competent jurisdiction with respect to the relevant subject matter that has not been reversed, stayed, modified, or amended, and as to which the time to appeal, seek reconsideration under Rule 59(b) or 59(e) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, seek a new trial, reargument, or rehearing and, where applicable, petition for certiorari has expired and no appeal, motion for reconsideration under Rule 59(b) or 59(e) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, motion for a new trial, reargument or rehearing or petition for certiorari has been timely taken, or as to which any appeal that has been taken or any petition for certiorari that has been filed has been resolved by the highest court to which the order or judgment was appealed or from which certiorari was sought, or as to which any motion for reconsideration that has been filed pursuant to Rule 59(b) or 59(e) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure or any motion for a new trial, reargument, or rehearing shall have been denied, resulted in no modification of such order, or has otherwise been dismissed with prejudice; provided that the possibility that a motion pursuant to Rule 60 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure or Bankruptcy Rule 9024, or any analogous rule, may be filed relating to such order or judgment shall not cause such order or judgment not to be a Final Order.
- 36. "General Unsecured Claim" means any Claim other than a(n): (a) Administrative Claim, (b) Professional Fee Claim, (c) Priority Tax Claim, (d) Secured Claim, (e) Other Priority Claim, or (f) Subordinated Claim.
- 37. "Governmental Unit" means a "governmental unit," as defined in section 101(27) of the Bankruptcy Code.
 - 38. "Holder" means an Entity holding a Claim or Interest.
- 39. "**Impaired**" means "impaired" within the meaning of section 1124 of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 40. "**Insurance Policies**" means all insurance policies of the Debtor not sold to Purchaser in the Sale.
- 41. "**Interest**" means any issued, unissued, authorized, or outstanding shares of common equity, preferred stock, or other instrument evidencing an ownership or economic interest in the Debtor.
- 42. "Interim Compensation Order" means the Order Establishing Procedures for Monthly, Interim, and Final Compensation and Reimbursement of Professionals] [Docket No. 100].
- 43. "**IRS Form**" means IRS Form W-9, W-8BEN, any acceptable substitute, or any other tax information form that the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) may require from a Holder of a Claim for a distribution under the Plan.

- 44. "Lien" means a "lien," as defined in section 101(37) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 45. "**Liquidating Trust**" means the liquidating trust established on the Effective Date pursuant to Article IV of the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement.
- 46. "**Liquidating Trust Agreement**" means the agreement to be executed as of the Effective Date establishing the Liquidating Trust pursuant to this Plan and to be Filed as part of the Plan Supplement.
- 47. "Liquidating Trust Assets" means all assets of the Debtor and the Estate as of the Effective Date (and, for the avoidance of doubt, excluding assets transferred to Purchaser pursuant to the Sale Documents and the Professional Fee Escrow Account), including Cash on hand, and Causes of Action.
- 48. "**Liquidating Trust Beneficiaries**" means, collectively, all creditors who are entitled to receive a distribution under this Plan, other than Retained Professionals.
- 49. "Liquidating Trust Primary Recovery Units" means the liquidating trust units, which, in the aggregate, shall entitle the holders thereof to receive distributions from the Liquidating Trust, in accordance with the Plan and the terms of the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The Liquidating Trust Primary Recovery Units shall be distributed to Holders of Allowed Class 3 Claims. The total amount of Liquidating Trust Primary Recovery Units shall equal to the total amount of Allowed Class 3 Claims. For the avoidance of doubt, the Liquidating Trust Primary Recovery Units will only be entitled to a distribution from the Liquidating Trust Assets after payment in full of any Allowed Professional Fee Claims, Priority Tax Claims, and Other Priority Claims.
- 50. "Liquidating Trust Secondary Recovery Units" means the liquidating trust units, which, in the aggregate, shall entitle the holders thereof to receive distributions from the Liquidating Trust, in accordance with the Plan and the terms of the Liquidating Trust Agreement. For the avoidance of doubt, the Liquidating Trust Secondary Recovery Units shall be distributed to Holders of Allowed Class 4 Claims. The total amount of Liquidating Trust Secondary Recovery Units shall equal to the total amount of Allowed Class 4 Claims. For the avoidance of doubt, the Liquidating Trust Secondary Recovery Units will only be entitled to a distribution from the Liquidating Trust Assets after payment in full of any Allowed Professional Fee Claims, Priority Tax Claims, and Other Priority Claims, and after holders of Liquidating Trust Primary Recovery Units receive a distribution in full on account of Allowed General Unsecured Claims.
- 51. "**Liquidating Trust Units**" means the Liquidating Trust Primary Recovery Units and Liquidating Trust Secondary Recovery Units.
- 52. "**Liquidating Trustee**" means the trustee appointed by the Debtor and identified in the Plan Supplement, to act as trustee of and administer the Liquidating Trust, and any successor thereto.

- 53. "**Notice and Claims Agent**" means Kurtzman Carson Consultants, LLC in its capacity as noticing, claims, and solicitation agent for the Debtor, pursuant to orders of the Bankruptcy Court [Docket Nos. 23 & 102].
- 54. "**OCP**" has the meaning ascribed to such term in the Debtor's Motion for Entry of an Order (I) Authorizing the Retention and Compensation of Certain Professional Utilized in the Ordinary Course of Business and (II) Granting Related Relief [Docket No. 37], which motion was approved pursuant to the OCP Order.
- 55. "OCP Order" means the Order (I) Authorizing the Retention and Compensation of Certain Professional Utilized in the Ordinary Course of Business and (II) Granting Related Relief [Docket No. 101].
- 56. "Other Priority Claim" means any Claim, other than an Administrative Claim or a Priority Tax Claim, entitled to priority in right of payment under section 507(a) of the Bankruptcy Code.
 - 57. "**Person**" means a "person," as defined in section 101(41) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 58. "**Petition Date**" means June 1, 2022, the date on which the Debtor Filed its voluntary petition for relief under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, thereby commencing the Chapter 11 Case.
- 59. "Plan" means this plan of reorganization under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, either in its present form or as it may be altered, amended, modified, or supplemented from time to time in accordance with the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, or the terms hereof, as the case may be, and the Plan Supplement, which is incorporated herein by reference, including all exhibits and schedules hereto and thereto.
- 60. "Plan Expenses" means all actual and necessary fees, costs, expenses, and obligations incurred by or owed to the Liquidating Trustee and its agents, employees, attorneys, advisors, and other professionals in administering this Plan and the Liquidating Trust, including (a) reasonable compensation for services rendered and reimbursement for actual and necessary expenses incurred by the Liquidating Trustee and its agents, employees, and professionals after the Effective Date through and including the date upon which the Bankruptcy Court enters a final decree closing the Chapter 11 Case, and (b) all Statutory Fees payable pursuant to the Plan.
- 61. "Plan Supplement" means a supplemental appendix to the Plan that shall be Filed by the Debtor no later than seven (7) days before the Voting Deadline to accept or reject the Plan or such later date as may be approved by the Bankruptcy Court on notice to parties in interest and that shall include, among other things, draft forms of documents (or term sheets thereof), schedules, and exhibits to the Plan, and as may be amended, modified, or supplemented from time to time on or prior to the Effective Date in accordance with the terms thereof and hereof, the Bankruptcy Code, and the Bankruptcy Rules, including the following documents: (a) the identity and compensation of the Liquidating Trustee; (b) the Liquidating Trust Agreement; (c) to the extent known, the identity of any insider that will be employed or retained by the Liquidating

Trustee, and the nature of any compensation for such insider; and (e) other documentation necessary to effectuate the Plan or that is contemplated by the Plan.

- 62. "**Priority Tax Claim**" means a Claim of a Governmental Unit of the kind specified in section 507(a)(8) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 63. "Professional Fee Claims" means a Claim (1) by a Retained Professional seeking an award by the Bankruptcy Court of compensation for services rendered or reimbursement of expenses incurred after the Petition Date and on or before the Effective Date under sections 328, 330, 331 or 503(b)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code, as applicable, or (2) by an OCP for compensation for services rendered or reimbursement of expenses incurred after the Petition Date and on or before the Effective Date pursuant to the OCP Order.
- 64. "**Professional Fee Reserve Amount**" means the aggregate of unpaid Professional Fee Claims and other unpaid fees and expenses incurred in rendering services to the Debtor from [•], 2022 through the Effective Date, which estimates shall be submitted by Retained Professionals or otherwise established by the Debtor pursuant to Article II.B.4 of the Plan.
- 65. "**Proof of Claim**" means a proof of Claim Filed against the Debtor in the Chapter 11 Case.
- 66. "**Proof of Interest**" means a proof of Interest Filed against the Debtor in the Chapter 11 Case.
- 67. "**Purchase Agreement**" means the Final Purchase Agreement, as such term is defined in the Sale Order.
 - 68. "Purchaser" has the meaning ascribed to it in the Sale Order.
- 69. "Released Parties" or "Released Party" means, collectively, and in each case, in its capacity as such the Debtor's current and former directors, managers, officers, employees, agents, advisory board members, financial advisors, partners, attorneys, accountants, investment bankers, consultants, representatives, and other professionals, equity holders (regardless of whether such interests are held directly or indirectly), predecessors, successors, and assigns; provided, however, that any Entity or Person that opts out of the third-party release under Article IX.C of the Plan or otherwise objects to Confirmation of the Plan shall not be deemed a "Released Party" under this Plan.
- 70. "Releasing Parties" or "Releasing Party" means, individually and collectively, each Holder of a Claim (i) that does not opt out of the releases or (ii) File an objection to such releases; and the term "Releasing Party" shall not include the Holder of an Interest, solely in such capacity. Plan § I.A.70 (emphasis added).
- 71. "**Retained Professional**" means an Entity employed in the Chapter 11 Case pursuant to a Final Order in accordance with sections 327, 328, and/or 1103 of the Bankruptcy Code and to be compensated for services rendered prior to the Effective Date, pursuant to sections 327, 328, 329, 330, or 331 of the Bankruptcy Code.

- 72. "Sale" means the transaction between and among the Debtor and Purchaser pursuant to which the Debtor sold substantially all of its assets to the Purchaser pursuant to sections 363 and 365 of the Bankruptcy Code, as set forth in the Sale Order and Purchase Agreement.
- 73. "Sale Documents" means, collectively, the Purchase Agreement and all agreements, documents and instruments related thereto, including the Sale Order.
- 74. "Sale Order" means the Order (I) Authorizing the Sale of Assets of the Debtor Free and Clear of All Liens, Claims, Encumbrances, and Interests; (II) Approving the Final Asset Purchase Agreement; (III) Authorizing the Assumption and Assignment of Certain Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases; and (IV) Granting Related Relief [Docket No. 164].
- 75. "Schedules" means, collectively, the schedules of assets and liabilities, schedule of Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases and statement of financial affairs Filed by the Debtor pursuant to section 521 of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules and the official bankruptcy forms, as the same may be amended, modified or supplemented from time to time.
- 76. "Secured Claim" means a Claim: (a) secured by a Lien on collateral, which Lien is valid, perfected and enforceable, to the extent of the value of such collateral, as determined in accordance with section 506(a) of the Bankruptcy Code or (b) subject to a valid right of setoff pursuant to section 553 of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 77. "Section 510(b) Claims" means any Claim against the Debtor subject to subordination under section 510(b) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 78. "Solicitation Procedures Order" means an order entered by the Bankruptcy Court [Docket No. 227] approving the Disclosure Statement and the solicitation of votes on the Plan.
- 79. "**Subordinated Claims**" means any Claim subordinated by Order of the Bankruptcy Code pursuant to § 510(c) of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise, or any Claim or portion thereof for punitive or exemplary damages.
- 80. "Statutory Fees" means any fees and charges assessed against the Estate under chapter 123 of title 28 of the United States Code, 28 U.S.C. §§ 1911-1930.
- 81. "Unexpired Lease" means a lease to which the Debtor is a party and subject to assumption or rejection under section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 82. "**Unimpaired**" means, with respect to a Claim or Class of Claims, not "impaired" within the meaning of sections 1123(a)(4) and 1124 of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 83. "United States Trustee" means the United States Trustee for the District of Delaware.
- 84. "Voting Deadline" means the "Voting Deadline," as such term is defined in the Solicitation Procedures Order.

B. Rules of Interpretation

- 1. For purposes herein: (a) in the appropriate context, each term, whether stated in the singular or the plural, shall include both the singular and the plural, and pronouns stated in the masculine, feminine, or neuter gender shall include the masculine, feminine, and the neuter gender; (b) unless otherwise specified, any reference herein to a contract, instrument, release, indenture, or other agreement or document being in a particular form or on particular terms and conditions means that the referenced document shall be substantially in that form or substantially on those terms and conditions; (c) unless otherwise specified, any reference herein to an existing document or exhibit having been Filed or to be Filed shall mean that document or exhibit, as it may thereafter be amended, modified, or supplemented; (d) unless otherwise specified, all references herein to "Articles" are references to Articles of this Plan; (e) the words "herein," "hereof," and "hereto" refer to the Plan in its entirety rather than to a particular portion of the Plan; (f) the words "include" and "including" and variations thereof shall not be deemed to be terms of limitation and shall be deemed to be followed by the words "without limitation"; (g) captions and headings to Articles are inserted for convenience of reference only and are not intended to be a part of or to affect the interpretation hereof; (i) unless otherwise specified herein, the rules of construction set forth in section 102 of the Bankruptcy Code shall apply; (k) any term used in capitalized form herein that is not otherwise defined but that is used in the Bankruptcy Code or the Bankruptcy Rules shall have the meaning assigned to that term in the Bankruptcy Code or the Bankruptcy Rules, as the case may be; and (1) any effectuating provisions may be interpreted by the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) in such a manner that is consistent with the overall purpose and intent of the Plan without further notice to or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court or any other Entity, and such interpretation shall control.
- 2. All references in the Plan to monetary figures refer to currency of the United States of America, unless otherwise expressly provided.

C. <u>Computation of Time</u>

Unless otherwise specifically stated in the Plan, the provisions of Bankruptcy Rule 9006(a) shall apply in computing any period of time prescribed or allowed in the Plan. If the date on which a transaction may occur pursuant to the Plan shall occur on a day that is not a Business Day, then such transaction shall instead occur on the next succeeding Business Day. Any references to the Effective Date shall mean the Effective Date or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter unless otherwise specified herein.

D. Controlling Document

In the event of an inconsistency between the Plan and the Disclosure Statement, the terms of the Plan shall control in all respects. In the event of an inconsistency between the Plan and the Plan Supplement, the Plan shall control. In the event of an inconsistency between the Plan and the Confirmation Order, the Confirmation Order shall control.

ARTICLE II. ADMINISTRATIVE CLAIMS, PRIORITY TAX CLAIMS, AND UNITED STATES TRUSTEE STATUTORY FEES

In accordance with section 1123(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code, Administrative Claims (including Professional Fee Claims) and Priority Tax Claims have not been classified and, thus, are excluded from the Classes of Claims and Interests set forth in Article III of this Plan.

A. Administrative Expense Claims

Unless otherwise agreed to by the Holder of an Allowed Administrative Claim and the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable), each Holder of an Allowed Administrative Claim (other than Holders of Professional Fee Claims and Claims for fees and expenses pursuant to section 1930 of chapter 123 of title 28 of the United States Code) will receive in full and final satisfaction of its Allowed Administrative Claim an amount of Cash equal to the amount of such Allowed Administrative Claim in accordance with the following: (1) if an Administrative Claim is Allowed on or prior to the Effective Date, on the Effective Date (or, if not then due, when such Allowed Administrative Claim becomes due or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter); (2) if such Administrative Claim is not Allowed as of the Effective Date, no later than thirty (30) days after the date on which an order allowing such Administrative Claim becomes a Final Order, or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter; or (3) at such time and upon such terms as set forth in an order of the Bankruptcy Court.

Except for Professional Fee Claims, and notwithstanding any prior Filing or Proof of Claim, Proofs of Claim seeking the allowance and payment of Administrative Claims must be Filed and served on the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) and their counsel, no later than the Administrative Claims Bar Date pursuant to the procedures specified in the Confirmation Order and the notice of the occurrence of the Effective Date. The burden of proof for the allowance of Administrative Claims remains on the Holder of the Administrative Claim.

Objections to such Proofs of Claim must be Filed and served on the requesting party within one hundred eighty (180) days after the Effective Date. After notice and a hearing, the Allowed amounts, if any, of Administrative Claims shall be determined by, and satisfied in accordance with, a Final Order.

