



Charles M. Walker

U.S. Bankruptcy Judge

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**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
NASHVILLE DIVISION**

In re:

Curae Health, Inc., *et al.*<sup>1</sup>

1721 Midpark Road, Suite C300  
Knoxville, TN 37921

Debtors.

Chapter 11

Lead Case No. 18-05665

Judge Walker

Jointly Administered

**FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW, AND ORDER  
CONFIRMING THE JOINT CHAPTER 11 PLAN OF LIQUIDATION OF  
CURAE HEALTH, INC., ET AL.**

Curae Health, Inc., *et al.* (collectively, as defined herein the “**Debtors**”), the debtors-in-possession in the above-captioned chapter 11 cases (the “**Chapter 11 Cases**”), and the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors (the “**Committee**”) appointed in these Chapter 11 Cases having filed: (a) the *Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation* [Docket No. 834] (as subsequently revised or amended, the “**Joint Plan**”);<sup>2</sup> (b) *Disclosure Statement for Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation* [Docket No. 835] (the “**Disclosure Statement**”); (c) the *Debtors’ Motion for an Order (I) Approving Disclosure Statement; (II) Establishing Forms and Procedures for Solicitation and Tabulation of Votes to Accept or Reject the Plan; (III) Establishing Deadline and Procedures for Filing Objections to the Confirmation of the Plan; and (IV) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. 700] (the “**Disclosure Statement and Procedures Motion**”); (d) the *Declaration of Kevin Martin of BMC Group, Inc. Regarding Voting and Tabulation of Ballots Accepting and Rejecting the Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation of Curae Health, Inc., et al.*

<sup>1</sup> The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor’s federal tax identification number, are Curae Health, Inc. (5638); Amory Regional Medical Center, Inc. (2640); Batesville Regional Medical Center, Inc. (7929); Clarksdale Regional Medical Center, Inc. (4755); Amory Regional Physicians, LLC (5044); Batesville Regional Physicians, LLC (4952); and Clarksdale Regional Physicians, LLC (5311).

<sup>2</sup> All capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Joint Plan.

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[Docket No. 1015] (the “**Tabulation Declaration**”); (e) the *Amended Declaration of Stephen N. Clapp, Chief Executive Officer of Curae Health, Inc. in Support of Confirmation of the Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation of Curae Health, Inc., et al.* [Docket No. 1021] (the “**Confirmation Declaration**”); and (f) the *Debtors’ Memorandum of Law in Support of Entry of an Order Confirming the Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation of Curae Health, Inc., et al.* [Docket No. 1012] (the “**Confirmation Memorandum**”); and the Court having entered the *Order (I) Approving Disclosure Statement; (II) Establishing Forms and Procedures for Solicitation and Tabulation of Votes to Accept or Reject the Plan; (III) Establishing Deadline and Procedures for Filing Objections to the Confirmation of the Plan; and (IV) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. 841] (the “**Disclosure Statement and Procedures Order**”), approving, among other things, the contents of the Solicitation Package (as defined therein), and the solicitation procedures and tabulation procedures; and the Court having conducted an evidentiary hearing to consider confirmation of the Joint Plan on May 9, 2019 (the “**Confirmation Hearing**”); and upon adequate and sufficient notice of the Joint Plan, the Solicitation Package, all related documents, procedures, and deadlines, and the Confirmation Hearing to all known creditors and parties-in-interest; and any responses or objections to confirmation of the Joint Plan raised at or prior to the Confirmation Hearing (collectively, the “**Objections**”) having been resolved, overruled, or withdrawn prior to or during the Confirmation Hearing; and upon the record herein; and after due deliberation thereon; and good and sufficient cause appearing therefor, the Court hereby finds and determines that:

### **FINDING OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

A. Findings and Conclusions. The findings and conclusions set forth herein and in the record of the Confirmation Hearing constitute the Court’s findings of fact and conclusions of law pursuant to Rule 52 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, as made applicable herein by

Bankruptcy Rules 7052 and 9014. To the extent that any of the following findings of fact constitute conclusions of law, they are adopted as such. To the extent any of the following conclusions of law constitute findings of fact, they are adopted as such.

B. Jurisdiction, Venue, Core Proceeding. The Court has jurisdiction over the Chapter 11 Cases pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334. Approval of the confirmation of the Joint Plan is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b), and this Court has jurisdiction to enter a final order with respect thereto. The Debtors are eligible debtors under Bankruptcy Code section 109. Venue is proper before this Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409. The Debtors and the Committee are the plan proponents in accordance with Bankruptcy Code section 1121. On August 24, 2018 (the “**Petition Date**”), the Debtors commenced voluntary cases under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code.

C. The Committee. On September 6, 2018, the Office of the United States Trustee for the Middle District of Tennessee (the “**U.S. Trustee**”) appointed the Committee.

D. Disclosure Statement and Procedures Order Compliance. The Debtors and the Committee have complied with the Disclosure Statement and Procedures Order, including the solicitation process, in all respects.

E. Burden of Proof. The Debtors and the Committee have the burden of proving the elements of Bankruptcy Code sections 1125 and 1129(a) and (b) by a preponderance of the evidence. The Debtors and the Committee have met their burden with respect to each Debtor and each element of Bankruptcy Code sections 1125 and 1129.

F. Voting. As evidenced by the Tabulation Declaration, votes to accept or reject the Joint Plan have been solicited and tabulated fairly, in good faith, and in a manner consistent with

the Bankruptcy Code and the Bankruptcy Rules, the solicitation process set forth in the Disclosure Statement and Procedures Order, and applicable nonbankruptcy law.

