1 The Honorable Patricia C. Williams 2 Chapter: 11 3 4 5 6 IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT 7 EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SPOKANE 8 In re No. 04-08822-PCW11 9 THE CATHOLIC BISHOP OF 10 WITHDRAWAL OF TORT SPOKANE a/k/a/ THE CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF SPOKANE, a Washington LAIMANTS' OBJECTION TO 11 EMPLOYMENT OF RIDDELL corporation sole, WILLIAMS AS TORT CLAIMANT 12 Debtor. COMMITTEE COUNSEL 13 [Docket No. 168] 14 15 16 17 Tort Claimants, the Objecting Parties filed an Objection to Employment of 18 Riddell Williams P.S. as Tort Claimant Committee Counsel ("Objection") (Docket 19 no. 168) on January 20, 2005. This Objection is withdrawn as set forth herein 20 I. WITHDRAWAL OF OBJECTION. 21 Since the filing of the Objection, the United States Trustee appointed a "Tort 22 Litigants Committee" on February 2, 2005, and moved the tort litigant members of 23 the "Tort Claimants Committee," to the new committee leaving the initial 24 committee comprised of persons, the majority of whom have the desire to insure the 25 26 continuing ability of the Debtor to provide counseling and pastoral services to abuse WITHDRAWAL OF OBJECTION TO FOSTER PEPPER & SHEFELMAN PLLC EMPLOYMENT NO. 168-1 1111 THIRD AVENUE, SUITE 3400

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victims. Under the circumstances, including the ability of the newly appointed committee and its prospective counsel to represent interests adverse to the Debtor without any appearance of a conflict, the conflict which has concerned the objecting parties appears to be moot. Based thereon, the Objection is withdrawn.

DATED this 7th day of February 2005.

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