Except as otherwise provided in Articles II.B or II.D of the Plan, Holders of Administrative Claims that do not File and serve a Proof of Claim requesting the allowance of an Administrative Expense by the Administrative Claims Bar Date shall be forever barred, estopped, and enjoined from asserting Administrative Claims against the Debtor, the Estate, the Liquidating Trust, the Liquidating Trustee, or their assets and properties, and any Administrative Claims shall be deemed disallowed as of the Effective Date unless otherwise ordered by the Court.

B. Professional Fee Claims

1. <u>Final Fee Applications</u>

All requests for payment of Professional Fee Claims by Retained Professionals (other than OCPs) for services rendered and reimbursement of expenses incurred prior to the Effective Date must be Filed no later than forty-five (45) days after the Effective Date. Objections to Professional Fee Claims must be Filed and served no later than twenty-one (21) days after the Filing of the same. The Bankruptcy Court shall determine the Allowed amounts of such Professional Fee Claims of Retained Professionals (other than OCPs) after notice and a hearing in accordance with the procedures established by the Bankruptcy Court. Unless otherwise agreed to by the Debtor and the Retained Professional prior to the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall pay Professional Fee Claims that are Allowed by Final Order in Cash, and first to a Retained Professional from the Professional Fee Escrow Account to the extent any funds remain escrowed therefor in such account.

2. Administrative Claims of OCPs

All requests for payment of Professional Fee Claims of OCPs shall be made pursuant to the OCP Order. The amount of Professional Fee Claims owing to the OCPs shall be paid in Cash to such OCPs by the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) from the Professional Fee Escrow Account as soon as reasonably practicable after such Professional Fee Claims are Allowed pursuant to the OCP Order.

3. <u>Post-Effective Date Fees and Expenses</u>

Except as otherwise specifically provided in the Plan, from and after the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall, in the ordinary course of business and without any further notice to or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court, pay in Cash the reasonable and documented legal, professional, or other fees and expenses related to the Chapter 11 Case that are incurred after the Effective Date. Upon the Effective Date, any requirement that Retained Professionals comply with sections 327 through 331 of the Bankruptcy Code or the OCP Order in seeking retention or compensation for services rendered after such date shall terminate, and the Debtor or Liquidating Trustee may employ and pay any Retained Professional in the ordinary course of business without any further notice to or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Code.

4. Professional Fee Reserve Amount

Unless otherwise agreed to by the Debtor and the Retained Professional prior to the Effective Date, to receive payment for unbilled fees and expenses incurred through the Effective Date, the Retained Professionals shall estimate their Accrued Professional Compensation Claims prior to and as of the Confirmation Date, along with an estimate of fees and expenses to be incurred through the Effective Date, and shall deliver such estimate to the Debtor, their counsel no later than three (3) calendar days prior to the scheduled Confirmation Hearing; provided that such estimate shall not be considered an admission with respect to the fees and expenses of such Retained Professional. If a Retained Professional does not provide an estimate, the Debtor may

estimate the unbilled fees and expenses of such Retained Professional. The total amount so estimated as of the Confirmation Date shall comprise the Professional Fee Reserve Amount.

5. Professional Fee Escrow Account

Unless otherwise agreed to by the Debtor and the Retained Professional prior to the Effective Date, the Debtor shall continue to fund the Professional Fee Escrow Account for the Professional Fee Claims of the Retained Professionals. On or before the Effective Date, the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) shall, if and to the extent necessary, fund the Professional Fee Escrow Account with Cash equal to the Professional Fee Reserve Amount. For the avoidance of doubt, the Liquidating Trustee is charged with administering the Professional Fee Escrow Account after the Effective Date and is permitted to open a new bank account to transfer funds from the Debtor's Professional Fee Escrow Account, at which point such account shall be deemed a Professional Fee Escrow Account and the funds therein shall be used pursuant to the terms of this Plan.

The Professional Fee Escrow Account and amounts funded therein for a Retained Professional are and shall continue to be maintained in trust solely for each Retained Professional separately on a per-Retained Professional basis. Such funds shall not be considered property of the Debtor, its Estate, or the Liquidating Trust; provided, however, the Liquidating Trust shall have a reversionary interest in any Cash remaining in the Professional Fee Escrow Account after payment in full of all Allowed Professional Fee Claims without any further notice, action or order of the Bankruptcy Court. Unless otherwise agreed to by the Debtor and the Retained Professional prior to the Effective Date, the amount of Professional Fee Claims owing to the Retained Professionals shall be paid in Cash to such Retained Professionals by the Liquidating Trustee from the Professional Fee Escrow Account as soon as reasonably practicable after such Professional Fee Claims are Allowed by order of the Bankruptcy Court.

C. <u>Priority Tax Claims</u>

Except to the extent that a Holder of an Allowed Priority Tax Claim agrees with the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) to a different treatment, and only to the extent that any such Allowed Priority Tax Claim has not been paid in full prior to the Effective Date, in full and final satisfaction, settlement and release of and in exchange for each Allowed Priority Tax Claim, each Holder of such Allowed Priority Tax Claim shall be treated in accordance with the terms set forth in section 1129(a)(9)(C) of the Bankruptcy Code. The Debtor and the Liquidating Trustee reserve the right to prepay any Allowed Priority Tax Claim at any time under this option. For the avoidance of doubt, Priority Tax Claims are entitled to payment in full prior to distributions to holders of the Liquidating Trust Primary Recovery Units and Liquidating Trust Secondary Recovery Units.

D. <u>United States Trustee Statutory Fees</u>

All fees due and payable pursuant to section 1930 of Title 28 of the U.S. Code, together with the statutory rate of interest set forth in section 3717 of Title 31 of the U.S. Code to the extent applicable ("Statutory Fees") prior to the Effective Date shall be paid by the Debtor on the Effective Date. After the Effective Date, any and all Statutory Fees shall be paid to the U.S.

Trustee when due and payable. The Debtor shall file all monthly operating reports due prior to the Effective Date when they become due, using UST Form 11-MOR. After the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee and the Debtor shall file with the Bankruptcy Court separate UST Form 11-PCR reports when they become due. The Debtor (both pre and post-effective date), and the Liquidating Trust shall remain obligated to pay Statutory Fees to the Office of the U.S. Trustee until the earliest of the Debtor's case being closed, dismissed or converted to a case under Chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code. For the avoidance of doubt, neither the U.S. Trustee or any other Governmental Unit is required to File a request for an Administrative Claim for Statutory Fees, and the U.S. Trustee shall not be treated as providing any release under the Plan.

ARTICLE III. CLASSIFICATION AND TREATMENT OF CLAIMS AND INTERESTS

A. <u>Classification of Claims and Interests</u>

Except for the Claims addressed in Article II of the Plan, all Claims and Interests are classified in the Classes set forth below in accordance with sections 1122 and 1123(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code. A Claim or an Interest is classified in a particular Class only to the extent that the Claim or Interest qualifies within the description of that Class and is classified in other Classes to the extent that any portion of the Claim or Interest qualifies within the description of such other Classes. A Claim also is classified in a particular Class for the purpose of receiving distributions under the Plan only to the extent that such Claim is an Allowed Claim in that Class and has not been otherwise paid, released, or satisfied at any time.

The classification of Claims against and Interests in the Debtor pursuant to the Plan is as follows:

Class	Claim or Interest	Status	Voting Rights
1	Secured Claims	Unimpaired	Not Entitled to Vote (Deemed to Accept)
2	Other Priority Claims	Unimpaired	Not Entitled to Vote (Deemed to Accept)
3	General Unsecured Claims	Impaired	Entitled to Vote
4	Subordinated Claims	Impaired	Entitled to Vote
5	Interests in the Debtor	Impaired	Not Entitled to Vote (Deemed to Reject)

B. Treatment of Claims and Interests

1. <u>Class 1 – Secured Claims</u>

- a. Classification: Class 1 consists of all Secured Claims against the Debtor.
- b. *Treatment*: Except to the extent that a Holder of an Allowed Secured Claim agrees to a less favorable treatment, in exchange for full and final satisfaction, settlement, and release of each Allowed Secured Claim, each Holder of an Allowed Secured Claim shall receive the following, at the option of the Debtor or Liquidating Trustee (as applicable): (i) payment in full in Cash on or as soon as is reasonably practicable after the later of (A) the Effective Date and (B) the date on which such Secured Claim is Allowed by a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court; (ii) the collateral securing such Holder's Allowed Secured Claim; or (iii) such other treatment rendering such Allowed Secured Claim Unimpaired.
- c. *Voting*: Class 1 is Unimpaired, and Holders of Secured Claims are conclusively deemed to have accepted the Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code. Therefore, Holders of Class 1 Secured Claims are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

2. Class 2 – Other Priority Claims

- a. *Classification*: Class 2 consists of all Other Priority Claims against the Debtor.
- b. *Treatment*: Except to the extent that a Holder of an Allowed Other Priority Claim agrees to a less favorable treatment, in exchange for full and final satisfaction, settlement, and release of each Allowed Other Priority Claim, each Holder of such Allowed Other Priority Claim shall receive the following at the option of the Debtor or Liquidating Trustee (as applicable): (i) payment in full in Cash on or as soon as is reasonably practicable after the later of (A) the Effective Date and (B) the date on which such Other Priority Claim is Allowed by a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court; or (ii) such other treatment rendering such Allowed Other Priority Claim Unimpaired.
- c. *Voting*: Class 2 is Unimpaired, and Holders of Other Priority Claims are conclusively deemed to have accepted the Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code. Therefore, Holders of Other Priority Claims are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

3. Class 3 – General Unsecured Claims

a. *Classification*: Class 3 consists of all General Unsecured Claims against the Debtor.

- b. *Treatment*: Except to the extent that a Holder of an Allowed General Unsecured Claim agrees to a less favorable treatment, in exchange for full and final satisfaction, settlement, and release of each Allowed General Unsecured Claim, each Holder of an Allowed General Unsecured Claim shall receive its pro rata share (calculated based on the proportion that such Holder's Allowed General Unsecured Claim bears to the aggregate amount of Allowed General Unsecured Claims) of the Liquidating Trust Primary Recovery Units.
- c. *Voting*: Class 3 is Impaired, and Holders of General Unsecured Claims are entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

4. Class 4 – Subordinated Claims

- a. *Classification*: Class 4 consists of all Subordinated Claims against the Debtor.
- b. *Treatment*: Except to the extent that a Holder of an Allowed Subordinated Claim agrees to a less favorable treatment, in exchange for full and final satisfaction, settlement, and release of each Allowed Subordinated Claim, each Holder of an Allowed Subordinated Claim shall receive its pro rata share (calculated based on the proportion that such Holder's Allowed Subordinated Claim bears to the aggregate amount of Allowed Subordinated Claims) of the Liquidating Trust Secondary Recovery Units.
- c. *Voting*: Class 4 is Impaired, and Holders of Subordinated Claims are entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

5. <u>Class 5 – Interests in the Debtor</u>

- a. *Classification*: Class 5 consists of all Interests in the Debtor.
- b. *Treatment*: On the Effective Date, all Interests in the Debtor shall be cancelled and released without any distribution and the Debtor shall be dissolved.
- c. *Voting*: Class 5 is Impaired. the Holders of Class 5 Interests are conclusively deemed to reject the Plan and are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan.

C. Special Provision Governing Unimpaired Claims

Except as otherwise provided in the Plan, nothing under the Plan shall affect the Debtor's or the Liquidating Trustee's rights with respect to any Claims, including all legal and equitable defenses to or setoffs or recoupments against any Claims.

D. <u>Voting Classes</u>; <u>Presumed Acceptance by Non-Voting Classes</u>

If a Class contains Claims eligible to vote, and no Holders of Claims eligible to vote in such Class vote to accept or reject the Plan, the Holders of Claims in such Class shall be deemed to have accepted the Plan.

E. Controversy Concerning Impairment

If a controversy arises as to whether any Claim or any Class of Claims is Impaired, the Bankruptcy Court shall, after notice and a hearing, determine such controversy on or before the Confirmation Date.

F. Subordination of Claims

The allowance, classification, and treatment of all Allowed Claims and Interests and the respective distributions and treatments under the Plan shall take into account and conform to the relative priority and rights of the Claims and Interests in each Class in connection with any contractual, legal, and equitable subordination rights relating thereto, whether arising under general principles of equitable subordination, contract, section 510(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, or otherwise. Pursuant to section 510 of the Bankruptcy Code, the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) reserve the right to re-classify any Allowed Claim or Allowed Interest in accordance with any contractual, legal, or equitable subordination relating thereto.

G. Elimination of Vacant Classes

Any Class of Claims that does not have a Holder of an Allowed Claim or a Claim temporarily Allowed by the Bankruptcy Court as of the date of the Confirmation Hearing shall be deemed eliminated from the Plan for purposes of voting to accept or reject the Plan and for purposes of determining acceptances or rejection of the Plan by such Class pursuant to section 1129(a)(8) of the Bankruptcy Code.

H. Confirmation Pursuant to Section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code

The Debtor hereby requests confirmation of the Plan under section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code with respect to any Class that is deemed to reject the Plan pursuant to section 1126(g) of the Bankruptcy Code. The Debtor reserves the right to request Confirmation of the Plan under section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code with respect to any voting Class that votes to reject the Plan.

ARTICLE IV. MEANS FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF PLAN

A. Sources of Consideration for Plan Distributions

Subject to the provisions of the Plan concerning the Professional Fee Escrow Account, the Debtor and the Liquidating Trustee shall fund distributions under the Plan with Cash on hand on the Effective Date and all other Liquidating Trust Assets.

B. <u>Vesting of Assets</u>

On the Effective Date, pursuant to sections 1141(b) and 1141(c) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Liquidating Trust Assets shall vest in the Liquidating Trust free and clear of all Claims, Liens, encumbrances, charges, and other interests except as otherwise expressly provided in this Plan.

C. Preservation of Causes of Action

Except as otherwise provided in this Plan or in any contract, instrument, release, or agreement entered into in connection with the Plan or the Sale, in accordance with section 1123(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, all claims and Causes of Action that the Debtor or Estate may have against any Person or Entity are preserved and transferred to the Liquidating Trust on the Effective Date, including, without limitation, any and all Causes of Action the Debtor, Estate, or other appropriate party in interest may assert under the Bankruptcy Code and nonbankruptcy law.

D. <u>Corporate Action</u>

1. Transfer of Assets and Assumption of Liabilities

On the Effective Date, (i) the Debtor shall, in accordance with this Plan, cause the Liquidating Trust Assets to be transferred to the Liquidating Trust and (ii) the Liquidating Trust shall assume all obligations of the Debtor under this Plan.

2. <u>Dissolution of the Debtor; Removal of Directors and Officers; Termination of Employees</u>

On the Effective Date, and upon the transfer of the Liquidating Trust Assets to the Liquidating Trust, the Debtor shall be dissolved for all purposes unless the Liquidating Trustee determines that dissolution can have any adverse impact on the Liquidating Trust Assets; provided, however, that neither the Debtor nor any party released pursuant to Article IX.B of the Plan shall be responsible for any liabilities that may arise as a result of non-dissolution of the Debtor; provided further, however, that nothing in the Plan shall be construed as relieving the Debtor or Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) of their duties to pay Statutory Fees to the United States Trustee as required by the Bankruptcy Code and applicable law until such time as a Final Decree is entered in the Debtor's case or the case is dismissed or converted to a case under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code. The Liquidating Trustee shall submit with the appropriate governmental agencies a copy of the Confirmation Order, which Confirmation Order shall suffice for purposes of obtaining a Certificate of Dissolution from the Delaware Secretary of State.

Without limiting the foregoing, on the Effective Date and upon the Debtor causing the Liquidating Trust Assets to be transferred to the Liquidating Trust, the Debtor shall have no further duties or responsibilities in connection with implementation of this Plan, and the directors and officers of the Debtor shall be deemed to have resigned and the employees of the Debtor terminated. From and after the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall be authorized to act on behalf of the Estate, provided that the Liquidating Trustee shall have no duties other than as expressly set forth in this Plan.

E. Cancellation of Existing Securities and Agreements

On the Effective Date, all agreements and other documents evidencing (i) any Claim or rights of any Holder of a Claim against the Debtor, including any notes evidencing such Claims or (ii) any Interest in the Debtor, including any options or warrants to purchase Interests, shall be cancelled. The Holders of, or parties to, such cancelled agreements and documents shall have no rights arising from or relating to such agreements and documents or the cancellation thereof, except as to the allowance and distribution on pre-Confirmation Claims in respect thereof as provided pursuant to this Plan.