G. Solicitation. The Solicitation Packages were transmitted and served in compliance with the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, including Bankruptcy Rules 3017 and 3018, and the Disclosure Statement and Procedures Order. The form of ballots adequately addressed the particular needs of the Chapter 11 Cases and is appropriate to the Holders of Claims in Class 5, Class 6, and Class 7 (collectively, the “**Voting Classes**”), which are impaired under the Joint Plan, and may receive a distribution under the Joint Plan, and whose votes were, therefore, solicited. Further:

- (1) The period during which the Debtors and the Committee solicited acceptances of the Joint Plan was reasonable under the circumstances of the Chapter 11 Cases and enabled voting claimants to make an informed decision to accept or reject the Joint Plan.
- (2) The Debtors and the Committee were not required to solicit the votes from the Holders of Claims or Equity Interests from the following Classes (the “**Deemed to Accept Classes**”) as each such Class is unimpaired under the Joint Plan and conclusively presumed to have accepted it: Class 1 (Priority Non-Tax Claims); Class 2 (Alleged ServisFirst Secured Claim); Class 3 (Alleged CHS Secured Claim); and Class 4 (Secured Claims of Other Lienholders).
- (3) The Debtors and the Committee were not required to solicit votes from the Holders of Claims or Equity Interests in Class 8 (Corporate Interests) (the “**Deemed to Reject Class**”, and together with the Deemed to Accept Classes, the “**Non-Voting Classes**”), as such Class will receive no recovery under the Joint Plan and is deemed to reject it.
- (4) As described in the Tabulation Declaration and Confirmation Declaration, the transmittal and service of the Solicitation Packages was timely, adequate, and sufficient under the circumstances. The solicitation of votes on the Joint Plan complied with the Disclosure Statement and Procedures Order, was appropriate and satisfactory based upon the circumstances of the Chapter 11 Cases, and was in compliance with the provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and other applicable rules, laws, and regulations. In connection therewith, the Debtors, the Committee, and any of their affiliates, members, managers, shareholders, partners,

employees, attorneys, and advisors of the foregoing are entitled to the protection of Bankruptcy Code section 1125(e).

H. Good Faith. The Joint Plan was negotiated in good faith and at arm's length, and the Debtors and the Committee have not engaged in any collusive or unfair conduct in connection with the Joint Plan.

I. Notice. As evidenced by the Tabulation Declaration and Confirmation Declaration, the transmittal and service of the Solicitation Packages were adequate and sufficient under the circumstances, and all parties required to be given notice of the Confirmation Hearing (including the deadline for filing and serving objections to confirmation of the Joint Plan) have been given due, proper, timely, and adequate notice in accordance with the Disclosure Statement and Procedures Order and in compliance with the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and applicable nonbankruptcy law, and such parties have had an opportunity to appear and be heard with respect thereto. No other or further notice is required.

J. Compliance with the Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(1)). The Joint Plan complies with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code (including, but not limited to, Bankruptcy Code sections 1122 and 1123, as set forth below) and, as required by Bankruptcy Rule 3016, the Joint Plan is dated and identifies the Debtors and the Committee as plan proponents, thereby satisfying Bankruptcy Code section 1129(a)(1).

1. Classification and Treatment of Claims (11 U.S.C. §§ 1122 and 1123(a)(1)-(4)): Pursuant to Bankruptcy Code sections 1122(a) and 1123(a)(1), the Joint Plan designates separate classes of Claims and Corporate Interests, other than Administrative Expense Claims, Priority Claims, and other unclassified Claims set forth in the Plan, each of which contains only Claims or Corporate Interests that are substantially similar to the other claims within the relevant Class. The Joint Plan does

not contain any “convenience” Class, and Bankruptcy Code section 1122(b) is inapplicable. Pursuant to Bankruptcy Code sections 1123(a)(2) through (4), the Joint Plan specifies each Class of Claims that is not impaired, specifies the treatment of each Class of Claims and Corporate Interests that is impaired, and provides the same treatment for each Claim or Corporate Interest within a particular class.

2. Adequate Means for Implementation of the Plan (11 U.S.C. § 1123(a)(5)):

The Joint Plan sets forth adequate means for its implementation. The Joint Plan sets forth in detail the mechanisms for carrying out the Joint Plan. Among other things, the Joint Plan provides for the establishment of the Liquidating Trust and appointment of the Liquidating Trustee on or before the Effective Date. On the Effective Date, the Estates’ titles to all of the Assets (other than the D&O Claims and Tort Claims, which shall revert in the applicable Debtor(s) and may be pursued by the Debtor Representative) shall automatically pass to the Liquidating Trust, free and clear of all claims and equity interests in accordance with Bankruptcy Code section 1141. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Debtors and Committee’s right to modify the Joint Plan to exclude certain Assets from transfer to the Liquidating Trust is reserved. This Confirmation Order shall constitute a determination that the transfers of the Assets to the Liquidating Trust are legal and valid to the maximum extent permitted by applicable law and the Bankruptcy Code.

3. The D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and rights in and proceeds of any Insurance Policies necessary for the prosecution of all such Causes of Action will revert in the applicable Debtor(s) on the Effective Date, and the Debtor Representative shall be authorized to institute and prosecute through final judgment or settlement the D&O

Claims and Tort Claims in his discretion. The proceeds (but not the underlying Claims and/or Causes of Action) of the D&O Claims and Tort Claims shall be made available and transferred to the Liquidating Trust for distribution in accordance with the Plan upon entry of a final judgment or settlement.

4. The powers and authority of the Liquidating Trustee and any limitations thereon are set forth in the Joint Plan and are further defined by the Liquidating Trust Agreement. Consistent with the terms of the Liquidating Trust Agreement and/or the Joint Plan, the Liquidating Trustee and the Debtor Representative may commit the Liquidating Trust or the Estates, as the case may be, to payment of reasonable compensation to attorneys, accountants, financial advisors, and other professionals for services rendered and expenses incurred. A law firm or other professional shall not be disqualified from being employed by or rendering services to the Liquidating Trustee and/or the Debtor Representative solely because of its current or prior retention as counsel or professional to the Committee or the Debtors in these Chapter 11 Cases.

5. The Court finds and determines that the transfers of any of the Estates' Assets to the Liquidating Trust and/or the revestment of any of the Estates' Assets in the Debtors as of the Effective Date shall be valid and enforceable to the maximum extent permissible under applicable law, including the Bankruptcy Code and the Supremacy Clause of the United States Constitution.

6. Nonvoting Equity Securities and Selection of Officers and Directors (11 U.S.C. §§ 1123(a)(6) and (7)): Bankruptcy Code sections 1123(a)(6) and (7) are not applicable because each Debtor is either a nonprofit corporation or has as its sole member a Debtor nonprofit corporation, and the Joint Plan calls for the liquidation of the Debtors

and does not provide for (i) the issuance of any interests in any reorganized debtor or (ii) the selection of officers and directors.

7. Discretionary Provisions (11 U.S.C. §§ 1123(b)(1)-(6)): The discretionary provisions of the Joint Plan, including those discussed below, comply with Bankruptcy Code section 1123 and are not inconsistent with other applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code.

