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NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

Honorable Charles Novack

Friday, February 14, 2025

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U.S. Bankruptcy Court
[1300 Clay Street, 2nd Floor](#)
Oakland CA 94612

11:00 AM **22-40660** Nicolas Zapatero **1**
Ch 7
Trustee: Weinstein
Moving: Marlene G. Weinstein
Opposing
Debtor or Plaintiff Scott Jordan
Matter: Trustee's Final Report and Application(s) for Compensation:

1. Application for Compensation for Marlene G. Weinstein, Trustee Chapter 7, Fee: \$3,250.00,
Expenses: \$25.26. [27]

11:00 AM **25-40018** Samuel I. Ezeibe **2**
Ch 11
Trustee: Not Assigned - OK
Moving: Lewis Phon
Opposing
Debtor or Plaintiff Lewis Phon
Matter: Status Conference. [8]

11:00 AM **25-40010** Cogent Bay Inc. **3**
Ch 11
Trustee: Hayes
Moving: Noel Knight
Opposing
Debtor or Plaintiff Noel Knight
Matter: Status Conference. [6]

11:00 AM **25-40011** Cogent Bay Inc
Ch 11
Trustee: Not Assigned - OK
Moving: Noel Knight
Opposing
Debtor or Plaintiff Noel Knight
Matter: [Status Conference. \[8\]](#)
Comment: OFF CALENDAR. Dismissed 1/22/2025.

11:00 AM **25-40025** Alarbesh/Fernandez LLC
Ch 11
Trustee: Not Assigned - OK
Moving:
Opposing
Debtor or Plaintiff ProSe / None
Matter: [Status Conference. \[10\]](#)
Comment: OFF CALENDAR. Dismissed 1/24/2025.

11:00 AM **24-40802** Luz Marlene Mendoza
Ch 7
Trustee: Weinstein
Moving: Carl Gustafson
Opposing
Debtor or Plaintiff Carl Gustafson
Matter: [Motion for Sanctions for Violation of the Discharge Injunction Filed by Debtor Luz Marlene Mendoza. \[15\]](#)

11:00 AM **24-41570** William McKinley Brooks, Jr.
Ch 11
Trustee: Klump
Moving: Ryan C. Wood
Opposing
Debtor or Plaintiff Ryan C. Wood

Matter: 1. Motion for Authority to Use Cash Collateral on an Interim Basis and Final Basis; Memorandum of Points and Authorities in Support Filed by Debtor William McKinley Brooks Jr. [35]
cont'd from 11/15/24, 12/13/24
2. Status Conference. [12]
cont'd from 11/15/24, 12/13/24

Comment:

11:00 AM **25-40140** Decorative Plumbing Distributors, LLC
Ch 11 **8**
Trustee: Not Assigned - OK
Moving: Chris D. Kuhner
Opposing
Debtor or Plaintiff Chris D. Kuhner
Matter: 1. Motion for Approval of Use of Cash Collateral Filed by Decorative Plumbing Distributors, LLC. [4]
2. Motion for Approval of Post-Petitioning Financing Filed by Decorative Plumbing Distributors, LLC. [5]

Comment: cont'd from 1/31/25

11:00 AM **23-10113** The Roman Catholic Bishop of Santa Rosa
Ch 11 **9**
Trustee: Not Assigned - SR
Moving: Paul J. Pascuzzi
Opposing
Debtor or Plaintiff Paul J. Pascuzzi
Thomas R. Phinney

- Matter:** 1. Fifth Interim Application of Felderstein Fitzgerald Willoughby Pascuzzi & Rios LLP for Allowance Of Fees and Reimbursement of Expenses as Counsel For the Debtor in Possession, Paul J. Pascuzzi, Debtor's Attorney, Fee: \$173,677.25, Expenses: \$4,789.38. [1032]
2. First Interim Application of Blank Rome, LLP For Allowance of Fees and Reimbursement of Expenses As Special Insurance Counsel for the Debtor in Possession, Fee: \$222,600.60, Expenses: \$0.00. [1035]
3. Fifth Interim Application of Shapiro Galvin Shapiro & Moran for Allowance of Fees and Reimbursement of Expenses as Special Insurance Counsel for the Debtor in Possession, Fee: \$149,685.00, Expenses: \$1,106.20. [1038]
4. Fifth Interim Application of Glassratner Advisory & Capital Group, LLC d/b/a B. Riley Advisory Services for Allowance Of Fees and Reimbursement of Expenses as Financial Advisor For the Debtor in Possession, Fee: \$137,136.50, Expenses: \$4,673.15. [1041]
5. Fifth Interim Fee Application of Keller Benvenuto Kim LLP for Allowance and Payment of Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses for the Period of August 1, 2024, Through November 30, 2024, Creditor Comm. Atty, Fee: \$20,275.00, Expenses: \$1,814.92. [1051]
6. Fifth Interim Fee Application of Stinson LLP for Allowance and Payment of Compensation and Expenses for the Period of August 1, 2024 Through November 1, 2024, Creditor Comm. Atty, Fee: \$418,688.50, Expenses: \$1,486.90. [1053]
7. Fourth Interim Fee Application of Burns Bair LLP for Allowance and Payment of Compensation and Expenses for the Period of August 1, 2024 Through November 30, 2024, Special Counsel, Fee: \$146,746.00, Expenses: \$4,773.39. [1055]
8. Third Interim Fee Application Of Stout Risius Ross, LLC for Allowance and Payment of Compensation and Expenses For the Period of August 1, 2024 Through November 30, 2024, Other Professional, Fee: \$27,692.50, Expenses: \$0.00. [1057]
9. Third Interim Fee Application of Berkeley Research Group for Allowance and Payment of Interim Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses for The Period August 1, 2024 Through November 30, 2024, Financial Advisor, Fee: \$118,863.88, Expenses: \$157.24. [1059]

11:00 AM	24-04042	Erickson v. RTED America, LLC et al	
	†Ch 13		10
	24-40427	Farideh Erickson	
Moving:	Joseph P. Buchman		
Opposing			
Debtor or Plaintiff	James A. Michel		

Matter: 1. Motion to Dismiss First Amended Complaint Pursuant to FRBP Rule 7012(b)(1); Memorandum of Points and Authorities Filed by Defendants Credit Loan Servicing, RTED America, LLC, Special Default Services, Inc. [45]
2. Motion to Expunge Lis Pendens; Memorandum of Points and Authorities Filed by Defendant Credit Loan Servicing. [47]

11:00 AM	24-04054	Arel v. United States Department Of Education et al	11
	†Ch 7		

24-41555 Jordan Christopher Arel
Moving: Jordan Arel

Opposing

Debtor or Plaintiff ProSe / None

Matter: [Scheduling Conference.](#) [1]

Comment: OFF CALENDAR. Order Approving Stipulation to extend deadlines and continuing status conference to 7/25/2025 at 11:00 AM signed 12/20/2024



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