F. Plan Transactions

On the Effective Date or as soon thereafter as is reasonably practicable, the Debtor and the Liquidating Trustee may take any and all actions as may be necessary or appropriate to effect any transaction described in, approved by, contemplated by, or necessary to effectuate this Plan, including, but not limited to, (i) the execution and delivery of appropriate agreements or other documents of consolidation, conversion, disposition, transfer, or dissolution containing terms that are consistent with the terms of this Plan and that satisfy the requirements of applicable law, (ii) the execution and delivery of any appropriate instruments of transfer, assignment, assumption, or delegation of any asset, property, right, liability, debt, duty, or obligation on terms consistent with this Plan, (iii) the filing of appropriate documents with the appropriate governmental authorities pursuant to applicable law, and (iv) any and all other actions that the Debtor or Liquidating Trustee determine are necessary or appropriate to effect the Plan.

G. Effectuating Documents and Further Transactions

Upon entry of the Confirmation Order, the Debtor and the Liquidating Trustee shall be authorized to execute, deliver, file, or record such contracts, instruments, releases, consents, certificates, resolutions, programs, and other agreements or documents, and take such acts and actions as may be reasonable, necessary, or appropriate to effectuate, implement, consummate, and/or further evidence the terms and conditions of this Plan and any transactions described in or contemplated by this Plan. The Debtor or Liquidating Trustee (as applicable), all Holders of Claims receiving distributions pursuant to this Plan, and all other parties in interest shall, from time to time, prepare, execute, and deliver any agreements or documents, and take any other actions as may be necessary or advisable to effectuate the provisions and intent of this Plan.

H. Section 1146 Exemption from Certain Taxes and Fees

Pursuant to section 1146(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, any transfers of property pursuant to the Plan shall not be subject to any document recording tax, stamp tax, conveyance fee, intangibles or similar tax, mortgage tax, stamp act, real estate transfer tax, mortgage recording tax, or other similar tax or governmental assessment, and upon entry of the Confirmation Order, the appropriate state or local governmental officials or agents shall forgo the collection of any such tax or governmental assessment and accept for filing and recordation all such instruments or other documents governing or evidencing such transfers without the payment of any such tax, recordation fee, or governmental assessment. Such exemption specifically applies, without

limitation, to the transfer of the Liquidating Trust Assets to the Liquidating Trust and issuance of the Liquidating Trust Primary Recovery Units and Liquidating Trust Secondary Recovery Units.

I. Sale Order

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, nothing in this Plan shall affect, impair or supersede the Sale Order(s) or Sale Documents, each of which remains in full force and effect and governs in the event of any inconsistency with the Plan.

J. Authority to Act

Prior to, on, or after the Effective Date (as appropriate), all matters expressly provided for under this Plan that would otherwise require approval of the stockholders, security holders, officers, directors, partners, members, or other owners of one or more of the Debtor shall be deemed to have occurred and shall be in effect prior to, on, or after the Effective Date (as applicable) pursuant to the applicable law of the state in which the Debtor is formed, without any further vote, consent, approval, authorization, or other action by such stockholders, security holders, officers, directors, partners, members, or other owners of the Debtor or notice to, order of, or hearing before, the Bankruptcy Court.

K. <u>Liquidating Trust</u>

1. <u>Establishment of Liquidating Trust</u>

On the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trust will be established pursuant to the Liquidating Trust Agreement, which will be Filed with the Bankruptcy Court as part of the Plan Supplement. Upon establishment of the Liquidating Trust, all Liquidating Trust Assets shall be deemed transferred to the Liquidating Trust without any further action of the Debtor or any managers, employees, officers, directors, members, partners, shareholders, agents, advisors, or representatives of the Debtor.

2. Transfer of Liquidating Trust Assets

Pursuant to section 1141 of the Bankruptcy Code, all property transferred to the Liquidating Trust shall be made free and clear of all Claims, Liens, encumbrances, charges, and other interests, except as may be otherwise provided in this Plan. Upon completion of the transfer of the Liquidating Trust Assets to the Liquidating Trust, the Debtor will have no further interest in, or with respect to, the Liquidating Trust Assets, or the Liquidating Trust. For all federal income tax purposes, all parties (including, without limitation, the Debtor, the Liquidating Trustee, and the Liquidating Trust Beneficiaries) will treat the transfer of assets to the Liquidating Trust in accordance with the terms of this Plan as a transfer to the Liquidating Trust Beneficiaries, followed by a transfer by such Liquidating Trust Beneficiaries to the Liquidating Trust, and the Liquidating Trust Beneficiaries will be treated as the grantors and owners thereof.

3. <u>Purpose of Liquidating Trust</u>

The Liquidating Trust shall be established for the purpose of liquidating the Liquidating Trust Assets, maximizing recoveries for the benefit of the Liquidating Trust Beneficiaries, and making distributions in accordance with this Plan to the Liquidating Trust Beneficiaries, with no objective to continue or engage in the conduct of a trade or business in accordance with Treas. Reg. § 301.7701-4(d). The Liquidating Trust is intended to qualify as a "grantor trust" for federal income tax purposes and, to the extent permitted by applicable law, for state and local income tax purposes, with the Liquidating Trust Beneficiaries treated as grantors and owners of the Liquidating Trust.

4. Liquidating Trustee

(i) Liquidating Trustee as Representative of the Estate

From and after the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall act as the exclusive representative of the Estate for all purposes, including specifically, pursuant to section 1123(b)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code, for the purpose of retaining and enforcing any claims or interests of the Estate, including rights under the Sale Documents, and any Causes of Action in accordance with the best interests of and for the benefit of the Liquidating Trust Beneficiaries. Any successor Liquidating Trustee appointed pursuant to the Liquidating Trust Agreement shall be bound by and comply with the terms of this Plan, the Confirmation Order, and the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

(ii) Responsibilities and Authority of the Liquidating Trustee

The responsibilities and authority of the Liquidating Trustee shall be as set forth in the Liquidating Trust Agreement, and shall include the following rights and responsibilities, which shall be the exclusive rights and responsibilities of the Liquidating Trustee: (a) preserving and liquidating the Liquidating Trust Assets and making distributions to the Liquidating Trust Beneficiaries in accordance with the provisions of this Plan; (b) administering and paying taxes, including, among other things, (i) filing tax returns (to the extent not the obligation of Purchaser), and (ii) representing the interest and account of the Liquidating Trust before any taxing authority in all matters including, without limitation, any action, suit, proceeding, or audit; (c) retaining and paying, without the need for retention or fee applications, professionals in connection with the Liquidating Trustee's performance of its duties under this Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement; (d) distributing information statements as required for federal income tax and other applicable tax purposes; (e) Filing an application for entry by the Bankruptcy Court of a final decree closing the Chapter 11 Case; (f) making distributions to Retained Professionals for Allowed Professional Fee Claims, including from the Professional Fee Escrow Account; (g) making distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims in accordance with the Plan and Liquidating Trust Agreement; and (h) such other responsibilities as may be vested in the Liquidating Trustee pursuant to this Plan or an order of the Bankruptcy Court (including, without limitation, the Confirmation Order), or as may be necessary and proper to carry out the provisions of this Plan.

(iii) Powers of the Liquidating Trustee

The powers of the Liquidating Trustee shall be as set forth in the Liquidating Trust Agreement, and shall include the following: (a) the power to invest funds of the Liquidating Trust, and withdraw, make distributions, and pay taxes and other obligations owed by the Liquidating Trust from such funds in accordance with this Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement; (b) the power to engage and compensate, without prior Bankruptcy Court order or approval, employees and professionals to assist the Liquidating Trustee with respect to its responsibilities; (c) the power to pursue, prosecute, resolve, compromise and settle any Causes of Action against any other Person or Entity without notice to or approval from the Bankruptcy Court; (d) the power to object to Claims, including, without limitation, the power to seek subordination or recharacterization of Claims by objection, motion, or adversary proceeding, as applicable; (e) the power to enforce the Sale Documents; and (f) such other powers as may be vested in or assumed by the Liquidating Trustee pursuant to this Plan or by Bankruptcy Court order, or as may be necessary and proper to carry out the provisions of this Plan.

(iv) Compensation of Liquidating Trustee

The Liquidating Trustee shall be compensated as set forth in the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The Liquidating Trustee shall fully comply with the terms, conditions and rights set forth in this Plan, the Confirmation Order, and the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The Liquidating Trustee (and any Liquidating Trustee retained professionals) shall not be required to File a fee application to receive compensation.

(v) Retention and Payment of Professionals

The Liquidating Trustee, shall have the right, without Court approval, to retain the services of attorneys, accountants, and other professionals and agents, to assist and advise the Liquidating Trustee in the performance of his, her, or its duties, and to compensate and reimburse expenses of such professionals in accordance with the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

5. Plan Expenses

All Plan Expenses shall be paid from the Liquidating Trust, and the Liquidating Trustee may, in the ordinary course of business and without the necessity for any application to, or approval of, the Bankruptcy Court, subject to the provisions of the Liquidating Trust Agreement, pay any accrued but unpaid Plan Expenses from the Liquidating Trust.

6. Termination of Liquidating Trust

The Liquidating Trust shall be dissolved upon the earlier of (i) the distribution of all of its assets to the Liquidating Trust Beneficiaries and (ii) the fifth anniversary of the creation of the Liquidating Trust; provided that, if warranted by the facts and circumstances involved in resolving or monetizing any Liquidating Trust Assets, upon application to, and if approved by, the Bankruptcy Court upon a finding that such extension is necessary or appropriate for purposes of resolving or monetizing such Liquidating Trust Assets and distributing the proceeds to Liquidating Trust Beneficiaries, the term of the Liquidating Trust may be extended by the Liquidating Trustee for a specified term. Notwithstanding the foregoing, unless otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy

Court, the Liquidating Trust shall be automatically terminated in the event that a final decree is entered closing the Chapter 11 Case or the Chapter 11 Case is converted or dismissed.

7. <u>Exculpation Relating to the Liquidating Trust</u>

No Holder of a Claim or Interest or any other party in interest will have, or otherwise pursue, any claim or Cause of Action against the Liquidating Trustee, the Liquidating Trust, or the consultants or professionals thereof (for each of the foregoing, solely in the performance of their duties) for making payments and distributions in accordance with the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement or for fulfilling any functions incidental to implementing the provisions of the Plan or the Liquidating Trust, except for any acts or omissions to act that are the result of gross negligence or willful misconduct, as set forth more fully in the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

ARTICLE V. TREATMENT OF EXECUTORY CONTRACTS AND UNEXPIRED LEASES; EMPLOYEE BENEFITS; AND INSURANCE POLICIES

A. General Treatment

On the Effective Date, except as otherwise provided herein (which exclusion includes the Insurance Policies), all Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases not previously assumed, assumed and assigned, or rejected pursuant to an order of the Bankruptcy Court, will be **deemed rejected**, in accordance with the provisions and requirements of sections 365 and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code other than those Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases that are the subject of a motion to assume that is pending on the Confirmation Date.

Assumption of any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease pursuant to this Plan or otherwise shall, upon satisfaction of the applicable requirements of section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code, result in the full, final, and complete release and satisfaction of any Claims or defaults, whether monetary or nonmonetary, including defaults or provisions restricting the change in control of ownership interest composition or other bankruptcy-related defaults, arising under any assumed executory contract or unexpired lease at any time prior to the effective date of assumption.

B. <u>Rejection Damages Claims</u>

If the rejection of an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease pursuant to the Plan and Confirmation Order results in a Claim, then, unless otherwise ordered by the Court, such Claim shall be forever barred and shall not be enforceable against the Debtor, the Estate, the Liquidating Trustee, Liquidating Trust, or any of their respective assets and properties unless a Proof of Claim is Filed with the Notice and Claims Agent and served upon counsel to the Liquidating Trustee within thirty (30) days of the Effective Date. The foregoing applies only to Claims arising from the rejection of an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease under the Plan; any other Claims held by a party to a rejected Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease shall have been evidenced by a Proof of Claim Filed by the applicable Bar Date or shall be barred and unenforceable. Claims arising from the rejection of Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases under the Plan and Confirmation Order shall be classified as General Unsecured Claims and shall, if Allowed, be treated in accordance with Article III.B.3.

Any Claims arising from the rejection of an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease pursuant to the Confirmation Order and Plan that are not timely Filed within thirty (30) days of the Effective Date will be automatically disallowed, forever barred from assertion, and shall not be enforceable against, as applicable, the Debtor, the Estate, the Liquidating Trustee, Liquidating Trust, or any of their respective assets and properties.

C. Reservation of Rights

The inclusion of any contract or lease in the Schedules or in any Plan Supplement shall not constitute an admission by the Debtor that such contract or lease is in fact an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease or that the Debtor has any liability thereunder. If there is a dispute regarding whether a contract or lease is or was executory or unexpired at the time of assumption or rejection, the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) may elect within thirty (30) calendar days following entry of a Final Order resolving such dispute to alter the treatment of such contract or lease under the Plan by filing a notice of such election on the docket of the Chapter 11 Case.

D. <u>Preexisting Obligations to Debtor under Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases</u>

Rejection of any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease pursuant to the Plan or otherwise shall not constitute a termination of preexisting obligations owed to the Debtor or Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) under such Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases. In particular, notwithstanding any non-bankruptcy law to the contrary, the Debtor and the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) expressly reserve and do not waive any right to receive, or any continuing obligation of a counterparty to provide, warranties, indemnity or continued maintenance obligations.

E. <u>Insurance Preservation</u>

Nothing in the Plan, the Confirmation Order, or the Liquidating Trust Agreement, alters the rights and obligations of the Debtor (and its Estate) and the Debtor's insurers (and third-party claims administrators) under the Insurance Policies or modifies the coverage or benefits provided thereunder or the terms and conditions thereof or diminishes or impairs the enforceability of the Insurance Policies. All of the Debtor's rights and its Estate's rights under any Insurance Policy to which the Debtor and/or the Debtor's Estate may be beneficiaries shall vest with the Liquidating Trust for the benefit of the Liquidating Trust Beneficiaries and all of the beneficiaries of such policies. For the avoidance of doubt, the Debtor shall be deemed to have assumed only the D&O Policies, and any Insurance Policy other than a D&O Policy shall be deemed terminated on the Effective Date.

F. <u>Modifications, Amendments, Supplements, Restatements, Or Other</u> Agreements

Modifications, amendments, supplements, and restatements to a prepetition Executory Contract and/or Unexpired Lease that have been executed by the Debtor during the Chapter 11 Case shall not be deemed to alter the prepetition nature of the Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease.

ARTICLE VI. PROVISIONS GOVERNING DISTRIBUTIONS

A. Distribution Record Date

As of the close of business on the Distribution Record Date, the various transfer registers for each of the Classes of Claims or Interests as maintained by the Debtor, or its respective agents, shall be deemed closed, and there shall be no further changes in the record holders of any of the Claims or Interests. The Debtor and the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) shall have no obligation to recognize any ownership transfer of the Claims or Interests occurring on or after the Distribution Record Date. The Debtor, the Liquidating Trustee, and any party responsible for making distributions shall be entitled to recognize and deal for all purposes hereunder only with those record holders stated on the transfer ledgers as of the close of business on the Distribution Record Date, to the extent applicable.

Except as otherwise provided herein, the Disbursing Agent shall make distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims as of the Distribution Record Date at the address for each such Holder as indicated on the Debtor's records as of the date of any such distribution; <u>provided, however</u>, that the manner of such distributions shall be determined at the discretion of the Liquidating Trustee; provided further, however, that the address for each Holder of an Allowed Claim shall be deemed to be the address set forth in any Proof of Claim Filed by that Holder.

B. Withholdings

The Liquidation Trustee shall (i) withhold, deduct, and pay over to the appropriate governmental authority any amount required to be withheld under tax laws with respect to any distribution pursuant to this Liquidation Trust Agreement and (ii) comply with any reporting requirements imposed by any federal, state, local, or foreign taxing authority. The Liquidation Trustee may withhold all or the appropriate portion of any distribution due to any Beneficiary until such time as such Beneficiary provides the necessary information to comply with any withholding requirements of any governmental authority. Any tax withheld shall be treated as distributed and received by the applicable Beneficiary for all purposes of this Liquidation Trust Agreement and the Plan. If a Beneficiary fails to provide the information necessary to comply with any withholding requirements of any governmental authority on or before the day that is one year after the Effective Date of the Plan, then such Beneficiary's distribution may be treated as unclaimed property in accordance with Section 5.12 of this Liquidation Trust Agreement.

All Trust beneficiaries shall supply to the Trustee appropriate IRS forms WE-8(BEN) or otherwise prior to be entitled to any distribution

C. <u>Date of Distributions</u>

Distributions made after the Effective Date to Holders of Allowed Claims and Allowed Interests shall be deemed to have been made on the Effective Date and no interest shall accrue or be payable with respect to Claims or any distribution related thereto. In the event that any payment or act under this Plan is required to be made or performed on a date that is not a Business Day, then the making of such payment or the performance of such act may be completed on or as soon

as reasonably practicable after the next succeeding Business Day, but shall be deemed to have been completed as of the required date.