(i) Impairment of Claims and Interests (11 U.S.C. § 1123(b)(1)): The Joint Plan properly identifies and impairs or leaves unimpaired, as the applicable case may be, each Class of Claims and Corporate Interests.

(ii) Contracts and Leases (11 U.S.C. § 1123(b)(2)): Except as otherwise provided in the Joint Plan, the Clarksdale Sale Order, or in any contract, instrument, release, or other agreement or document entered into in connection with the Joint Plan, all Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases of the Debtors will be deemed rejected, as of the Effective Date, other than Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases that were previously assumed, assumed and assigned, or rejected by Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court (which contracts will be treated in accordance with such Final Order). This Confirmation Order shall constitute an Order approving the foregoing rejection.

(iii) Notwithstanding the foregoing or anything else to the contrary in this Confirmation Order, (i) the Postpetition Agreements shall not be deemed rejected, and shall instead revest in the Debtors pursuant to, and shall be treated consistent with, Article VI.D of the Joint Plan; and (ii) the Debtors' Insurance Policies shall be treated consistent with Article VI.C of the Joint Plan.



(iv) This Confirmation Order shall constitute a determination that no default by any Debtor exists with respect to any of the Insurance Policies requiring Cure, and that nothing in any prior Order, any prior agreements, or this Plan shall be construed or applied to modify, impair, or otherwise affect the enforceability of the Insurance Policies or any coverage thereunder with regard to any Claims or Causes of Action, including the D&O Claims. The Joint Plan shall be liberally construed to protect the interests of all Creditors in all Causes of Action and to limit any Claims against the Estates.

(v) This Confirmation Order shall constitute a determination that no default by the Debtors exists with respect to any Postpetition Agreements, including, but not limited to, the Interim Management Services Agreement, and the MSA, requiring Cure, and that nothing in any prior Order, any prior agreements, or the Joint Plan shall be construed or applied to modify, impair, or otherwise affect the enforceability of the Postpetition Agreements against any counterparty thereto. The Joint Plan shall be liberally construed to protect the interests of the Estates with respect to the Postpetition Agreements. Notwithstanding the foregoing, this Confirmation Order shall not constitute a determination that no default by the Debtors exists with respect to the MedHost RC Agreements.

(vi) Retention, Enforcement, and Settlement of Claims of the Debtors and Their Estates (11 U.S.C. § 1123(b)(3)): With respect to the retention and enforcement of Claims and Causes of Action of the Debtors and their Estates after the Effective Date, the Joint Plan provides that, except as otherwise expressly

provided in the Joint Plan, any and all such Claims and Causes of Action are reserved and preserved, and the Liquidating Trustee and the Debtor Representative, as applicable, shall retain and preserve for the benefit of all creditors all rights to commence, pursue, and settle, as appropriate, any and all such Claims and Causes of Action on the terms set forth in the Joint Plan. The Debtor and Estate Claims and Causes of Action reserved and preserved by the Plan include, without limitation, the Causes of Action set forth in the Joint Plan's definition of "Causes of Action," all legal and equitable defenses against any Claim or Cause of Action asserted against the Debtors, and all Claims, demands, and Causes of Action of any kind or nature whatsoever held by, through, or on behalf of the Debtors and/or the Estates against any other Person or Entity, that have not otherwise been resolved or disposed of.

(vii) The Joint Plan's reservation and preservation of Claims and Causes of Action of the Debtors and their Estates is adequate and sufficient to reserve, retain, and preserve all such Claims and Causes of Action other than those Claims and Causes of Action that are expressly waived, relinquished, exculpated, released, compromised, or settled in the Joint Plan, this Order, or another Order of this Court.

(viii) The Joint Plan's reservation and preservation of Claims and Causes of Action of the Debtors and their Estates and the disclosures set forth in Article III.A.7 of the Disclosure Statement are adequate and sufficient to provide notice to Creditors and other parties in interest about the types and categories of Claims and Causes of Action reserved and preserved. No Person or party in interest may

rely on the absence of a specific reference in the Plan or the Disclosure Statement to any Claim and/or Cause of Action against them as any indication that the Debtors, the Committee, Debtor Representative, Liquidating Trustee, or the Liquidating Trust, as applicable, will not pursue any and all available Claims and/or Causes of Action against them. No preclusion doctrine, including the doctrines of *res judicata*, collateral estoppel, issue preclusion, claim preclusion, estoppel (judicial, equitable, or otherwise), or laches, shall apply to such Claims and/or Causes of Action upon, after, or as a consequence of the Plan's confirmation or occurrence of the Effective Date.

(ix) The Joint Plan's reservation and preservation of Claims and Causes of Action of the Debtors and their Estates and the foregoing subparagraphs J.7.vi-viii are consistent with Sixth Circuit precedent, including *Nestle Waters N. Am., Inc. v. Mt. Glacier LLC*, 877 F.3d 246 (6th Cir. 2017) and *Browning v. Levy*, 283 F.3d 761 (6th Cir. 2002).

(x) The recoveries and proceeds from the Claims and Causes of Actions reserved and preserved under the Joint Plan will be used to satisfy the Claims of Creditors under the Joint Plan. The Liquidating Trustee and Debtor Representatives are appropriate representatives of the Estates to prosecute and pursue the Claims and Causes of Action (including the proceeds thereof) reserved and preserved under the Joint Plan.

(xi) Sale of Property and Distribution of Proceeds (11 U.S.C. § 1123(b)(4)): The Joint Plan provides for the transfer of the Assets (other than the D&O Claims and Tort Claims, which shall revest in the Debtors and may be

pursued by the Debtor Representative as provided in the Joint Plan) to the Liquidating Trust for the sole and exclusive benefit of the beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust, but subject to the provisions of the Joint Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The transfer and any subsequent sale or other disposition of any such Assets pursuant to the Plan shall not be subject to any transfer or similar taxes pursuant to section 1146(c) of the Bankruptcy Code.

(xii) Other Provisions Not Inconsistent with the Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C. § 1123(b)(6)): The Joint Plan includes additional provisions that are not inconsistent with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, including: (i) provisions governing distributions on account of Allowed Claims, particularly as to the timing and calculation of amounts to be distributed; (ii) procedures for resolving Disputed Claims and making distributions on account of such Claims once resolved; (iii) provisions regarding the severability of Plan provisions; and (iv) certain release, exculpation, and injunction provisions.

