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9 IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

10 IN AND FOR MARICOPA COUNTY

11 ARIZONA CORPORATION)
12 COMMISSION,)

13 Plaintiff,)

14 v.)

15 DENSCO INVESTMENT)
16 CORPORATION, an Arizona corporation,)

17 Defendant.)

Cause No. CV2016-014142

PETITION NO. 148

PETITION FOR ORDER
APPROVING FEES AND COSTS
INCURRED BY THE RECEIVER
AND GUTTILLA MURPHY

ANDERSON, P.C. FOR THE PERIOD
JANUARY 1, 2024, THROUGH
JANUARY 31, 2024

(Assigned to the Honorable John Hannah)

18 Peter S. Davis, as the court appointed Receiver, respectfully petitions the Court as
19 follows:

20 1. On August 18, 2016, this Court entered its *Order Appointing Receiver*, which
21 appointed Peter S. Davis as Receiver of DenSco Investment Corporation (“Receivership
22 Order”).

23 2. Pursuant to this Court’s *Order Re: Petition No. 1*, the Court approved the
24 Receiver’s compensation at the rate of \$250.00 per hour together with all reasonable costs
25 and expenses incurred relating to these services as Receiver. These services are billed by
26 and paid to the Receiver’s firm, J. S. Held, LLC.

1 3. Pursuant to this Court’s *Order Re: Petition No. 1*, the Receiver has engaged
2 the services of the law firm of Guttilla Murphy Anderson, P.C., of Phoenix, Arizona, and
3 the Receiver has agreed to pay the law firm compensation at agreed hourly rates for the
4 services of the firm together with all reasonable costs and expenses incurred on behalf of
5 the Receiver.

6 4. Pursuant to this Court’s *Order Re: Petition No. 2*, the Receiver is authorized
7 to file this fee petition without including as exhibits the itemization of services rendered to,
8 and costs incurred or expended on behalf of, the Receivership, provided that the fee petition
9 includes a statement that anyone desiring additional information concerning the services
10 and costs to be paid under the fee petition may obtain redacted information from the
11 Receiver by delivering to the Receiver and the Receiver's counsel, Guttilla Murphy
12 Anderson, P.C., a written request specifying the additional information requested at least
13 three (3) days prior to the date set for any hearing on the fee petition. The *Order Re:*
14 *Petition No. 2* further provides that upon request of the Court, the Receiver shall make
15 available for in camera review by the Court the itemized statements and supporting
16 documentation for the services and costs to be paid under the fee petition. Pursuant to the
17 Court’s *Order Granting Motion for Signed Order to File Under Seal Invoices to Receiver’s*
18 *Petition for Order Approving Fees and Costs Incurred by the Receiver and his Attorneys*
19 dated October 2, 2023, the Receiver has submitted the itemized statements for “In Camera”
20 review.

21 5. The Receiver has submitted an itemized statement for services rendered to
22 this Receivership by the Receiver and his firm, J. S. Held, LLC , and for reimbursable costs

1 incurred or paid during the period of January 1, 2024, through January 31, 2024. The total
2 amount requested for payment by the Receiver is \$2,974.93. The Receiver believes that
3 this amount is reasonable and should be paid from the Receivership Assets.

4 6. The law firm of Guttilla Murphy Anderson, P.C., has submitted an itemized
5 statement for services rendered to this Receivership and for reimbursable costs incurred or
6 paid during the period from January 1, 2024, through January 31, 2024. The total amount
7 requested for payment by the law firm of Guttilla Murphy Anderson, P.C. is \$1,752.95.
8 The Receiver believes that this amount is reasonable and should be paid from the
9 Receivership Assets and has therefore approved this statement for payment.

10 WHEREFORE, the Receiver respectfully requests that the Court enter an order
11 authorizing the Receiver to pay from Receivership Assets:

12 1. The amount of \$2,974.93 to J. S. Held, LLC , for services rendered and costs
13 incurred or paid during the period January 1, 2024, through January 31, 2024; and

14 2. The amount of \$1,752.95 to Guttilla Murphy Anderson, P.C., for services
15 rendered and costs incurred or paid during the period January 1, 2024, through January 31,
16 2024.

17 Respectfully submitted this 27th day of February 2024.

18 GUTTILLA MURPHY ANDERSON, P.C.

19 /s/ Ryan W. Anderson
20 Ryan W. Anderson
21 Attorneys for the Receiver