D. <u>Disbursing Agent</u>

Except as otherwise provided herein, all distributions under the Plan shall be made by the Disbursing Agent on or after the Effective Date. The Disbursing Agent shall not be required to give any bond or surety or other security for the performance of its duties. Additionally, if the Disbursing Agent is so otherwise ordered, all costs and expenses of procuring any such bond or surety shall be borne by the Liquidating Trust.

E. Powers of Disbursing Agent

The Disbursing Agent may (i) effect all actions and execute all agreements, instruments, and other documents necessary to carry out the provisions of this Plan, (ii) make all distributions contemplated hereby, and (iii) perform such other duties as may be required of the Disbursing Agent pursuant to this Plan.

F. Surrender of Instruments

As a condition precedent to receiving any distribution under this Plan, each holder of a certificated instrument or note must surrender such instrument or note held by it to the Disbursing Agent or its designee. Any holder of such instrument or note that fails to (i) surrender the instrument or note or (ii) execute and deliver an affidavit of loss or indemnity reasonably satisfactory to the Disbursing Agent and furnish a bond in form, substance, and amount reasonably satisfactory to the Disbursing Agent within six months of being entitled to such distribution shall be deemed to have forfeited all rights and claims and may not participate in any distribution hereunder.

G. IRS Forms

In connection with the Plan, to the extent applicable and not an obligation of Purchaser under the Sale Documents, the Debtor and the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) shall comply with all tax withholding and reporting requirements imposed on them/it by any Governmental Unit, and all distributions made pursuant to the Plan shall be subject to such withholding and reporting requirements. Notwithstanding any provision in the Plan to the contrary, the Debtor and the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) shall be authorized to take all actions necessary to comply with such withholding and reporting requirements, including liquidating a portion of the distribution to be made under the Plan to generate sufficient funds to pay applicable withholding taxes, withholding distributions pending receipt of information necessary to facilitate such distributions, or establishing any other mechanisms they believe are reasonable and appropriate. The Debtor and the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) reserve the right to allocate all distributions made under the Plan in compliance with all applicable wage garnishments, alimony, child support, and other spousal awards, Liens, and encumbrances.

As a condition precedent to receiving any distribution under this Plan, each Holder of an Allowed Claim that is entitled to a distribution under the Plan must provide the Liquidating Trustee

an executed IRS Form. An Allowed Claim of a Holder that fails to provide an executed IRS Form within sixty (60) days after service (by first class mail) of a formal request for the same by the Liquidating Trustee shall be deemed disallowed and expunged for purposes of distributions under the Plan.

H. Delivery of Distributions

Subject to applicable Bankruptcy Rules, all distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims or Allowed Interests shall be made to the Disbursing Agent, who shall transmit such distributions to the applicable Holders of Allowed Claims or their designees.

If any distribution to a Holder of an Allowed Claim or Allowed Interests (i) is returned as undeliverable for lack of a current address or otherwise, or (ii) is not cashed or otherwise presented for collection by the Holder of the Allowed Claim within ninety (90) calendar days after the mailing of such distribution, the Liquidating Trustee shall file with the Bankruptcy Court the name and last known address of the Holder of undeliverable distribution or uncashed distribution, as applicable. If, after the passage of thirty (30) calendar days after such Filing, the payment or distribution on the Allowed Claim still cannot be made, then (i) the Holder of such Claim shall cease to be entitled to the undeliverable distribution or uncashed distribution, which will revert to the Liquidating Trust, and (ii) the Allowed Claim of such Holder shall be deemed disallowed and expunged for purposes of further distributions under the Plan.

I. Manner of Payment

Any distributions to be made by or on behalf of the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) pursuant to this Plan shall be made by checks drawn on accounts maintained by the Liquidating Trustee or by wire transfer if circumstances justify, at the option of the Liquidating Trustee.

J. Foreign Currency Exchange Rate

As of the Effective Date, any Claim asserted in currency other than U.S. dollars shall be automatically deemed converted to the equivalent U.S. dollar value using the exchange rate for the applicable currency as published in *The Wall Street Journal*, on the Petition Date.

K. Setoffs and Recoupments

The Debtor and the Liquidating Trustee, pursuant to the Bankruptcy Code (including section 553 of the Bankruptcy Code), applicable bankruptcy and/or nonbankruptcy law, without the approval of the Bankruptcy Court and upon no less than fourteen (14) calendar days' notice to the applicable Holder of a Claim, or as may be agreed to by the Holder of a Claim, may, but shall not be required to, set off against or recoup against any Allowed Claim and the distributions to be made pursuant to this Plan on account of such Allowed Claim (before any distribution is to be made on account of such Allowed Claim), any claims of any nature whatsoever that the Debtor or its Estate may have against the Holder of such Allowed Claim; provided, however, that neither the failure to effect such a setoff or recoupment nor the allowance of any Claim hereunder shall

constitute a waiver or release by the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee of any such claim the Debtor or its Estate may have against the Holder of such Claim.

L. <u>Minimum Distributions</u>

No payment of Cash in an amount of less than one hundred U.S. dollars (\$100.00) shall be required to be made on account of any Allowed Claim. Such undistributed amount may instead be used in accordance with the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

If the Cash available for the final distribution is less than the cost to distribute such funds, the Liquidating Trustee may donate such funds to the unaffiliated charity of its choice.

M. Allocation of Distributions Between Principal and Interest

To the extent that any Allowed Claim entitled to a distribution under this Plan includes both principal and accrued but unpaid prepetition interest, such distribution shall be allocated to the principal amount (as determined for federal income tax purposes) of the Claim first, and then to accrued but unpaid prepetition interest.

N. <u>Distributions Free and Clear</u>

Except as otherwise provided in this Plan, any distribution or transfer made under this Plan, including distributions to any Holder of an Allowed Claim, shall be free and clear of any Liens, Claims, encumbrances, charges, and other interests, and no other entity shall have any interest, whether legal, beneficial, or otherwise, in property distributed or transferred pursuant to this Plan.

O. Claims Paid or Payable by Third Parties

1. Claims Paid by Third Parties

If a Holder of a Claim receives a payment or other satisfaction of its Claim other than through the Debtor and/or the Liquidating Trustee on account of such Claim, such Claim shall be reduced by the amount of such payment or satisfaction without a Claim objection having to be Filed and without any further notice to or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court, and if the Claim was paid or satisfied in full other than through the Debtor and/or the Liquidating Trustee, then such Claim shall be disallowed and any recovery in excess of a single recovery in full shall be paid over to the Liquidating Trustee without a Claim objection having to be Filed and without any further notice to or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court. To the extent a Holder of a Claim receives a distribution on account of such Claim and receives payment or satisfaction from a party that is not the Debtor and/or the Liquidating Trustee on account of such Claim, such Holder shall, within fourteen (14) days of receipt thereof, repay or return the distribution to the Debtor or Liquidating Trustee (as applicable), to the extent the Holder's total recovery on account of such Claim from the third party and under the Plan exceeds the amount of such Claim as of the date of any such distribution under the Plan.

2. <u>Claims Payable by Third Parties</u>

No distributions under the Plan shall be made on account of an Allowed Claim that is payable pursuant to one of the Debtor's Insurance Policies until the Holder of such Allowed Claim has exhausted all remedies with respect to such Insurance Policy. To the extent that one or more of the Debtor's insurers agrees to satisfy in full or in part a Claim (if and to the extent adjudicated by a court of competent jurisdiction), then immediately upon such insurers' agreement, the applicable portion of such Claim may be expunged without a Claim objection having to be Filed and without any further notice to or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court.

3. Applicability of Insurance Policies

Except as otherwise provided in the Plan, distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims shall be in accordance with the provisions of any applicable insurance policy. Nothing contained in the Plan shall constitute or be deemed a waiver of any Cause of Action that the Debtor or any Entity may hold against any other Entity, including insurers under any policies of insurance, nor shall anything contained herein constitute or be deemed a waiver by such insurers of any defenses, including coverage defenses, held by such insurers.

ARTICLE VII. PROCEDURES FOR RESOLVING UNLIQUIDATED AND DISPUTED CLAIMS

A. Allowance of Claims

After the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall have and retain any and all rights and defenses that the Debtor had with respect to any Claim or Interest immediately prior to the Effective Date.

B. Claims Administration Responsibilities

Except as otherwise specifically provided in the Plan, after the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall have the sole authority to: (1) File, withdraw, or litigate to judgment, objections to Claims or Interests; (2) settle or compromise any Disputed Claim without any further notice to or action, order, or approval by the Bankruptcy Court; and (3) administer and adjust the Claims Register to reflect any such settlements or compromises without any further notice to or action, order, or approval by the Bankruptcy Court.

C. Estimation of Claims

Before or after the Effective Date, the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) may (but are not required to) at any time request that the Bankruptcy Court estimate any Disputed Claim that is contingent or unliquidated pursuant to section 502(c) of the Bankruptcy Code for any reason, regardless of whether any party previously has objected to such Claim or whether the Bankruptcy Court has ruled on any such objection, and the Bankruptcy Court shall retain jurisdiction to estimate any such Claim, including during the litigation of any objection to any Claim or during the appeal relating to such objection.

Notwithstanding any provision otherwise in the Plan, a Claim that has been expunged or disallowed from the Claims Register, but that either is subject to appeal or has not been the subject of a Final Order, shall be deemed to be estimated at zero dollars (\$0.00) unless otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court. In the event that the Bankruptcy Court estimates any contingent or unliquidated Claim, that estimated amount shall constitute a maximum limitation on such Claim for all purposes under the Plan (including for purposes of distributions), and the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) may elect to pursue any supplemental proceedings to object to any ultimate distribution on such Claim.

D. Adjustment to Claims Without Objection

Any Claim that has been paid, satisfied, or assumed by Purchaser in the Sale, or any Claim that has been amended or superseded, may be adjusted or expunged on the Claims Register by the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) without an objection to such Claim having to be Filed and without any further notice to or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court.

E. <u>Time to File Objections to Claims</u>

Except as otherwise provided herein, any objections to Claims shall be Filed on or before the Claims Objection Bar Date (as such date may be extended upon presentment of an order to the Bankruptcy Court by the Liquidating Trustee).

F. <u>Disallowance of Claims</u>

Except as provided herein or otherwise agreed to by the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable), any Holder of any and all Proofs of Claim Filed after the Bar Date shall not receive any distributions on account of such Claims, unless on or before the Confirmation Hearing such late Claim has been deemed timely Filed by a Final Order.

G. <u>Disputed Claims</u>

All Claims held by Persons or Entities against whom or which the Debtor has commenced a proceeding asserting a Cause of Action under sections 542, 543, 544, 545, 547, 548, 549, or 550 of the Bankruptcy Code or that is a transferee of a transfer avoidable under section 522(f), 522(h), 544, 545, 548, 549 or 724(a) of the Bankruptcy Code shall be deemed Disputed Claims pursuant to section 502(d) of the Bankruptcy Code and Holders of such Claims shall not be entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan. A Claim deemed Disputed pursuant to this Article VII.G shall continue to be Disputed for all purposes until the relevant proceeding against the Holder of such Claim has been settled or resolved by a Final Order and any sums due to the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee from such Holder have been paid.

H. Amendments to Claims

Except as provided herein, on or after the Effective Date, without the prior authorization of the Bankruptcy Court or the Liquidating Trustee, a Claim may not be Filed or amended and any such new or amended Claim Filed shall be deemed disallowed in full and expunged without any further notice to or action, order or approval of the Bankruptcy Court.

I. No Distributions Pending Allowance

If an objection to a Claim, Proof of Claim, or portion thereof is Filed, no payment or distribution provided under the Plan shall be made on account of such Claim, Proof of Claim, or portion thereof unless and until the Disputed Claim becomes an Allowed Claim.

J. Distributions After Allowance

To the extent that a Disputed Claim ultimately becomes an Allowed Claim, distributions (if any) shall be made to the Holder of such Allowed Claim in accordance with the provisions of the Plan. As soon as practicable after the date that the order or judgment of the Bankruptcy Court allowing any Disputed Claim becomes a Final Order, the Disbursing Agent shall provide to the Holder of such Claim the distribution (if any) to which such Holder is entitled under the Plan as of the Effective Date, without any interest, dividends, or accruals to be paid on account of such Claim. For the avoidance of doubt, no interest shall accrue or be paid on any Claim with respect to the period from the Effective Date to the date a final distribution is made on account of such Claim.

ARTICLE VIII. CONDITIONS PRECEDENT TO THE EFFECTIVE DATE

A. Conditions Precedent

The occurrence of the Effective Date of this Plan is subject to the following conditions precedent:

- 1. The Bankruptcy Court shall have approved the Disclosure Statement as containing adequate information with respect to the Plan within the meaning of section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code.
 - 2. The Confirmation Order shall have been entered and shall be in full force and effect.
- 3. There shall have been no modification or stay of the Confirmation Order or entry of any other order prohibiting the transactions contemplated by this Plan from being consummated.
- 4. The Professional Fee Escrow Account shall have been fully funded pursuant to the terms of this Plan.
- 5. All actions, documents and agreements necessary to implement the Plan shall have been effected, executed and/or tendered for delivery. All conditions precedent to the effectiveness of such documents and agreements shall have been satisfied or waived pursuant to the terms thereof (or will be satisfied and waived substantially concurrently with the occurrence of the Effective Date).
- 6. The Debtor shall have received all authorizations, consents, regulatory approvals, rulings, letters, no-action letters, opinions, or documents necessary to implement this Plan and any Plan Transactions and that are required by law, regulation, or order.

B. Waiver of Conditions

Unless otherwise specifically provided in this Plan, the conditions set forth in Article VIII.A may be waived in whole or in part by the Debtor without notice to any other parties in interest or the Bankruptcy Court and without a hearing.

ARTICLE IX. RELEASE, INJUNCTION, AND RELATED PROVISIONS

A. Reserved

B. Releases by the Debtor

As of the Effective Date, pursuant to section 1123(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, for good and valuable consideration, on and after the Effective Date, each Released Party (other than the Debtor) is deemed released and discharged by the Debtor and the Estate from any and all claims and Causes of Action, whether known or unknown, including any derivative claims, asserted on behalf of the Debtor, that the Debtor or the Estate would have been legally entitled to assert in their own right (whether individually or collectively), based on or relating to, or in any manner arising from, in whole or in part, the Debtor (including the management, ownership, or operation thereof, or otherwise), any securities issued by the Debtor and the ownership thereof, the Debtor's in- or out-of-court restructuring efforts, any Avoidance Actions, intercompany transactions, the Chapter 11 Case, the formulation, preparation, dissemination, negotiation, or Filing of the Disclosure Statement, the Sale, the Sale Documents, the Plan, the Plan Supplement, or any restructuring transaction, contract, instrument, release, or other agreement or document created or entered into in connection with the Sale, the Sale Documents, the Plan, the Plan Supplement, the Chapter 11 Case, the Filing of the Chapter 11 Case, the pursuit of Confirmation, the pursuit of the Sale, the pursuit of consummation, the administration and implementation of the Plan, including the distribution of property under the Plan or any other related agreement, or upon any other related act or omission, transaction, agreement, event, or other occurrence or omission taking place on or before the Effective Date. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the foregoing, the releases set forth above do not release (a) any post-Effective Date obligations of any party or entity under the Plan or any document, instrument, or agreement (including those set forth in the Plan Supplement) executed to implement the Plan or (b) any obligations under or in respect of the Sale Documents.

Each Person and Entity deemed to grant the Debtor Releases shall be deemed to have granted such releases notwithstanding that such Person or Entity may hereafter discover facts in addition to, or different from, those which such Person or Entity now knows or believes to be true, and without regard to the subsequent discovery or existence of such different or additional facts, and such Person or Entity expressly waives any and all rights that such Person or Entity may have under any statute or common law principle, including, without limitation, section 1542 of the California Civil Code, to the extent such section is applicable, which would limit the effect of such releases to those claims or causes of action actually known or suspected to exist on the Effective Date. Section 1542 of the California Civil Code generally provides as follows: "A GENERAL RELEASE DOES NOT EXTEND TO CLAIMS THAT THE CREDITOR OR RELEASING PARTY DOES NOT KNOW OR SUSPECT TO EXIST IN HIS OR HER FAVOR AT THE TIME OF EXECUTING THE RELEASE AND THAT, IF KNOWN BY HIM OR HER, WOULD HAVE MATERIALLY AFFECTED HIS OR HER SETTLEMENT WITH THE DEBTOR OR RELEASED PARTY."