8. Special Provisions in Individual Cases (11 U.S.C. § 1123(c)): Because the Debtors are not individuals, Bankruptcy Code section 1123(c) is not applicable.

9. Cure of Default (11 U.S.C. § 1123(d)): Because the Joint Plan does not propose to cure any default, Bankruptcy Code section 1123(d) is not applicable.

K. The Debtors' Compliance with the Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(2)).  
The Debtors have complied with all the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, satisfying the requirements of Bankruptcy Code section 1129(a)(2).

L. Proposed in Good Faith (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(3)). The Joint Plan has been proposed in good faith and not by any means forbidden by law, thereby satisfying the requirements of Bankruptcy Code section 1129(a)(3).

M. Payment for Services or Costs and Expenses (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(4)). Any payment made or to be made by the Debtors, or by any person issuing securities or acquiring property under the Joint Plan, for services or for costs and expenses in or in connection with the Chapter 11 Cases, or in connection with the Joint Plan and incident to the Chapter 11 Cases, has been approved by, or is subject to the approval of, the Court as reasonable, thereby satisfying the requirements of Bankruptcy Code section 1129(a)(4).

N. Plan Administrator, Directors, Officers, and Insiders (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(5)). The Debtors have complied with Bankruptcy Code section 1129(a)(5). The Debtors are liquidating and, therefore, Bankruptcy Code section 1129(a)(5) is not applicable. To the extent Bankruptcy Code section 1129(a)(5) is applicable, it is satisfied through the identification of the Liquidating Trustee and Debtor Representative, who are appointed as representatives of the Estates pursuant to Bankruptcy Code section 1123(b)(3)(B), and whose appointments are consistent with the interests of the creditors and public policy.

O. No Rate Changes (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(6)). After confirmation of the Joint Plan, the Debtors' businesses will not involve rates established or approved by, or otherwise subject to, any governmental regulatory commission. Therefore, Bankruptcy Code section 1129(a)(6) is not applicable.

P. Best Interest of Creditors (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(7)). The Joint Plan satisfies Bankruptcy Code section 1129(a)(7). The Liquidation Analysis (as amended and filed with the Court prior to the Confirmation Hearing) and other evidence proffered or adduced at the

Confirmation Hearing (i) is persuasive and credible, (ii) has not been controverted by other evidence, and (iii) establishes that each Holder of an impaired Claim or Corporate Interest either has accepted the Joint Plan or will receive or retain under the Joint Plan, on account of such Claim or Corporate Interest, property of a value, as of the Effective Date, that is not less than the amount that such Holder would receive or retain if the Debtors were liquidated under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code on such date.

Q. Acceptance by Certain Classes (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(8)). Class 1 (Priority Non-Tax Claims), Class 2 (Alleged ServisFirst Secured Claim), Class 3 (Alleged CHS Secured Claim), and Class 4 (Secured Claims of Other Lienholders) are unimpaired and deemed to accept the Joint Plan. Class 5 (General Unsecured Claims) has voted to accept the Joint Plan in accordance with Bankruptcy Code section 1126(c). However, Bankruptcy Code section 1129(a)(8) has not been satisfied because Class 6 (Deficiency Claim of ServisFirst) and Class 7 (Deficiency Claim of CHS) rejected the Joint Plan pursuant to Bankruptcy Code section 1126(g), and Class 8 (Corporate Interests) is deemed to reject the Joint Plan. However, as set forth below, the Joint Plan is confirmable because it satisfies the nonconsensual confirmation requirements of Bankruptcy Code section 1129(b).

R. Treatment of Administrative Expense Claims and Certain Priority Claims (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(9)). The Plan provides for payment of Allowed Administrative Expense Claims, Allowed Priority Tax Claims, and Allowed Priority Non-Tax Claims in full. Accordingly, the treatment of such Claims satisfies Bankruptcy Code sections 1129(a)(9)(A), (B), (C), and (D), as applicable.

S. Acceptance by Impaired Classes (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(10)). At least one Class of Claims that is Impaired under the Joint Plan has accepted the Joint Plan, determined without

including any acceptance of the Joint Plan by an insider, thereby satisfying the requirements of Bankruptcy Code section 1129(a)(10).

T. Feasibility (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(11)). Confirmation of the Joint Plan is not likely to be followed by the liquidation of the Debtors other than as set forth in the Joint Plan itself, thereby satisfying Bankruptcy Code section 1129(a)(11).

U. Payment of Fees (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(12)). The Joint Plan provides that all fees due and payable pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1930 shall be payable by the Debtors within thirty (30) days after the Effective Date.

V. Inapplicable Provisions (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(13)–(15)). The Debtors (i) no longer maintain any retirement plans or other benefit obligations, (ii) do not have domestic support obligations, and (iii) are not individuals; accordingly, Bankruptcy Code sections 1129(a)(13)–(15) are not applicable to the Joint Plan.

W. Transfers of Property (11 U.S.C. § 1129(a)(16)). All transfers of property contemplated by the Joint Plan comply with applicable nonbankruptcy law by a corporation or trust that is not a moneyed, business, or commercial trust, thereby satisfying Bankruptcy Code section 1129(a)(16).

X. Fair and Equitable, No Unfair Discrimination (11 U.S.C. § 1129(b)). Based upon the evidence proffered, adduced, and presented by the Debtors at the Confirmation Hearing, the Joint Plan does not discriminate unfairly against, and is fair and equitable with respect to the Deemed to Reject Class, Class 6, and Class 7 as required by Bankruptcy Code section 1129(b)(1) and (b)(2) because, among other things, the placement of the Claims and Corporate Interests in those Classes are reasonable and necessary for the effectuation of the Joint Plan, and no Holders of Claims or Corporate Interests junior to the Holders in those Classes will receive or retain any

property under the Joint Plan. Therefore, the Joint Plan may be confirmed notwithstanding the rejection of the Joint Plan by the Deemed to Reject Class, Class 6, and Class 7.

Y. Only One Plan (11 U.S.C. § 1129(c)). The Joint Plan is the only plan filed in the Chapter 11 Cases, and accordingly, Bankruptcy Code section 1129(c) is inapplicable in the Chapter 11 Cases.

Z. Principal Purpose of the Plan (11 U.S.C. § 1129(d)). The principal purpose of the Joint Plan is not the avoidance of taxes or the avoidance of the application of Section 5 of the Securities Act of 1933, and no governmental unit has objected to the confirmation of the Joint Plan on any such grounds. Therefore, the Joint Plan satisfies the requirements of Bankruptcy Code section 1129(d).

AA. Good Faith Solicitation (11 U.S.C. § 1125(e)). Based on the record before the Court, the Debtors, the Committee, and each of the Debtors' and Committee's agents, successors, predecessors, control persons, members, officers, directors, employees, and agents and their respective attorneys, financial advisors, investment bankers, accountants, and other professionals retained by such persons, in each case have acted in "good faith" within the meaning of Bankruptcy Code section 1125(e) in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and any applicable nonbankruptcy law, rule, or regulation governing the adequacy of disclosure in connection with all their respective activities relating to the solicitation of acceptance to the Joint Plan and their participation in the activities described in Bankruptcy Code section 1125, and therefore are not, and on account of such offer, issuance, and solicitation will not be, liable at any time for the violation of any applicable law, rule, or regulation governing the solicitation of acceptance or rejections of the Joint Plan and are entitled to the protections afforded by Bankruptcy Code section 1125(e) and, solely to the extent



such parties are identified therein, the exculpation provisions found in Article XI.B of the Joint Plan.

BB. Implementation. All documents necessary to implement the Joint Plan, and all other relevant and necessary documents have been developed and negotiated in good faith and at arm's length and shall, upon completion of documentation and execution, and subject to the occurrence of the Effective Date, be valid, binding, and enforceable agreements and not be in conflict with any federal or state law.

CC. Limited Consolidation. The limited consolidation of the Estates pursuant to Article VII.P of the Joint Plan, and subject to Articles VII.E and VII.Q of the Joint Plan, is necessary and critical to implement the Joint Plan.

DD. Releases, Exculpations, and Injunctions. The Court has jurisdiction under 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334 to approve the releases, exculpations, and injunctions set forth in Article XI of the Joint Plan, including the releases set forth in Articles XI.C and XI.D of the Joint Plan, the exculpations set forth in Article XI.B of the Joint Plan, and the injunction set forth in Article XI.E of the Joint Plan. Pursuant to Bankruptcy Code sections 105(a) and 1123(b)(3), and Bankruptcy Rule 9019(a), approval of the releases, exculpations, and injunctions contained in the Joint Plan is warranted, as established by the record in the Chapter 11 Cases, because such provisions: (i) are essential to the formulation and implementation of the Joint Plan, (ii) confer substantial benefits on the Debtors' Estates, (iii) are fair, equitable, reasonable, and necessary under the circumstances, and (iv) are in the best interests of the Debtors and their Estates. Further, such releases, exculpations, and injunctions are (a) essential means of implementing the Joint Plan pursuant to Bankruptcy Code section 1123(a)(5), (b) in the best interests of the Debtors and their Estates, creditors, and interest holders, and (c) consistent with Bankruptcy

Code sections 105, 1123, 1129, and other applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code. The record of the Confirmation Hearing is sufficient to support the exculpation provision set forth in Article XI.B and the releases provided for in Article XI.C and XI.D, and the related injunction in Article XI.E. of the Joint Plan. Accordingly, based on the representations of the parties, and/or the evidence proffered, adduced, and/or presented and the Confirmation Hearing, this Court finds that the exculpation provisions set forth in Article XI.B, the releases set forth in Articles XI.C and XI.D, and the related injunction in Article XI.A, of the Joint Plan are consistent with the Bankruptcy Code and applicable law, as modified by this Confirmation Order.

EE. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Joint Plan or this Confirmation Order, the Debtors' directors and officers included in the Joint Plan's definition of "Released Parties" (as modified by this Confirmation Order) shall only be deemed released by the Debtors and the Estates from Claims, obligations, debts, rights, suits, damages, Causes of Action, remedies, and liabilities (i) to the extent the Debtors' directors and officers are immune from suit under T.C.A. § 48-58-601; (ii) for conflicted transactions solely to the extent consistent with and subject to T.C.A. § 48-58-702; and (iii) for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty solely to the extent eliminated, if at all, pursuant to the Debtors' charters and bylaws, consistent with and subject to the provisions of T.C.A. §§ 48-51-101 *et seq.* For the avoidance of doubt, the Debtors' directors and officers not included in the Joint Plan's definition of "Released Parties" (as modified by this Confirmation Order) are not deemed released pursuant to any terms of the Plan, any related documents, or this Confirmation Order.

FF. Based on the foregoing, the Joint Plan satisfies the requirements for confirmation set forth in Bankruptcy Code section 1129.

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED  
THAT:**

1. Record. The record of the Confirmation Hearing shall be and hereby is adopted by the Court and shall be and hereby is closed.

2. Notice of Confirmation Hearing. Notice of the Confirmation Hearing complied with the terms of the Disclosure Statement and Procedures Order, was appropriate and satisfactory based upon the circumstances of the Chapter 11 Cases, and was in compliance with the provisions of the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rules.

3. Solicitation. The solicitation of votes on the Joint Plan complied with the Disclosure Statement and Procedures Order, was appropriate and satisfactory based upon the circumstances of the Chapter 11 Cases, and was in compliance with the provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and applicable nonbankruptcy law.

4. Confirmation of the Joint Plan. The Joint Plan, attached hereto as Exhibit A and as modified by this Confirmation Order, and all exhibits thereto, including the Liquidating Trust Agreement, are approved in all respects. The terms of the Joint Plan are an integral part of this Confirmation Order.

5. Objections Resolved or Overruled. All Objections, responses, statements, and comments in opposition to the Joint Plan, other than those withdrawn, waived, settled prior to, or on the record at, the Confirmation Hearing, or resolved as set forth herein, shall be, and hereby are, overruled in their entirety.

6. HHS Objection. HHS Culinary & Nutritional Solutions, LLC (“**HHS Culinary**”) and HHS Environmental Services (“**HHS Environmental**,” together with HHS Culinary and

each of their affiliates, “HHS”) filed an objection to confirmation of the Joint Plan [Docket No. 947] (the “HHS Objection”). The HHS Objection shall be deemed withdrawn.