C. Releases by Holders of Claims

As of the Effective Date, each Releasing Party is deemed to have released and discharged each Released Party from any and all claims, Claims and Causes of Action, whether known or unknown, including any derivative claims, asserted on behalf of the Debtor (or its Estate), that such Entity would have been legally entitled to assert (whether individually or collectively), based on or relating to, or in any manner arising from, in whole or in part, the Debtor (including the management, ownership or operation thereof, or otherwise), any securities issued by the Debtor and the ownership thereof, the Debtor's inor out-of-court restructuring efforts, the Chapter 11 Case, the formulation, preparation, dissemination, negotiation, or Filing of the Disclosure Statement, the Sale, the Sale Documents, the Plan, the Plan Supplement, or any restructuring transaction, contract, instrument, release, or other agreement or document created or entered into in connection with the Sale, the Sale Documents, the Plan, the Plan Supplement, the Chapter 11 Case, the Filing of the Chapter 11 Case, the pursuit of Confirmation, the pursuit of the Sale, the pursuit of consummation, the administration and implementation of the Plan, including distribution of property under the Plan or any other related agreement, or upon any other related act or omission, transaction, agreement, event, or other occurrence or omission taking place on or before the Effective Date. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the foregoing, the releases set forth above do not release (a) any post Effective Date obligations of any party or entity under the Plan or any document, instrument, or agreement (including those set forth in the Plan Supplement) executed to implement the Plan, or (c) any obligations under or in respect of the Sale Documents.

Each Person and Entity deemed to grant the releases described in this Article IX.C shall be deemed to have granted such releases notwithstanding that such Person or Entity may hereafter discover facts in addition to, or different from, those which such Person or Entity now knows or believes to be true, and without regard to the subsequent discovery or existence of such different or additional facts, and such Person or Entity expressly waives any and all rights that such Person or Entity may have under any statute or common law principle, including, without limitation, section 1542 of the California Civil Code, to the extent such section is applicable, which would limit the effect of such releases to those claims or causes of action actually known or suspected to exist on the Effective Date. Section 1542 of the California Civil Code generally provides as follows: "A GENERAL RELEASE DOES NOT EXTEND TO CLAIMS THAT THE CREDITOR OR RELEASING PARTY DOES NOT KNOW OR SUSPECT TO EXIST IN HIS OR HER FAVOR AT THE TIME OF EXECUTING THE RELEASE AND THAT, IF KNOWN BY HIM OR HER, WOULD HAVE MATERIALLY AFFECTED HIS OR HER SETTLEMENT WITH THE DEBTOR OR RELEASED PARTY."

Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing in this Article IX.C shall release any claims that BMR-34790 Ardentech Court LP ("BMR") may have under any guaranty of that certain Lease dated May 1, 2007 by and between BMR and The Macroflux Corporation, as amended.

D. <u>Exculpation</u>

Except as otherwise specifically provided in the Plan, no Exculpated Party shall have or incur liability for, and each Exculpated Party is exculpated from any Cause of Action for any claim or Claim related to any act or omission in connection with, relating to, or arising out of, the Chapter 11 Case, the formulation, preparation, dissemination, negotiation, or Filing of the Debtor's in-court restructuring efforts, the Sale, the Sale Documents, the Plan, the Plan Supplement, or any restructuring transaction, contract, instrument, release, or other agreement or document created or entered into in connection with the Sale, the Sale Documents, the Plan, the Plan Supplement, the Chapter 11 Case, the Filing of the Chapter 11 Case, the pursuit of Confirmation, the pursuit of the Sale, the pursuit of consummation, the administration and implementation of the Plan, including the distribution of property under the Plan or any other related agreement, or upon any other related act or omission, transaction, agreement, event, or other occurrence or omission taking place between the Petition Date and the Effective Date, except for claims related to any act or omission that is determined in a Final Order by a court of competent jurisdiction to have constituted actual intentional fraud, willful misconduct, or gross negligence of such Person, but in all respects such Entities shall be entitled to reasonably rely upon the written advice of counsel with respect to their duties and responsibilities pursuant to the Plan. For the avoidance of doubt, as set forth in Article IV.J of the Plan, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Plan, nothing in the Plan shall affect, impair or supersede the Sale Order or Sale Documents, each of which remains in full force and effect and governs in the event of inconsistency with the Plan.

E. Injunction

Except as otherwise provided in the Plan or the Confirmation Order, all Entities who have held, hold, or may hold Claims, Interests, Causes of Action, or liabilities that: (a) are subject to compromise and settlement pursuant to the terms of the Plan; (b) have been released pursuant to Article IX.B of this Plan; (c) have been released pursuant to Article IX.C of this Plan, (d) were purchased and released by Purchaser in connection with the Sale, (e) are subject to exculpation pursuant to Article IX.D of this Plan, or (f) are otherwise discharged, satisfied, stayed, released, or terminated pursuant to the terms of the Plan, are permanently enjoined and precluded, from and after the Effective Date, from commencing or continuing in any manner, any action or other proceeding, including on account of any Claims, claims, Interests, Causes of Action, or liabilities that have been compromised or settled against the Debtor or any Entity so released or exculpated (or the property or estate of any Entity, directly or indirectly, so released or exculpated) on account of, or in connection with or with respect to, any discharged, released, settled, compromised, or exculpated Claims, claims, Interests, Causes of Action, or liabilities, including being permanently enjoined and precluded, from and after the Effective Date, from taking any of the following actions against, as applicable, the Debtor, the Liquidating Trustee, or the Liquidating Trust Assets, the Released Parties, or Exculpated Parties (as applicable): (i) commencing or continuing in any manner any action or other proceeding of any kind on account of or in connection with or with respect to any such claims, Claims or Interests; (ii) enforcing, attaching, collecting, or recovering by any manner or means any judgment, award, decree, or order against such Entities on account of or in connection with or with respect to any such claims, Claims or Interests; (iii) creating, perfecting, or enforcing any Lien or encumbrance of any kind against such Entities or the property or the estate of such Entities on account of or in connection with or with respect to any such claims, Claims or Interests; (iv) asserting any right of setoff or subrogation of any kind against any obligation due from such Entities or against the property of such Entities on account of or in connection with or with respect to any such claims, Claims or Interests unless such Entity has timely asserted such setoff right in a document Filed with the Bankruptcy Court explicitly preserving such setoff, and notwithstanding an indication of a Claim or Interest or otherwise that such Entity asserts, has, or intends to preserve any right of setoff pursuant to applicable law or otherwise; and (v) commencing or continuing in any manner any action or other proceeding of any kind on account of or in connection with or with respect to any such claims, Claims or Interests released or settled pursuant to the Plan.

Upon the Bankruptcy Court's entry of the Confirmation Order, all Holders of Claims and Interests and other parties in interest, along with their respective present or former employees, agents, officers, directors, or principals, shall be enjoined from taking any actions to interfere with the implementation or consummation of this Plan by the Debtor, the Liquidating Trustee, and their respective affiliates, employees, advisors, officers and directors, or agents.

F. No Discharge

Because the Debtor is liquidating, it is not entitled to a discharge of obligations pursuant to section 1141 of the Bankruptcy Code with regard to any Holders of Claims or Interest.

G. Release of Liens

Except as otherwise provided herein or in any contract, instrument, release, or other agreement or document created pursuant to the Plan, on the Effective Date and concurrently with the applicable distributions made pursuant to the Plan, all mortgages, deeds of trust, Liens, pledges, or other security interests against any property of the Estate shall be fully released and discharged, and all of the right, title, and interest of any Holder of such mortgages, deeds of trust, Liens, pledges, or other security interests shall revert to the Debtor and its successors and assigns.

Any Holder of a Secured Claim or any agent for such Holder has filed or recorded publicly any Liens and/or security interests to secure such Holder's Secured Claim, as soon as practicable on or after the Effective Date, such Holder (or the agent for such Holder) shall take any and all steps requested by the Liquidating Trustee that are necessary or desirable to record or effectuate the cancellation and/or extinguishment of such Liens and/or security interests, including the making of any applicable filings or recordings, and the Liquidating Trustee shall be entitled to make any such filings or recordings on such Holder's behalf.

ARTICLE X. RETENTION OF JURISDICTION

Notwithstanding the entry of the Confirmation Order and the occurrence of the Effective Date, the Bankruptcy Court shall retain jurisdiction over all matters arising out of, or related to, the Chapter 11 Case, the Sale, the Sale Documents, the Confirmation Order, and the Plan pursuant to sections 105(a) and 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code, including jurisdiction to:

- 1. Allow, disallow, determine, liquidate, classify, estimate, or establish the priority, secured or unsecured status, or amount of any Claim or Interest, including the resolution of any request for payment of any Administrative Claim and the resolution of any and all objections to the secured or unsecured status, priority, amount, or allowance of Claims or Interests.
- 2. Resolve any cases, controversies, suits, or disputes that may arise in connection with Claims, including Claim objections, allowance, disallowance, subordination, estimation and distribution.
- 3. Decide and resolve all matters related to the granting and denying, in whole or in part of, any applications for allowance of compensation or reimbursement of expenses to Retained Professionals authorized pursuant to the Bankruptcy Code or the Plan.
- 4. Resolve any matters related to: (a) the assumption or assumption and assignment of any Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease to which the Debtor is party or with respect to which the Debtor may be liable and to hear, determine, and, if necessary, liquidate, any Cure arising therefrom, including the Cure amount pursuant to section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code; and/or (b) any dispute regarding whether a contract or lease is or was executory or expired.
- 5. Adjudicate, decide or resolve any motions, adversary proceedings, contested, or litigated matters, and any other matters, and grant or deny any applications involving the Debtor that may be pending on the Effective Date.
- 6. Adjudicate, decide, or resolve any and all matters related to section 1141 of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 7. Enter and implement such orders as may be necessary or appropriate to execute, implement, or consummate the provisions of the Plan and all contracts, instruments, releases, and other agreements or documents created in connection with the Plan or the Disclosure Statement.
- 8. Resolve any cases, controversies, suits, disputes, or Causes of Action that may arise in connection with the interpretation or enforcement of the Plan or any Entity's obligations incurred in connection with the Plan.
- 9. Issue injunctions, enter and implement other orders or take such other actions as may be necessary or appropriate to restrain interference by any Entity with enforcement of the Plan.

- 10. Resolve any cases, controversies, suits, disputes, or Causes of Action with respect to the releases, injunctions, and other provisions contained in the Plan and enter such orders as may be necessary or appropriate to implement such releases, injunctions, and other provisions.
- 11. Enter and implement such orders as are necessary or appropriate if the Confirmation Order is for any reason modified, stayed, reversed, revoked, or vacated.
- 12. Determine any other matters that may arise in connection with or related to the Sale Documents, the Disclosure Statement, the Plan, and the Confirmation Order.
- 13. Ensure that distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims are accomplished pursuant to the provisions of the Plan.
- 14. Resolve any cases, controversies, suits, disputes, or Causes of Action with respect to the repayment or return of distributions and the recovery of additional amounts owed by any Holder for amounts not timely repaid.
- 15. Adjudicate any and all disputes arising from or relating to distributions under the Plan.
- 16. Consider any modifications of the Plan, to cure any defect or omission, or to reconcile any inconsistency in any Bankruptcy Court order, including the Confirmation Order.
- 17. Hear and determine disputes arising in connection with the interpretation, implementation, or enforcement of the Plan or the Confirmation Order.
- 18. Hear and determine matters concerning state, local, and federal taxes in accordance with sections 346, 505, and 1146 of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 19. To recover all assets of the Debtor and property of the Debtor's Estate, wherever located.
- 20. To consider requests for extensions of the term of the Liquidating Trust as provided herein.
- 21. To hear and determine any Causes of Action that may be brought by the Liquidating Trustee.
- 22. To hear and determine any other rights, claims, or Causes of Action held by or accruing to the Debtor or the Liquidating Trust pursuant to the Bankruptcy Code or any applicable state or federal statute or legal theory.
 - 23. Enter an order or final decree concluding or closing the Chapter 11 Case.
 - 24. Enforce all orders previously entered by the Bankruptcy Court.
 - 25. Hear any other matter over which the Court has jurisdiction.

ARTICLE XI. MODIFICATION, REVOCATION, OR WITHDRAWAL OF PLAN

A. <u>Modification of Plan</u>

Subject to the limitations contained in the Plan, the Debtor reserves the right, in accordance with the Bankruptcy Code and the Bankruptcy Rules (1) to amend or modify the Plan prior to the entry of the Confirmation Order, including amendments or modifications to satisfy section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code, and (2) after the entry of the Confirmation Order, the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) may, upon order of the Bankruptcy Court, amend or modify the Plan, in accordance with section 1127(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, or remedy any defect or omission or reconcile any inconsistency in the Plan in such manner as may be necessary to carry out the purpose and intent of the Plan.

B. Other Amendments

The Debtor may make appropriate non-material, technical adjustments and modifications to this Plan or the Plan Supplement prior to the Effective Date without further order or approval of the Bankruptcy Court.

C. <u>Effect of Confirmation on Modifications</u>

Entry of the Confirmation Order shall mean that all modifications or amendments to the Plan since the solicitation thereof are approved pursuant to section 1127(a) of the Bankruptcy Code and do not require additional disclosure or re-solicitation under Bankruptcy Rule 3019.

D. Revocation of Plan; Effect of Non-Occurrence of Conditions to the Effective Date

Subject to the conditions to the Effective Date, the Debtor, reserves the right to revoke or withdraw the Plan prior to the entry of the Confirmation Order and to File subsequent plans of reorganization or liquidation. If the Debtor revokes or withdraws the Plan, or if entry of the Confirmation Order or the Effective Date does not occur, then (1) the Plan shall be null and void in all respects, (2) any settlement or compromise embodied in the Plan, assumption or rejection of Executory Contracts or Unexpired Leases effected by the Plan, and any document or agreement executed pursuant hereto shall be deemed null and void, and (3) nothing contained in the Plan, the Confirmation Order, or the Disclosure Statement shall (a) constitute a waiver or release of any Claims, Interests, or Causes of Action, (b) prejudice in any manner the rights of the Debtor or any other Entity, or (c) constitute an admission, acknowledgement, offer, or undertaking of any sort by the Debtor or any other Entity.

ARTICLE XII. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

A. <u>Debtor's Operation From Confirmation Date Through Effective Date</u>

During the period from the Confirmation Date through and until the Effective Date, the Debtor shall continue to operate as a debtor in possession, subject to the oversight of the Bankruptcy Court as provided in the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and all orders of the Bankruptcy Court that are then in full force and effect.

B. <u>Immediate Binding Effect</u>

Notwithstanding Bankruptcy Rules 3020(e), 6004(g), or 7062 or otherwise, upon the occurrence of the Effective Date, the terms of the Plan and the documents and instruments contained in the Plan Supplement shall be immediately effective and enforceable and deemed binding upon the Debtor, the Liquidating Trustee, all Holders of Claims against and Interests in the Debtor (regardless of whether any such Holder has voted or failed to vote to accept or reject this Plan and regardless of whether any such Holder is entitled to receive any distribution under this Plan), all Entities that are parties to or are subject to the settlements, compromises, releases, and injunctions described in the Plan, each Entity acquiring property under the Plan, any and all non-Debtor parties to Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases, and all parties in interest.

C. Additional Documents

On or before the Effective Date, the Debtor may File with the Bankruptcy Court such agreements and other documents as may be necessary or appropriate to effectuate and further evidence the terms and conditions of the Plan. The Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee (as applicable) and all Holders of Claims or Interests receiving distributions pursuant to the Plan and all other parties in interest shall, from time to time, prepare, execute, and deliver any agreements or documents and take any other actions as may reasonably be necessary or advisable to effectuate the provisions and intent of the Plan or the Confirmation Order.

D. Substantial Consummation

On the Effective Date, this Plan shall be deemed to be substantially consummated (within the meaning set forth in section 1101 of the Bankruptcy Code) pursuant to section 1127(b) of the Bankruptcy Code.

E. Reservation of Rights

The Plan shall have no force or effect unless and until the Bankruptcy Court enters the Confirmation Order. None of the Filing of the Plan, any statement or provision contained in the Plan, or the taking of any action by the Debtor with respect to the Plan, the Disclosure Statement, or the Plan Supplement shall be or shall be deemed to be an admission or waiver of any rights of the Debtor with respect to the Holders of Claims or Interests prior to the Effective Date.

F. Successors and Assigns

The rights, benefits, and obligations of any Entity named or referred to in the Plan shall be binding on, and shall inure to the benefit of any heir, executor, administrator, successor or assign, beneficiaries or guardian, if any, of each Entity.