7. MDOM Objection. State of Mississippi, Mississippi Division of Medicaid (“MDOM”) filed an objection to confirmation of the Joint Plan [Docket No. 948] (the “MDOM Objection”). At the Confirmation Hearing, the Debtors, Committee, CHS, and MDOM announced that that they had reached a resolution with respect to the matters set forth in the MDOM Objection on the following terms, which, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Joint Plan and subject to entry of the Clarksdale Sale Order [Docket No. \*\*\*] and the occurrence of the Effective Date, shall be binding upon the Debtors, Committee, CHS, and MDOM:

- a. On the Effective Date, CHS or its affiliate Clarksdale HMA, LLC shall pay \$1,008,134.12 to MDOM in satisfaction of MDOM’s claim against the Debtors for failure to pay certain obligations, penalties, and interest owed to MDOM relating to the Clarksdale Hospital including but not limited to the MHAP, DSH, and Hospital Assessments (the “MDOM Obligations”) arising on or before December 31, 2018 (the “Effective Time”);
- b. CHS or its affiliate Clarksdale HMA, LLC shall pay to MDOM all MDOM Obligations owed in connection with the Clarksdale Hospital that have come due after the Effective Time and through May 9, 2019 in the total amount of \$914,880.76;
- c. The payments set forth in Paragraphs 7(a) and 7(b) above shall fully and completely satisfy all claims of MDOM relating to the Clarksdale Hospital though May 9, 2019;
- d. On the Effective Date, *The State of Mississippi Division of Medicaid’s Motion to (I) Approve its Administrative Expense, and Compel Payment Thereof, and (II) Upon Any Failure to Pay That the Debtors Be Required to Appear at a Hearing to Show Cause and for the Court to Hear and Consider Whether to Dismiss or Convert the Proceedings* (the “Dom Motion”) [Docket No. 758] and the *Joint Objection of the Debtors and Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors Opposing the State of Mississippi Division of Medicaid’s Motion and Joint Cross Motion of the Debtors and Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors Seeking (A) Payment of Actual Damages for the State of Mississippi Division of Medicaid’s Willful Violations of the Automatic Stay and (B) Turnover of*

*Estate Funds* [Docket No. 901] (the “**Cross Motion**”) shall be deemed dismissed with prejudice.

- e. Upon receipt of the payments set forth in Paragraphs 7(a) and 7(b) above, MDOM shall direct its CCOs to pay to Clarksdale HMA, LLC \$2,111,072.67, representing the MHAP/DSH payments related to the Clarksdale Hospital that are due through May 9, 2019 and shall continue to pay the MHAP payments to Clarksdale HMA, LLC going forward in accordance with state law. For the avoidance of doubt, nothing contained in this Confirmation Order shall create any contractual rights between MDOM and CHS or its affiliate Clarksdale HMA, LLC as to future obligations of the Clarksdale Hospital, if any, or as to the future payment obligations of MDOM, if any. In addition, MDOM shall promptly refund to Clarksdale HMA, LLC the amount of \$606,819.00 which was previously paid to MDOM by Clarksdale HMA, LLC (the “**Deposit Amount**”); provided, however, that CHS and/or Clarksdale HMA, LLC may elect to apply the Deposit Amount as a setoff against any future amounts owed to MDOM; and
- f. Upon the occurrence of the Effective Date, and excluding the obligations of the Debtors, MDOM, CHS and Clarksdale HMA, LLC (the “**Clarksdale MDOM Settling Parties**”) under this Confirmation Order, each of the Clarksdale MDOM Settling Parties irrevocably releases and discharges the others and each of their respective employees, agents, officers, directors, attorneys, representatives, independent contractors, subsidiaries, affiliates, assignees, licensees, predecessors, and successors in interest from any and all claims, demands, complaints, damages, suits, debts, dues, sums, controversies, liens, accounts, obligations, costs, expenses, accounts, promises, indemnifications, causes of action or actions, losses, and liabilities of every kind and nature whatsoever, whether at law or in equity, whether now known or unknown, liquidated or unliquidated, direct or indirect, due or to become due, contingent or otherwise, suspected or unsuspected, whether arising pre- or post-petition, of any kind, nature or priority, which they now have or hold, or at any time heretofore ever had or held, that were raised or could have been raised, pertaining to the MDOM Obligations with respect to the Clarksdale Hospital, including, but not limited to, any claims of the Clarksdale MDOM Settling Parties for unpaid MDOM Obligations relating to the Clarksdale Hospital, any claims relating to any payments by MDOM allegedly due or payable to the Debtor Clarksdale Regional Medical Center, Inc., or its estate or otherwise allegedly owed or payable to the Clarksdale Hospital or in relation to the Clarksdale Hospital.
- g. The findings of fact and conclusions of law set forth in the Court’s Order Pursuant to Rule 9019 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure Approving Amory Settlement Agreement and Batesville Settlement Agreement [Docket No. \*\*\*] are hereby incorporated into this Confirmation Order as if fully set forth herein.

8. Coahoma County Objection. Coahoma County, Mississippi (“**Coahoma County**”) filed an objection to confirmation of the Joint Plan [Docket No. 949] (the “**Coahoma County Objection**”). Notwithstanding any provision of the Joint Plan or this Confirmation Order, as set forth in the Clarksdale Sale Order [Docket No. \*\*\*] any Liens of Coahoma County on the Purchased Assets (as defined in the Clarksdale Sale Order) shall attach to the net proceeds of the sale of the Purchased Assets with the same effect, validity, enforceability, and priority as existed prior to the sale, subject to any and all rights, claims, defenses, and objections of the Debtors, the Debtors’ Estates, the Committee, and all interested parties with respect to such asserted Liens, and all such rights, claims, defenses and objections with respect to such asserted Liens are expressly reserved and preserved. The rights of Coahoma County with respect to any asserted Liens on the Purchased Assets are expressly reserved and preserved. This shall fully and finally resolve the Coahoma County Objection, which shall be deemed withdrawn.

9. United Objection. UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company (“**United**”) filed an objection to confirmation of the Joint Plan [Docket No. 950] (the “**United Objection**”). Notwithstanding anything in the Joint Plan or this Confirmation Order, United may set off or recoup any post-petition overpayments owed to it by the Debtors from any claims submitted to United by the Debtors or the Liquidating Trust for services rendered on or after the Petition Date as agreed to in that certain Stipulation Regarding Cure Amount as approved by this Court’s Agreed Order Resolving UnitedHealthcare Objection (the “**Stipulation**”) [Docket No. 697]. Nothing in the Joint Plan or Confirmation Order is intended to alter the terms of the Stipulation, which shall remain binding on United, the Debtors, and the Liquidating Trust. This shall fully and finally resolve the United Objection, which shall be deemed withdrawn.

10. CHS Objection. CHS/Community Health Systems, Inc. (“CHS”) filed an objection to confirmation of the Joint Plan [Docket No. 953] (the “**CHS Objection**”). At the Confirmation Hearing, the Debtors, Committee, and CHS announced that that they had reached a global resolution with CHS with respect to all matters between CHS and the Debtors, including but not limited to the matters set forth in the CHS Objection on the following terms, which, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Joint Plan and subject to entry of the Clarksdale Sale Order [Docket No. \*\*\*] and the occurrence of the Effective Date, shall be binding upon the Debtors, Committee, and CHS:

- a. Upon the Effective Date, CHS will pay to the Liquidating Trust established pursuant to the Joint Plan one lump sum cash payment of three million five hundred thousand dollars (\$3,500,000.00) (the “**CHS Settlement Payment**”).
- b. Effective upon receipt of the CHS Settlement Payment set forth in Paragraph 10(a) above, the Liquidating Trustee and Debtor Representative hereby fully and irrevocably release any and all actions, claims, counterclaims, cross-claims, causes of action, lawsuits, remedies, damages, liabilities, debts, suits, liens, demands, costs, expenses, fees, controversies, set-offs, third-party actions or proceedings (collectively, “Claims”), whether at law, equity, administrative, arbitration or otherwise, whether before a local, state, or federal court, or before a state or federal administrative agency or commission, whether now known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, accrued or unaccrued, liquidated or unliquidated, suspected or unsuspected, which the Liquidating Trustee, the Debtor Representative, or the Debtors’ bankruptcy estates may now have or has ever had or hereafter claims to have had against CHS and/or any of its past, present, and future predecessors, successors, assigns, agents, affiliates, employees and representatives, including without limitation, any Claims relating to CHS’s sales of any hospital(s) or physician practices to the Debtors, any Claims under any Transition Services Agreement or any other agreement between CHS or its affiliates and any of the Debtors, and any and all claims arising under Chapter 5 of title 11 of the United States Code, excluding only claims arising under this Confirmation Order, the Clarksdale Interim Management Services Agreement, and the Clarksdale APA.
- c. CHS will provide reasonable cooperation to the Liquidating Trustee in connection with the wind down of the Debtors’ estates, the administration

of the Liquidating Trust, and prosecution of causes of action by the Liquidating Trustee against third parties.

The Treatment of Classes 3 and 7 under the Joint Plan shall be and hereby is modified to provide that neither Class 3 nor Class 7 shall receive any distribution under the Joint Plan because the Class 3 and Class 7 Claims of CHS are disputed by the Debtors and the Committee. This shall fully and finally resolve the CHS Objection, which shall be deemed withdrawn. The modification of the Treatment of Classes 3 and 7 set forth in this Confirmation Order shall not constitute: (1) an exchange, extension of the time of payment of, or set off of any loans owed by Debtors to CHS; or (2) an amendment, alteration, or modification of any payment provisions, whether in amount, timing or otherwise, of any documents or instruments evidencing or executed in connection with any loans owed by Debtors to CHS, and therefore is neither inconsistent with nor violative of the Debt Subordination Agreement dated May 1, 2017 between ServisFirst Bank and CHS (the “Subordination Agreement”). At the Confirmation Hearing, ServisFirst Bank expressly consented to the treatment of CHS’s claim(s) as provided herein and agreed that the settlement embodied herein and the treatment of CHS’s claim in connection therewith does not violate or breach the Subordination Agreement. ServisFirst Bank further consented to the full and complete release of any and all claims against CHS. Accordingly ServisFirst Bank is hereby deemed to join in the full and complete release of any and all claims against CHS set forth above.

11. CHS Settlement Payment Free and Clear. The Court hereby finds and determines that the \$3.5 million CHS Settlement Payment referenced in Paragraph 10(a) of this Confirmation Order is made by CHS to the Liquidating Trust on account of claims and causes of action of the Debtors arising under Chapter 5 of the Bankruptcy Code and/or avoidance claims and causes of action arising under state or federal law. Pursuant to the Expedited Agreed Order



(I) Authorizing the Use of Cash Collateral, (II) Granting Adequate Protection, (III) Modifying the Automatic Stay, and (IV) Granting Related Relief [Docket No. 973] (the “**Cash Collateral Order**”) and other Orders of this Court, because the CHS Settlement Payment constitutes proceeds of these Chapter 5 causes of action and/or avoidance claims, ServisFirst Bank does not have any Replacement Lien (as defined in the Cash Collateral), lien, claim, or any other interest whatsoever in the CHS Settlement Payment. For the avoidance of doubt, the CHS Settlement Payment shall be paid to the Liquidating Trustee free and clear of any and all liens, claims, encumbrances, or interest whatsoever, including, without limitation, any lien, claim, encumbrance, or interest of ServisFirst Bank. All objections, reservations of rights, or statements by ServisFirst made at the Confirmation Hearing to the contrary are hereby expressly overruled and rejected.

12. DSRF Order. Notwithstanding anything in the Joint Plan or the Disclosure Statement to the contrary, paragraph 3 of the *Expedited Order (I) Authorizing the Debtors to Enter into the Member Substitution Agreement with Respect to the Russellville Hospital and (II) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. 511] is superseded by the *Expedited Agreed Interim Order (I) Authorizing Debtors to Pay the DIP Obligations, (II) Authorizing the Use of Cash Collateral, (III) Granting Adequate Protection, (IV) Modifying the Automatic Stay, and (V) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. 899] solely with respect to treatment and distribution of the DSRF.

13. Medhost RC Agreements. Notwithstanding Article IV.A.1.a of the Joint Plan, the Debtors’ revenue cycle service provider, MEDHOST of Tennessee, Inc. (“**Medhost**”), may continue to provide and bill for revenue cycle services under existing agreements with the Debtors without being required to file a request for payment of its administrative expense claims. Further, notwithstanding Article VI.D of the Joint Plan, this Confirmation Order does not

constitute a determination that no default by the Debtors exists with respect to the MedHost RC Agreements.

14. Definition of Released Parties. The definition of “**Released Parties**” in the Joint Plan is replaced with the following:

“**Released Parties**” means, individually and collectively, in each case solely in their capacity as such, each and all of: (a) the Debtors’ current Professionals; (b) the Debtors’ directors and officers who are serving in such capacity as of the Petition Date; (c) the Committee and members of the Committee in their capacity as members of the Committee; and (d) the patient care ombudsman. With respect to each of the foregoing identified in subsections (c) and (d), each and all of their respective Professionals.