G. Determination of Tax Liabilities

As of the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee will be responsible for preparing and filing any tax forms or returns on behalf of the Debtor's Estate and Liquidating Trust (to the extent not the responsibility of Purchaser); provided, however, that the Liquidating Trustee shall not be responsible for preparing or filing any tax forms for Holders of Interests in the Debtor (which Interests shall be cancelled pursuant to this Plan), but shall provide such Holders with any information reasonably required to prepare such forms. The Debtor and the Liquidating Trustee shall have the right to request an expedited determination of any tax liability pursuant to section 505 of the Bankruptcy Code, including on any unpaid liability of the Debtor's Estate and the Liquidating Trust for any tax incurred during the administration of the Chapter 11 Case.

H. Notices

In order for all notices, requests, and demands to or upon the Debtor and the Liquidating Trustee, as the case may be, to be effective such notices, requests and demands shall be in writing (including by electronic mail) and, unless otherwise expressly provided herein, shall be deemed to have been duly given or made when actually delivered or, in the case of notice by email, when received and telephonically confirmed, and served on or delivered to following parties:

Debtor	Counsel to the Debtor
Steven Lo	John D. Elrod
34790 Ardentech Court	Greenberg Traurig, LLP
Fremont, CA 94555	3333 Piedmont Road, NE
slo@zosanopharma.com	Suite 2500
	Atlanta, GA 30305
	elrodj@gtlaw.com
Liquidating Trustee	Counsel to Liquidating Trustee
To be included in Plan Supplement	To be included in Plan Supplement and/or Filed with the Bankruptcy Court

After the Effective Date, Entities that wish to continue to receive documents pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002 must File a renewed request to receive documents pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002. After the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee is authorized to limit the list of Entities receiving documents pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002 to those Entities that Filed such renewed requests.

I. Term of Injunctions or Stays

Except as otherwise provided in this Plan, to the maximum extent permitted by applicable law and subject to the Bankruptcy Court's post-confirmation jurisdiction to modify the injunctions and stays under this Plan, (a) all injunctions with respect to or stays against an action against property of the Debtor or the Debtor's Estate arising under or entered during the Chapter 11 Case under sections 105 or 362 of the Bankruptcy Code, and in existence on the Confirmation Date, shall remain in full force and effect until such property is no longer property of the Debtor or the Debtor's Estate, and (b) all other injunctions and stays arising under or entered during the Chapter 11 Case under sections 105 or 362 of the Bankruptcy Code shall remain in full force and effect until the earliest of (i) the date that the Chapter 11 Case are closed pursuant to a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court or (ii) the date that the Chapter 11 Case are dismissed pursuant to a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court. All injunctions or stays contained in the Plan or the Confirmation Order shall remain in full force and effect indefinitely.

J. Entire Agreement

On the Effective Date, the Plan and the Plan Supplement supersede all previous and contemporaneous negotiations, promises, covenants, agreements, understandings, and representations on such subjects, all of which have become merged and integrated into the Plan.

K. Plan Supplement Exhibits

All exhibits and documents included in the Plan Supplement are incorporated into and are a part of the Plan as if set forth in full in the Plan. Copies of such exhibits and documents shall be made available upon written request to Debtor's counsel or Liquidating Trustee's counsel (as applicable) at the address above or by downloading such exhibits and documents free of charge from the Claims Agent's website.

Unless otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court, to the extent any exhibit or document in the Plan Supplement is inconsistent with the terms of any part of the Plan that does not constitute the Plan Supplement, such part of the Plan that does not constitute the Plan Supplement shall control. The documents in the Plan Supplement are considered an integral part of the Plan and shall be deemed approved by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to the Confirmation Order.

L. Governing Law

Unless a rule of law or procedure is supplied by federal law (including the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rules) or unless otherwise specifically stated, the laws of the State of Delaware, without giving effect to the principles of conflict of laws, shall govern the rights, obligations, construction, and implementation of the Plan, any agreements, documents, instruments, or contracts executed or entered into in connection with the Plan (except as otherwise set forth in those agreements, in which case the governing law of such agreement shall control), and corporate governance matters.

M. Nonseverability of Plan Provisions Upon Confirmation

If any term or provision of the Plan is held by the Bankruptcy Court to be invalid, void, or unenforceable, the Bankruptcy Court shall have the power to alter and interpret such term or provision to make it valid or enforceable to the maximum extent practicable, consistent with the original purpose of the term or provision held to be invalid, void, or unenforceable, and such term or provision shall then be applicable as altered or interpreted. Notwithstanding any such holding, alteration, or interpretation, the remainder of the terms and provisions of the Plan will remain in full force and effect and will in no way be affected, impaired, or invalidated by such holding, alteration, or interpretation.

The Confirmation Order shall constitute a judicial determination and shall provide that each term and provision of the Plan, as it may have been altered or interpreted in accordance with the foregoing, is the following: (a) valid and enforceable pursuant to its terms; (b) integral to the Plan and may not be deleted or modified without the consent of the Debtor or Liquidating Trustee (as applicable); and (c) nonseverable and mutually dependent.

N. Closing of Chapter 11 Case

After the full administration of the Chapter 11 Case, the Liquidating Trustee shall promptly File with the Bankruptcy Court all documents required by Bankruptcy Rule 3022, a motion pursuant to Local Rule 3022-1(a), and any applicable order of the Bankruptcy Court to close the Chapter 11 Case.

Respectfully submitted, as of the date first set forth above,

ZOSANO PHARMA CORPORATION

By: /s/ Steven Lo

Name: Steven Lo

Title: Chief Executive Officer

EXHIBIT B

Notice of Confirmation and Effective Date

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re:	Chapter 11
Zosano Pharma Corporation, ¹	Case No. 22-10506 (JKS)
Debtor.	

NOTICE OF (I) CONFIRMATION AND EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AMENDED CHAPTER 11 PLAN OF LIQUIDATION OF ZOSANO PHARMA CORPORATION AND (II) DEADLINE UNDER THE PLAN AND CONFIRMATION ORDER TO FILE PROFESSIONAL FEE CLAIMS, ADMINISTRATIVE CLAIMS AND REJECTION CLAIMS

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE OF THE FOLLOWING:

- 1. <u>Entry of Confirmation Order</u>. On November ___, 2022, the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware (the "*Bankruptcy Court*") entered an order [Docket No. ___] (the "*Confirmation Order*") confirming the *Amended Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation of Zosano Pharma Corporation*, attached as Exhibit A to the Confirmation Order (together with all exhibits thereto, and as may be amended, modified or supplemented, the "*Plan*")² in the chapter 11 case of the above-captioned debtor and debtor in possession (collectively, the "*Debtor*").
 - 2. **Effective Date of the Plan**. The Effective Date of the Plan was December , 2022.
- Order, all final requests for payment of Professional Fee Claims pursuant to sections 327, 328, 330, 331, 503(b), or 1103 of the Bankruptcy Code must be made by application Filed with the Bankruptcy Court and served on counsel to the Liquidating Trustee and counsel to the U.S. Trustee no later than January _____, 2023 (i.e., forty-five (45) days after the Effective Date), unless otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court. Objections to such applications must be Filed and served on counsel to the Liquidating Trustee and counsel to the U.S. Trustee and the requesting Professional on or before the date that is fourteen (14) days after the date on which the applicable application was served (or such longer period as may be allowed by Order of the Bankruptcy Court or by agreement with the requesting Professional).
- 4. Administrative Claim Bar Date. As provided for in the Plan and Confirmation Order, all requests for payment of an Administrative Claim (other than a Section 503(b)(9) Claim) arising on or after June 1, 2022 must be Filed with the Bankruptcy Court and served on counsel to the Liquidating

¹ The business address and the last four (4) digits of the Debtor's federal tax identification number is Zosano Pharma Corporation, 34790 Ardentech Court, Fremont, California 94555 (8360).

² Unless otherwise defined in this notice, capitalized terms used in this notice shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Plan.

Trustee and counsel to the U.S. Trustee no later than December _____, 2022 (i.e., thirty (30) days after the Effective Date).

5. Deadline to File Rejection Claims. As provided for in the Plan and Confirmation Order: (i) on the Effective Date, all executory contracts and unexpired leases of the Debtor that have not been assumed, assumed and assigned, or rejected, prior to the Effective Date or are not subject to a motion to assume or reject Filed before the Effective Date, shall be deemed rejected pursuant to the Confirmation Order, as of the Effective Date, other than the Insurance Contracts; (ii) any Creditor asserting a Rejection Claim shall File a proof of claim with the Debtor's claims and noticing agent, Kurtzman Carson Consultants LLC, at the address below, no later than December _____, 2022 (i.e., thirty (30) days after the Effective Date) and shall also serve such proof of claim upon the Liquidating Trustee; and (iii) any Rejection Claims that are not timely Filed shall be forever disallowed and barred.

Zosano Pharma Claims Processing Center c/o KCC 222 N. Pacific Coast Highway, Suite 300 El Segundo, CA 90245

6. <u>Inquiries by Interested Parties</u>. Copies of the Confirmation Order (to which the Plan is attached as Exhibit A) may be examined free of charge at http://www.kccllc.net/zosanopharma</u>. The Confirmation Order is also on file with the Bankruptcy Court and may be viewed by accessing the Bankruptcy Court's website at www.deb.uscourts.gov. To access documents on the Bankruptcy Court's website, you will need a PACER password and login, which can be obtained at www.pacer.psc.uscourts.gov.

Dated: November 22, 2022 GREENBERG TRAURIG, LLP

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EXHIBIT B

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

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Debtor.	Ref. Docket No. 280

FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW, AND ORDER CONFIRMING THE <u>SECOND</u> AMENDED CHAPTER 11 PLAN OF LIQUIDATION OF ZOSANO PHARMA CORPORATION

Upon consideration of the Second Amended Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation of Zosano Pharma Corporation [Docket No. 280] (as may be amended, modified or supplemented, the "Plan"), proposed by the above-captioned debtor and debtor in possession (the "Debtor"); and the Bankruptcy Court having approved and the Debtor having filed the First Amended Disclosure Statement for the Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation of Zosano Pharma Corporation [Docket No. 231] (the "Disclosure Statement"); and the Debtor having filed the Plan Supplement on November 3, 2022 [Docket No. 261]; and upon consideration of the affidavits of service [Docket Nos. 232 & 248] (the "Notice Affidavits") filed reflecting compliance with the notice and solicitation requirements of the Order (I) Approving Adequacy of Disclosure Statement, (II) Approving Solicitation and Notice Procedures for Confirmation of the Debtor's Plan of Liquidation, (III) Approving Ballots and Notice Forms in Connection Therewith, (IV) Scheduling Certain Dates with Respect Thereto, and (V) Granting Related Relief (the "Disclosure Statement Order"); and upon the Notice Of Hearing To Consider Confirmation Of The Chapter 11 Plan Filed By The Debtor And Related Voting And Objection Deadlines [Docket No. 238] (the "Confirmation Hearing Notice"); and upon consideration of the Certification of

The business address and the last four (4) digits of the Debtor's federal tax identification number is Zosano Pharma Corporation, 34790 Ardentech Court, Fremont, California 94555 (8360).

Adam Gorman with Respect to the Tabulation of Votes on the Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation of Zosano Pharma Corporation [Docket No. 267], filed with the Bankruptcy Court on November 15, 2022 (the "Voting Declaration"); and upon consideration of the Declaration of Steven Lo in Support of Confirmation of the Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation of Zosano Pharma Corporation [Docket No. 266], filed with the Bankruptcy Court on November 15, 2022 (the "Lo **Declaration**"); and upon consideration of the *Memorandum of Law in Support of Confirmation* of the Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation of Zosano Pharma Corporation [Docket No. 268], filed with the Bankruptcy Court on November 15, 2022 (the "Confirmation Memorandum"); and any formal or informal objections to the Plan having been resolved and/or overruled by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to this Confirmation Order; and a hearing to consider Confirmation having been held on November 18, 2022 (the "Confirmation Hearing"); and upon the evidence adduced and proffered and the arguments of counsel made at the Confirmation Hearing; and the Bankruptcy Court having reviewed all documents in connection with Confirmation and having heard all parties desiring to be heard; and upon the record of the Chapter 11 Case; and after due deliberation and consideration of all of the foregoing; and sufficient cause appearing therefor; the Bankruptcy Court hereby makes the following:

Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law

A. **Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.** The findings and conclusions set forth herein, together with the findings of fact and conclusions of law set forth in the record of the Confirmation Hearing, constitute the Bankruptcy Court's findings of fact and conclusions of law pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 52, made applicable to these proceedings pursuant to Bankruptcy Rules 7052 and 9014. To the extent any of the following findings of fact

constitute conclusions of law, they are adopted as such. To the extent that any of the following conclusions of law constitute findings of fact, they are adopted as such.

- B. Capitalized Terms. Capitalized terms used herein, but not defined herein, shall have the respective meanings attributed to such terms in the Plan and the Disclosure Statement, as applicable.
- C. Jurisdiction and Venue. The Bankruptcy Court has jurisdiction over the Chapter 11 Case 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 as of February 29, 2012. This is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(2), and the Bankruptcy Court may enter a final order consistent with Article III of the United States Constitution, and the Debtor consents to entry of this Confirmation Order under the Local Rules and Article III of the United States Constitution. Venue of these proceedings and the Chapter 11 Case is proper in this district and in this Bankruptcy Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409.

- D. Chapter 11 Petition. On June 1, 2022 (the "Petition Date"), the Debtor commenced a voluntary case under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code (the "Chapter 11 Case") in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware (the "Bankruptcy Court"). The Debtor is authorized to continue to operate its business and manage its property as a debtor in possession pursuant to sections 1107(a) and 1108 of the Bankruptcy Code. No official committee of unsecured creditors has been appointed in the Chapter 11 Case. *See* Docket No. 65. No request has been made for the appointment of a trustee or an examiner.
- E. **Judicial Notice.** The Bankruptcy Court takes judicial notice of the docket in the Chapter 11 Case maintained by the Clerk of the Bankruptcy Court and/or its duly appointed agent, including, without limitation, all pleadings, notices, and other documents filed, all orders entered, and all evidence and arguments made, proffered or adduced at the hearings held before the Bankruptcy Court during the Chapter 11 Case, including, without limitation, the hearing to consider the adequacy of the Disclosure Statement and the Confirmation Hearing.
- F. Plan Supplement. Prior to the Confirmation Hearing, the Debtor filed the Plan Supplement. The Plan Supplement complies with the terms of the Plan, and the filing and notice of the Plan Supplement was appropriate and complied with the requirements of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules and the Local Rules, and no other or further notice is or shall be required. The Debtor is authorized to modify the Plan Supplement documents following entry of this Confirmation Order in a manner consistent with this Confirmation Order and the Plan.

G. Mailing of Solicitation and Confirmation Materials. As is evidenced by the Voting Declaration and the Notice Affidavits, the transmittal and service of the Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the Ballots, the Confirmation Hearing Notice and the notice of non-voting status (the "Notice of Non-Voting Status") were adequate and sufficient under the circumstances, and all parties required to be given notice of the Plan and the Confirmation Hearing (including the deadline for filing and serving objections to Confirmation of the Plan) have been given due, proper, timely, and adequate notice thereof in accordance with the Disclosure Statement Order and in compliance with the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, the Local Rules, and applicable non-bankruptcy law, and such parties have had an opportunity to appear and be heard with respect thereto. Except as otherwise provided herein, no other or further notice of the Plan and the Confirmation Hearing is required.

- H. Voting. Votes on the Plan were solicited after disclosure of adequate information as defined in section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code. The procedures by which the Ballots for acceptance or rejection of the Plan were distributed and tabulated, including as set forth in the Voting Declaration, under the circumstances of the Chapter 11 Case were fair, properly conducted, and complied with the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, the Local Rules, applicable non-bankruptcy law and the Disclosure Statement Order. As more fully set forth in the Voting Declaration, Class 3, the only voting class, voted to accept the Plan.²
- I. **Bankruptcy Rule 3016(a).** In accordance with Bankruptcy Rule 3016(a), the Plan is dated and identifies the Debtor as the proponent of the Plan.
- J. **Burden of Proof**. The Debtor, as the proponent of the Plan, has met its burden of proving the satisfaction of the requirements for confirmation of the Plan set forth in section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code by a preponderance of the evidence, which is the applicable standard. Further, each witness who testified on behalf of the Debtor at or in connection with (by declaration) the Confirmation Hearing was credible, reliable and qualified to testify as to the topic addressed in his or her testimony.
- K. Plan Compliance with Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(1)). As set forth below, the Plan complies with all of the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, thereby satisfying section 1129(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code.
- L. **Proper Classification (11 U.S.C. §§ 1122, 1123(a)(1)).** The classification of Claims and Interests under the Plan is proper under the Bankruptcy Code. In addition to Administrative Claims, Professional Fee Claims, and <u>Other Priority Tax</u> Claims, which need not

² Class 4 was a vacant Class of Claims and, pursuant to the terms of the Plan, there was no solicitation of votes in that Class.

be classified, the Plan designates five (5) Classes of Claims and Interests. The Claims or Interests placed in each Class are substantially similar to other Claims or Interests, as the case may be, in each such Class. Valid business, factual, and legal reasons exist for separately classifying the various Classes of Claims and Interests created under the Plan, and such Classes do not unfairly discriminate between Holders of Claims and Interests. Thus, the Plan satisfies sections 1122 and 1123(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code.

- M. Specification of Unimpaired Classes (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(2)). Article II of the Plan specifies that Class 1 (Secured Claims) and Class 2 (Other Priority Non-Tax Claims) are Unimpaired under the Plan. Thus, section 1123(a)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code is satisfied.
- N. Specification of Treatment of Impaired Classes (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(3)). Article II of the Plan designates Class 3 (General Unsecured Claims), Class 4 (Subordinated Claims), and Class 5 (Interests) as Impaired and specifies the treatment of Claims and Interests in such Classes. Thus, section 1123(a)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code is satisfied.

- O. **No Discrimination (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(4)).** The Plan provides for the same treatment by the Debtor for each Claim or Interest in each respective Class unless the Holder of a particular Claim or Interest has agreed to a less favorable treatment of such Claim or Interest. Thus, section 1123(a)(4) of the Bankruptcy Code is satisfied.
- P. Implementation of the Plan (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(5)). The Plan, including, without limitation, the provisions of Article V thereof, and the Liquidating Trust Agreement, provide adequate and proper means for the Plan's implementation. Thus, section 1123(a)(5) of the Bankruptcy Code is satisfied.
- Q. **Non-Voting Equity Securities** (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(6)). The Plan does not provide for the issuance of any securities, including non-voting securities, and the Debtor is being dissolved on or after the Effective Date as provided for in the Plan. Therefore, section 1123(a)(6) of the Bankruptcy Code is satisfied.
- R. Selection of Officers and Directors (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(7)). Article IV.K of the Plan provides for the appointment of a Liquidating Trustee, who will serve as a fiduciary of the Debtor's Estate, and who shall be empowered to, among other things, (i) implement the terms of the Plan; (ii) object to, compromise, or settle any Claims; (iii) establish reserves; (iv) liquidate Assets; (v) prosecute, compromise, resolve or withdraw any of the Causes of Action; and (vi) otherwise wind-down the Estate in accordance with this Confirmation Order, the Plan, and the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The Liquidating Trustee was selected by the Debtor. Successors, if any, shall be selected pursuant to the procedures set forth in the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The foregoing is consistent with the interest of holders of Claims and holders of Interests and with public policy and therefore, section 1123(a)(7) of the Bankruptcy Code is satisfied.

- S. Additional Plan Provisions (11 U.S.C. § 1123(b)). The Plan's provisions are appropriate, in the best interests of the Debtor and its Estate, and consistent with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rules, and Local Rules.
- T. Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases (11 U.S.C. § 1123(b)(2)). The Debtor has exercised appropriate business judgment in determining to reject the Debtor's remaining executory contracts and unexpired leases as provided for in the Plan and this Confirmation Order, and any such rejections are justified and appropriate in the Chapter 11 Case.
- U.S.C. § 1123(b)(3)). The settlements and compromises pursuant to and in connection with the Plan comply with and satisfy the requirements of section 1123(b)(3) of the Bankruptey Code and Bankruptey Rule 9019. Accordingly, except as otherwise set forth in the Plan or herein, in consideration for the distributions and other benefits provided for under the Plan, including without limitation the release, exculpation, and injunction provisions, and the indemnification rights, the Plan shall constitute a good faith compromise and settlement of all Claims and controversies resolved pursuant to the Plan.
- Provided for in the Plan, as modified herein, are: (i) within the jurisdiction of the Bankruptcy Court under 28 U.S.C. § 1334; (ii) an appropriate exercise of the Debtor's business judgment; (iii) integral elements of the transactions incorporated into the Plan and inextricably bound with the other provisions of the Plan; (iv) in exchange for good and valuable consideration provided by the Released Parties; (v) in the best interests of the Debtor, the Estate, and all Holders of Claims and Interests that are Releasing Parties; (vi) fair, equitable, and reasonable; (vii) given

and made after due notice and an opportunity to object and be heard with respect thereto, as the Disclosure Statement, the Confirmation Hearing Notice, the Voting Instructions, the Ballots, and the Notice of Non-Voting Status each unambiguously state that (a) the Plan contains certain release, exculpation, and injunction provisions and (b) affected parties may object to or opt out of the releases in Article IX.C of the Plan, and therefore such releases, including the releases in Article IX.C of the Plan, are consensual as they pertain to Holders of Claims; (viii) are consistent with sections 105, 524, 1123, 1129, and 1141 and other applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code and other applicable law; and (ix) a bar to any of the Releasing Parties asserting any released claim against any of the Released Parties as and to the extent provided for in the Plan and this Confirmation Order.

W. Debtor's Compliance with Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(2)).

Pursuant to section 1129(a)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Debtor has complied with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, including, without limitation, sections 1122, 1123, 1124, 1125, and 1126 of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and the Disclosure Statement Order governing notice, disclosure, and solicitation in connection with the Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the Plan Supplement, and all other matters considered by the Bankruptcy Court in connection with Confirmation.

W. X. Plan Proposed in Good Faith and Not by Means Forbidden by Law (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(3)). The Debtor has proposed the Plan in good faith and not by any means forbidden by law, thereby satisfying section 1129(a)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code. In determining that the Plan has been proposed in good faith, the Bankruptcy Court has examined the totality of the circumstances surrounding the filing of the Chapter 11 Case, the Plan itself, and the process leading to its formulation. The Plan is the result of extensive arm's-length negotiations among

the Debtor and key stakeholders in the Chapter 11 Case, and is supported by the Debtor's creditors and other parties in interest in the Chapter 11 Case.

X. Payments for Services or Costs and Expenses (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(4)). The procedures set forth in the Plan for the Bankruptcy Court's approval of the fees, costs, and expenses to be paid in connection with the Chapter 11 Case, or in connection with the Plan and incident to the Chapter 11 Case, satisfy the objectives of, and are in compliance with, section 1129(a)(4) of the Bankruptcy Code.

Y. Z.-Directors, Officers, and Insiders (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(5)). Article IV.D.2 of the Plan provides that, on the Effective Date, the Debtor's officers and managers shall be terminated automatically. The Debtor selected the Liquidating Trustee and the Liquidating Trustee's identity and affiliation are set forth in the Plan Supplement. Thus, the Plan satisfies section 1129(a)(5) of the Bankruptcy Code.

Z. AA. No Rate Changes (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(6)). The Plan does not provide for any rate change that requires regulatory approval. Section 1129(a)(6) of the Bankruptcy Code is thus not applicable.

BB. Best Interests of Creditors (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(7)). The "best interests" test is satisfied as to all Impaired Classes under the Plan, as each Holder of a Claim or Interest in such Impaired Classes will receive or retain property of a value, as of the Effective Date, that is not less than the amount that such Holder would so receive or retain if the Debtor was liquidated under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code, as demonstrated by the Liquidation Analysis attached as Exhibit B to the Disclosure Statement.

BB. CC. Acceptance by Certain Classes (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(8)). Class 1 (Secured Claims) and Class 2 (Other Priority-Non-Tax Claims) are unimpaired under the Plan, and Class

3 (General Unsecured Claims) has voted to accept the Plan in accordance with the Bankruptcy Code, thereby satisfying section 1129(a)(8) as to those Classes. However, Class 4 (Subordinated Claims) and has been eliminated as vacant. However, Class 5 (Interests) are is deemed to have rejected the Plan pursuant to section 1126(g) of the Bankruptcy Code. Accordingly, section 1129(a)(8) of the Bankruptcy Code has not and cannot be satisfied. The Plan, however, is still confirmable because it satisfies the nonconsensual confirmation provisions of section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, as set forth below.

U.S.C. § 1129(a)(9)). The treatment of Administrative Claims, Professional Fee Claims, and Priority Tax Claims pursuant to Article II of the Plan satisfies section 1129(a)(9) of the Bankruptcy Code.

DD. EE. Acceptance by Impaired Class (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(10)). Given that Class 4 (Subordinated Claims) was a vacant Class, Class 3 (General Unsecured Claims) is the only Impaired Class of Claims entitled to vote and voted to accept the Plan, determined without including any acceptance of the Plan by any insider. Therefore, section 1129(a)(10) of the Bankruptcy Code is satisfied.

EE. FF. Feasibility (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(11)). The Plan provides for the appointment of the Liquidating Trustee. Following the implementation of the Plan, the administration and distribution of the Debtor's Assets in accordance with the terms of the Plan, and the winding down of the Debtor's affairs, without the need for any further order or action of the Bankruptcy Court, the Debtor will be dissolved and its affairs wound up. Thus, section 1129(a)(11) of the Bankruptcy Code is satisfied.

FF. GG. Payment of Fees (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(12)). All fees payable under 28

U.S.C. § 1930 have been paid or will be paid on or before the Effective Date pursuant to the Plan, thus satisfying section 1129(a)(12) of the Bankruptcy Code.

- GG. HH.—Miscellaneous Provisions (11 U.S.C. §§ 1129(a)(13)–(16)). Sections 1129(a)(13)–(16) of the Bankruptcy Code are inapplicable to Confirmation, as the Debtor: (i) does not provide "retiree benefits," as defined in section 1114 of the Bankruptcy Code (§ 1129(a)(13)); (ii) has no domestic support obligations (§ 1129(a)(14)); (iii) is not an individual (§ 1129(a)(15)); and (iv) is not a nonprofit corporation (§ 1129(a)(16)).
- HH. No Unfair Discrimination; Fair and Equitable Treatment (11 U.S.C. § 1129(b)). The classification and treatment of Claims and Interests in Class 4 (Subordinated Claims) and Class 5 (Interests), which are deemed to have rejected the Plan, is proper pursuant to section 1122 of the Bankruptcy Code, does not discriminate unfairly, and is fair and equitable pursuant to section 1129(b)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code. There is no Class of Claims or Interests junior to the Holders of Claims in Class 4 or Interests in Class 5 that will receive or retain property under the Plan on account of their Claims or Interests. Accordingly, the Plan does not violate the absolute priority rule, does not discriminate unfairly, and is fair and equitable with respect to each Class that is deemed to have rejected the Plan. Thus, the Plan satisfies section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code with respect to Class 4 and Class 5.
- II. JJ. Only One Plan (11 U.S.C. § 1129(c)). The Plan is the only chapter 11 plan currently proposed in the Chapter 11 Case, and section 1129(c) of the Bankruptcy Code is therefore satisfied.
- JJ. KK. Principal Purpose (11 U.S.C. § 1129(d)). The principal purpose of the Plan is neither the avoidance of taxes, nor the avoidance of the application of section 5 of the Securities Act of 1933, and no governmental unit has objected to Confirmation on any such

grounds. Accordingly, section 1129(d) of the Bankruptcy Code is inapplicable.

KK. LL. Satisfaction of Confirmation Requirements. Based upon the foregoing, the Plan satisfies the requirements for Confirmation set forth in section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code, and should be confirmed.

LL. MM. Good Faith Solicitation (11 U.S.C. § 1125(e)). The Debtor and its officers, directors, employees, advisors, Professionals, and agents have acted in good faith within the meaning of section 1125(e) of the Bankruptcy Code, and in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules and the Disclosure Statement Order in connection with all of their respective activities relating to the solicitation of acceptances of the Plan and their participation in the activities described in section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code, and they are entitled to the benefits and protections afforded by section 1125(e) of the Bankruptcy Code and the injunction and exculpation provisions set forth in Article XI of the Plan and in this Confirmation Order.

MM. NN. Retention of Jurisdiction. The Bankruptcy Court may properly retain jurisdiction over the matters set forth in Article X of the Plan and section 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code.

Based upon the foregoing findings, and upon the record made before the Bankruptcy Court in connection with the Confirmation Hearing, and good and sufficient cause appearing therefor, it is hereby ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED THAT:

Confirmation of the Plan

1. The Plan, attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A</u>, as and to the extent modified by this Confirmation Order, is approved and confirmed pursuant to section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code. All ancillary Plan documents necessary for implementing the Plan, including those in the

Plan Supplement, are approved. Any objections to the Plan not otherwise withdrawn, resolved, or otherwise disposed of are overruled and denied.

2. The terms of the Plan are incorporated by reference into (except to the extent modified by this Confirmation Order), and are an integral part of, this Confirmation Order.

Compromises and Settlements Under the Plan

3. Pursuant to section 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rule 9019, upon the Effective Date, all settlements and compromises set forth in the Plan are approved in all respects, and constitute good faith compromises and settlements.

Classification and Treatment

4. The Plan's classification scheme is approved. The classifications set forth on the Ballots: (i) were set forth on the Ballots solely for purposes of voting to accept or reject the Plan; (ii) do not necessarily represent, and in no event shall be deemed to modify or otherwise affect, the actual classification of such Claims under the Plan for distribution purposes; (iii) may not be relied upon by any Holder as representing the actual classification of such Claim under the Plan for distribution purposes; and (iv) shall not be binding on the Debtor and the Liquidating Trustee except for Plan voting purposes.

Authorization to Implement the Plan

5. Pursuant to section 1142(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, section 303 of the Delaware General Corporation Law, and any comparable provisions of the business corporation or similar laws of the state of Delaware, the Debtor, and the Liquidating Trustee, as applicable, are authorized to take or cause to be taken all corporate actions necessary or appropriate to implement all provisions of, and to consummate, the Plan, and to execute, enter into or otherwise

make effective all documents arising in connection therewith, including, without limitation, the Liquidating Trust Agreement, prior to, on, and after the Effective Date.

- 6. On the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee is authorized to do all things and to execute and deliver all agreements, documents, instruments, notices and certificates as are contemplated by the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement, and to take all necessary actions required in connection therewith, in the name of and on behalf of the Debtor.
- 7. The approvals and authorizations specifically set forth in this Confirmation Order are not intended to limit the authority of the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee to take any and all actions necessary or appropriate to implement, effectuate and consummate any and all documents or transactions contemplated by the Plan or this Confirmation Order.

Enforceability of the Plan

8. Pursuant to sections 1123(a), 1141(a) and 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code, subject to the occurrence of the Effective Date, the Plan and all Plan-related documents shall be, and hereby are, valid, binding and enforceable.

Vesting of Assets

9. Except as otherwise provided in the Plan, on and after the Effective Date, all Assets of the Estate, including all claims, rights, Causes of Action and any property acquired by the Debtor under or in connection with the Plan, shall vest in the DebtorLiquidating Trust free and clear of all Claims, Liens, charges, other encumbrances, and Interests.

Preservation of Causes of Action

10. Except as expressly provided in the Plan or this Confirmation Order: (i) in accordance with section 1123(b)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Debtor shall retain all Causes of Action and nothing contained in the Plan or this Confirmation Order shall be deemed to be a

release, waiver or relinquishment of any such Causes of Action; and (ii) the Debtor or the Liquidating Trustee, as applicable, shall have, retain, reserve and be entitled to assert all such Causes of Action as fully as if the Chapter 11 Case had not been commenced, and all of the Debtor's legal and equitable rights respecting any Claim that are not specifically waived or relinquished by the Plan, this Confirmation Order, or any Final Order (including settlement or other agreements authorized thereby) may be asserted after the Effective Date to the same extent as if the Chapter 11 Case had not been commenced.

Reservation of Causes of Action

11. Unless a Cause of Action against a Holder or other Person or Entity is expressly waived, relinquished, released, compromised or settled in the Plan, the Confirmation Order or any Final Order, the Debtor, the Liquidating Trustee, and the Estate expressly reserve such Cause of Action for later adjudication by the Liquidating Trustee, including, without limitation, Causes of Action of which the Debtor may presently be unaware or which may arise or exist by reason of additional facts or circumstances unknown to the Debtor at this time or facts or circumstances that may change or be different from those the Debtor now believes to exist. Therefore, no preclusion doctrine, including, without limitation, the doctrines of res judicata collateral estoppel, issue preclusion, claim preclusion, waiver, estoppel (judicial, equitable or otherwise), laches or the like shall apply to such Causes of Action upon or after the entry of this Confirmation Order or Effective Date based on the Disclosure Statement, the Plan, or this Confirmation Order, except where such Causes of Action have been expressly waived, relinquished, released, compromised or settled in the Plan, this Confirmation Order, a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court or, following the Effective Date, in a written agreement duly executed by the Liquidating Trustee, which agreement, by its terms, is not subject to Bankruptcy

Court approval.

Wind-Up and Dissolution of the Debtor

Debtor, in accordance with the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement. Following the implementation of the Plan, the administration and distribution of the Debtor's Assets in accordance with the terms of the Plan, and the winding down of the Debtor's affairs, without the need for any further order or action of the Bankruptcy Court, the Debtor will be dissolved and its affairs will be wound up in accordance with Delaware law. The Liquidating Trustee is authorized to take all actions reasonably necessary to dissolve the Debtor, and neither the Liquidating Trustee nor the Debtor shall be required to pay any taxes or fees in order to cause such dissolution and termination of the Debtor's existence.

Cancellation of Interests

13. As of the Effective Date, all Interests of any kind shall be deemed cancelled, and the Holders thereof shall not receive or retain any property, interest in property or consideration under the Plan on account of such Interests.

Plan Distributions

14. The Liquidating Trustee or its designee, on behalf of the Debtor, shall serve as the Disbursing Agent under the Plan with respect to distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims (provided that the Liquidating Trustee may hire professionals or consultants to assist with making distributions). The Liquidating Trustee shall make all distributions required to be made to such Holders of Allowed Claims pursuant to the Plan, the Confirmation Order and the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The Liquidating Trustee shall not be required to give any bond or

surety or other security for the performance of the Liquidating Trustee's duties as disbursing agent unless otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court.

- 15. Except as otherwise provided by the Plan, this Confirmation Order or as ordered by the Bankruptcy Court, all distributions to be made on account of Claims that are Allowed Claims as of the Effective Date shall be made on the initial distribution date by the Liquidating Trustee. distributions on account of Claims that first become Allowed Claims after the Effective Date shall be made pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement. No distribution shall be made on account of, without limitation, any Allowed Claim or portion thereof that (i) has been satisfied after the Petition Date; (ii) is listed in the Schedules as contingent, unliquidated, disputed or in a zero amount, and for which a proof of claim has not been timely filed; or (iii) is evidenced by a proof of claim that has been amended by a subsequently filed proof of claim.
- 16. Except to the extent provided in section 506(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Plan, or this Confirmation Order, post-petition interest, penalties or fees shall not accrue or be paid on Allowed Claims, and no Holder of an Allowed Claim shall be entitled to interest accruing on any Allowed Claim from and after the Petition Date.

Implementation of the Plan and the Liquidating Trustee

- 17. The Liquidating Trust Agreement, substantially in the form filed with the Plan Supplement, is hereby approved. To the extent of any inconsistency between the Plan and Liquidating Trust Agreement, the terms of the Liquidating Trust Agreement shall govern.
- 18. The appointment of SierraConstellation Partners, LLC as the Liquidating Trustee is hereby approved. The Liquidating Trustee shall be compensated in the manner set forth in and consistent with the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The Liquidating Trustee shall

have all powers, rights, duties and protections afforded the Liquidating Trustee under the Plan, this Confirmation Order, and the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

- 19. No later than ten (10) Business Days after the end of the first calendar quarter of 2023 and the end of each calendar quarter thereafter until all distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims, all payments to professionals and consultants retained by the Liquidating Trustee, and all other payments by the Liquidating Trustee have been made and the Chapter 11 Case has been closed, the Liquidating Trustee shall file with the Bankruptcy Court a report that contains the following information; (a) cash on hand at the beginning and end of the calendar quarter; (b) a list, by name, of all fees the Liquidating Trustee has paid during the calendar quarter (including to itself); (c) a list, by names and amounts, of all open claims at the beginning of the calendar quarter and, as to such claims: (i) the claims allowed by the Liquidating Trustee; (ii) the claims paid by the Liquidating Trustee; (iii) the claims disallowed by the Liquidating Trustee; and (iv) the claims settled by the Liquidating Trustee and, if any, for how much.
- 20. Holders of Claims against or Interests in the Debtor shall have ten (10) Business Days from the date each quarterly report is filed to file in the Bankruptcy Court an objection to any of the reported fees paid by the Liquidating Trustee during such calendar quarter. The Bankruptcy Court shall retain jurisdiction over any such objections.

Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases

21. On the Effective Date, all executory contracts and unexpired leases of the Debtor that have not been assumed, assumed and assigned, or rejected, prior to the Effective Date, or are not subject to a motion to assume or reject Filed before the Effective Date, shall be deemed rejected pursuant to this Confirmation Order, as of the Effective Date, other than the Insurance

Contracts. For the avoidance of doubt, any post-petition consulting or transition services agreements shall not be deemed rejected as of the Effective Date.

- 22. Any Creditor asserting a executory contract or lease rejection damages claims (a "Rejection Claim") shall File a proof of claim with the Debtor's claims and noticing agent Kurtzman Carson Consultants LLC, in accordance with the Plan, within thirty (30) days of the Effective Date, and shall also serve such proof of claim upon the Liquidating Trustee.
- 23. Any Rejection Claims arising from the Plan that are not timely Filed pursuant to Section 6.1 of the Plan shall be forever disallowed and barred unless otherwise ordered by the Court. If one or more Rejection Claims are timely filed, the Liquidating Trustee may file an objection to any Rejection Claim on or prior to the Claims Objection Bar Date.

Disputed Claims

24. Except as otherwise specifically provided in the Plan, this Confirmation Order and the Liquidating Trust Agreement, after the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall have the authority (i) to file, withdraw, or litigate to judgment objections to Claims; (ii) to settle, compromise, or Allow any Claim or Disputed Claim without any further notice to or action, order, or approval by the Bankruptcy Court; (iii) to amend the Schedules in accordance with the Bankruptcy Code; and (iv) to administer and adjust the claims register to reflect any such settlements or compromises without any further notice to or action, order, or approval by the Bankruptcy Court. Any agreement entered into by the Liquidating Trustee in accordance with the terms of the Plan and this Confirmation Order with respect to the Allowance of any Claim shall be conclusive evidence and a final determination of the Allowance of such Claim.

25. All objections to Claims (other than (i) Administrative Claims and (ii) Professional Fee Claims, which Professional Fee Claims shall be governed by Section 11.2 of the Plan) shall be Filed on or before the Claims Objection Bar Date, which date may be extended by the Bankruptcy Court upon a motion filed by the Liquidating Trustee on or before the Claims Objection Bar Date with notice only to those parties entitled to notice in the Chapter 11 Case pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002 as of the filing of such motion. The Filing of a motion to extend the Claims Objection Bar Date shall automatically extend the Claims Objection Bar Date until a final order is entered by the Bankruptcy Court. In the event that such a motion to extend Claims Objection Bar Date is denied, the Claims Objection Bar Date shall be the later of the then-current Claims Objection Bar Date (as previously extended, if applicable) or thirty (30) days after entry of a Final Order denying the motion to extend the Claims Objection Bar Date.

Administrative Claims

All requests for payment of an Administrative Claim (other than a Section 503(b)(9) Claim and Professional Fee Claims) arising on or after June 1, 2022 must be Filed with the Bankruptcy Court and served on counsel to the Liquidating Trustee and counsel to the U.S. Trustee no later than thirty (30) days after the Effective Date. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Plan, Holders of Administrative Claims may file proofs of claim rather than motions for the allowance of Administrative Claims provided, however, that Holders of Administrative Claims shall have the burden of proof under Section 503(b). In the event of an objection to allowance of an Administrative Claim, the Bankruptcy Court shall determine the Allowed amount of such Administrative Claim.

Professional Fee Claims

- 27. All final requests for payment of Professional Fee Claims pursuant to sections 327, 328, 330, 331, 503(b), or 1103 of the Bankruptcy Code must be made by application Filed with the Bankruptcy Court and served on counsel to the Liquidating Trustee and counsel to the U.S. Trustee no later than forty-five (45) days after the Effective Date, unless otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court. Objections to such applications must be Filed and served on counsel to the Liquidating Trustee and counsel to the U.S. Trustee and the requesting Professional on or before the date that is fourteen (14) days after the date on which the applicable application was served (or such longer period as may be allowed by Order of the Bankruptcy Court or by agreement with the requesting Professional).
- 28. All Professional Fee Claims shall be paid by the Estate to the extent approved by Order of the Bankruptcy Court within five (5) Business Days from entry of such Order. On or before the Effective Date, the Debtor shall establish the Professional Fee Reserve, which shall only be used to pay Professional Fee Claims, unless and until all Professional Fee Claims have been paid in full, otherwise satisfied or withdrawn. The Professional Fee Reserve shall vest in the Estate and shall be maintained by the Liquidating Trustee in accordance with the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement.
- 29. The Estate shall fund the Professional Fee Reserve on the Effective Date in an amount that is determined by the Debtor and that approximates, as of the Effective Date, the total projected amount of unpaid Professional Fee Claims. Any excess funds in the Professional Fee Reserve shall be released back to the Estate to be used for other purposes consistent with the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

Release, Injunction, Exculpation and Related Provisions

30. Except to the extent modified herein, the release, injunction, exculpation, and related provisions set forth in Article XI of the Plan are hereby approved and authorized in their entirety, and such provisions are effective and binding on all Persons and Entities as and to the extent provided for therein.

Notice of Entry of Confirmation Order and Effective Date

31. Pursuant to Bankruptcy Rules 2002 and 3020(c), the Debtor shall serve a notice of entry of this Confirmation Order and the occurrence of the Effective Date, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit B (the "Notice of Confirmation and Effective Date"), no later than five (5) Business Days after the Effective Date, on all Holders of Claims against or Interests in the Debtor and all other Persons on whom the Confirmation Hearing Notice was served. The form of the Notice of Confirmation and Effective Date is hereby approved in all respects. The Notice of Confirmation and Effective Date shall constitute good and sufficient notice of the entry of this Confirmation Order and of the relief granted herein, including, without limitation, the rejection of executory contracts and unexpired leases as provided for in the Plan and this Confirmation Order, and any bar dates and deadlines established under the Plan and this Confirmation Order, and no other or further notice of the entry of this Confirmation Order, the occurrence of the Effective Date and any such bar dates and deadlines need be given.

Retention of Jurisdiction

32. Under sections 105(a) and 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code, and notwithstanding entry of this Confirmation Order and occurrence of the Effective Date, and except as otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court, the Bankruptcy Court shall retain exclusive jurisdiction over all matters arising out of, or related to, the Chapter 11 Case and the Plan to the fullest extent permitted by law, including, among other things, to take the actions specified in Article X of the

Plan and to consider any objections filed in accordance with Section 20 of this Confirmation Order.

References to Plan Provisions

33. The failure specifically to include or to refer to any particular article, section, or provision of the Plan or any related document in this Confirmation Order shall not diminish or impair the effectiveness of such article, section, or provision, and such article, section, or provision shall have the same validity, binding effect, and enforceability as every other article, section, or provision of the Plan, it being the intent of the Bankruptcy Court that the Plan (as and to the extent modified by this Confirmation Order) be confirmed in its entirety.

Rules Governing Conflicts Between Documents

34. In the event and to the extent that any provision of the Plan is inconsistent with the provisions of the Disclosure Statement and any other order in the Chapter 11 Case, or any other agreement to be executed by any Person pursuant to the Plan, the provisions of the Plan shall control and take precedence; *provided, however*, that this Confirmation Order shall control and take precedence in the event of any inconsistency between this Confirmation Order, any provision of the Plan, and any of the foregoing documents.

Extension of Injunctions and Stays

35. Unless otherwise provided in the Plan or in this Confirmation Order, all injunctions or stays provided for in the Chapter 11 Case under sections 105 or 362 of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise, and extant on the Confirmation Date (including any injunctions or stays contained in or arising from the Plan or this Confirmation Order), shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 1146 Exemption

36. Pursuant to section 1146(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, the issuance, transfer or exchange of any security under the Plan or the making or delivery of any instrument of transfer pursuant to, in implementation of, or as contemplated by the Plan, or the re-vesting, transfer or sale of any real or personal property of the Debtor pursuant to, in implementation of, or as contemplated by the Plan, shall not be taxed under any state or local law imposing a stamp tax, transfer tax or any similar tax or fee.

Reservation of Rights

37. **Terminating Debtor Professionals.** On the Effective Date, the engagement of each Professional retained by the Debtor shall be terminated without further order of the Bankruptcy Court; *provided, however*, such Professional shall be entitled to prosecute their respective Professional Fee Claim.

Headings

38. Headings utilized herein are for convenience and reference only, and do not constitute a part of the Plan or this Confirmation Order for any other purpose.

No Stay of Confirmation Order

39. Notwithstanding Bankruptcy Rules 3020(e), 6004(h), and 7062 and any other Bankruptcy Rule to the contrary, to the extent applicable, there is no reason for delay in the implementation of this Confirmation Order and, thus, this Confirmation Order shall be effective and enforceable immediately upon entry.

EXHIBIT A

Plan

EXHIBIT B

Notice of Confirmation and Effective Date

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re:	Chapter 11
Zosano Pharma Corporation, ¹	Case No. 22-10506 (JKS)
Debtor.	

NOTICE OF (I) CONFIRMATION AND EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AMENDED CHAPTER 11 PLAN OF LIQUIDATION OF ZOSANO PHARMA CORPORATION AND (II) DEADLINE UNDER THE PLAN AND CONFIRMATION ORDER TO FILE PROFESSIONAL FEE CLAIMS, ADMINISTRATIVE CLAIMS AND REJECTION CLAIMS

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE OF THE FOLLOWING:

- 1. <u>Entry of Confirmation Order</u>. On November ___, 2022, the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware (the "*Bankruptcy Court*") entered an order [Docket No. ___] (the "*Confirmation Order*") confirming the *Amended Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation of Zosano Pharma Corporation*, attached as Exhibit A to the Confirmation Order (together with all exhibits thereto, and as may be amended, modified or supplemented, the "*Plan*")² in the chapter 11 case of the above-captioned debtor and debtor in possession (collectively, the "*Debtor*").
 - 2. **Effective Date of the Plan**. The Effective Date of the Plan was December , 2022.
- 3. Deadline to File Professional Fee Claims. As provided for in the Plan and Confirmation Order, all final requests for payment of Professional Fee Claims pursuant to sections 327, 328, 330, 331, 503(b), or 1103 of the Bankruptcy Code must be made by application Filed with the Bankruptcy Court and served on counsel to the Liquidating Trustee and counsel to the U.S. Trustee no later than January _____, 2023 (i.e., forty-five (45) days after the Effective Date), unless otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court. Objections to such applications must be Filed and served on counsel to the Liquidating Trustee and counsel to the U.S. Trustee and the requesting Professional on or before the date that is fourteen (14) days after the date on which the applicable application was served (or such longer period as may be allowed by Order of the Bankruptcy Court or by agreement with the requesting Professional).
- 4. Administrative Claim Bar Date. As provided for in the Plan and Confirmation Order, all requests for payment of an Administrative Claim (other than a Section 503(b)(9) Claim) arising on or after June 1, 2022 must be Filed with the Bankruptcy Court and served on counsel to the

The business address and the last four (4) digits of the Debtor's federal tax identification number is Zosano Pharma Corporation, 34790 Ardentech Court, Fremont, California 94555 (8360).

² Unless otherwise defined in this notice, capitalized terms used in this notice shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Plan.

Liquidating Trustee and counsel to the U.S. Trustee no later than December _____, 2022 (i.e., thirty (30) days after the Effective Date).

5. Deadline to File Rejection Claims. As provided for in the Plan and Confirmation Order: (i) on the Effective Date, all executory contracts and unexpired leases of the Debtor that have not been assumed, assumed and assigned, or rejected, prior to the Effective Date or are not subject to a motion to assume or reject Filed before the Effective Date, shall be deemed rejected pursuant to the Confirmation Order, as of the Effective Date, other than the Insurance Contracts; (ii) any Creditor asserting a Rejection Claim shall File a proof of claim with the Debtor's claims and noticing agent, Kurtzman Carson Consultants LLC, at the address below, no later than December ______, 2022 (i.e., thirty (30) days after the Effective Date) and shall also serve such proof of claim upon the Liquidating Trustee; and (iii) any Rejection Claims that are not timely Filed shall be forever disallowed and barred.

Zosano Pharma Claims Processing Center c/o KCC 222 N. Pacific Coast Highway, Suite 300 El Segundo, CA 90245

6. <u>Inquiries by Interested Parties</u>. Copies of the Confirmation Order (to which the Plan is attached as Exhibit A) may be examined free of charge at http://www.kccllc.net/zosanopharma. The Confirmation Order is also on file with the Bankruptcy Court and may be viewed by accessing the Bankruptcy Court's website at www.deb.uscourts.gov. To access documents on the Bankruptcy Court's website, you will need a PACER password and login, which can be obtained at www.pacer.psc.uscourts.gov.

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