15. Termination and Discharge of the Patient Care Ombudsman. On the Effective Date, Suzanne Koenig, the Patient Care Ombudsman appointed in the Chapter 11 Cases, shall be discharged and relieved from her duties and responsibilities as Patient Care Ombudsman in the Chapter 11 Cases. Neither the Patient Care Ombudsman nor the Patient Care Ombudsman’s Professionals shall have any liability with respect to any act or omission, statement or representation arising out of, relating to, or involving in any way, the Patient Care Ombudsman’s evaluations, her reports or any pleadings or other writings filed by the Patient Care Ombudsman in connection with the Chapter 11 Cases other than acts or omissions involving or arising out of gross negligence or willful misconduct. Prior to issuing or serving upon the Patient Care Ombudsman or the Patient Care Ombudsman’s Professionals any formal or informal discovery request, including, but not limited to, any subpoena, requests for production of documents, requests for admission, interrogatories, subpoena *duces tecum*, requests for testimony, or any other discovery of any kind whatsoever in any way related to the Debtors, the Chapter 11 Cases, the Patient Care Ombudsman’s evaluations or the Patient Care Ombudsman’s reports (the “**Discovery**”), any creditor or party in interest to these Chapter 11 Cases must first file an

appropriate pleading with the Bankruptcy Court to request permission to initiate the Discovery. The Patient Care Ombudsman and the Patient Care Ombudsman's Professionals are authorized to dispose of or destroy any documents provided by the Debtors or any third parties to the Patient Care Ombudsman, if any, in the course of her evaluation, in accordance with their respective document retention policies or applicable law, if any.

16. Binding Effect. On the date of and following entry of this Confirmation Order and subject to the occurrence of the Effective Date, the provisions of the Joint Plan shall be binding on the Debtors, the Estates, all Holders of Claims and Corporate Interests (irrespective of whether such Claims or Corporate Interests are Impaired under the Joint Plan or whether the Holders of such Claims or Corporate Interests have accepted the Joint Plan), any and all non-Debtor parties to executory contracts and unexpired leases with the Debtors, any other party in interests in the Chapter 11 Cases, and the respective heirs, executors, administrators, successors, or assigns, if any, of any of the foregoing.

17. Vesting of Assets. As of the Effective Date, pursuant to Bankruptcy Code section 1141(b) and (c), the Liquidating Trust Assets (other than the D&O Claims and Tort Claims, which shall revert in the applicable Debtor(s) and may be pursued by the Debtor Representative) shall vest in the Liquidating Trust free and clear of all Claims, liens, encumbrances, charges, membership interests, and other interests, except as otherwise provided in the Joint Plan, this Confirmation Order, or other final order of this Court in these Chapter 11 Cases, and subject to the terms and conditions of the Joint Plan and this Confirmation Order. The Debtors, Committee, and Liquidating Trustee shall have the power and authority to enter into the Liquidating Trust Agreement on the Effective Date.

18. Release of Liens and Collateral. Except as otherwise provided in the Joint Plan or in this Confirmation Order, on the Effective Date, all mortgages, deeds of trust, Liens, or other security interests against any of the Assets transferred to the Liquidating Trust or revested in the Debtors will be fully released, satisfied, and discharged, and all right, title, and interest of any holder of any such mortgages, deeds of trust, Liens, or other security interests will revert to the Liquidating Trust or the Debtors, as applicable. Except as provided in the Joint Plan or this Confirmation Order, unless a particular Secured Claim is reinstated: (i) each Holder of a Secured Claim or a Claim that is purportedly a Secured Claim shall (a) turn over and release to the Liquidating Trust or Debtors, as applicable, any and all property of the Debtors that secures or purportedly secures its Claim and (b) execute such documents and instruments as the Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative, as applicable, may reasonably require to evidence the Holder's release of such property; and (ii) on the Effective Date, all Claims, right, title, and interest in such property shall be transferred to or vest in the Liquidating Trust or revert in the Debtors, as applicable, free and clear of all Claims, including, Liens, charges, pledges, interests, encumbrances, security interests, and any other interests of any kind. The transfer of Assets and the revesting of Assets provided for herein shall constitute legal and valid transfers in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations.

19. Implementation of the Joint Plan. The Debtors, the Committee, and Liquidating Trustee are hereby authorized to execute deliver, file, or record such documents, contracts, instruments, releases, and other agreements, and take such other actions as may be necessary to effectuate, implement, and further evidence the terms and conditions of the Joint Plan.

20. Liquidating Trust. On the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trust will be established pursuant to and in accordance with the terms of the Joint Plan and the Liquidating Trust

Agreement. Steven D. Sass, Esq. is appointed as the Liquidating Trustee as of the date of execution of the Liquidating Trust Agreement. Except as to the D&O Claims and the Tort Claims, the Liquidating Trustee is the successor in interest to the Debtors and the Committee and shall have such powers, duties, and responsibilities as is provided for in the Joint Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement and shall be compensated in accordance with the Joint Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

21. Debtor Representative. On the Effective Date, the Debtor Representative shall be deemed appointed pursuant to section 1123(b)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code and vested with all power and authority granted to the Debtor Representative pursuant to the Joint Plan. Steven D. Sass, Esq., is appointed as the Debtor Representative as of the Effective Date of the Plan. On the Effective Date, the Estates' interests in any D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and rights in and proceeds of any Insurance Policies necessary for the prosecution of all such Causes of Action shall revert in the Debtors.

22. Dissolution of Debtors' Boards of Directors and/or Trustees. On the Effective Date, the Debtors' boards of directors and/or trustees, as applicable, shall be dissolved and the then-current officers of the Debtors and members of the boards of directors and/or trustees of the Debtors shall be relieved of their positions and corresponding duties and obligations; provided, however, that the Debtor Representative shall be responsible for effectuating transfers of Assets in accordance with the Joint Plan and otherwise satisfying the Debtors' obligations under the terms of the Joint Plan.

23. Dissolution of Committee. On the Effective Date, the Committee shall be deemed dissolved pursuant to Article VI.J of the Joint Plan. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set

forth in the Joint Plan, due to insufficient interest by creditors in serving on the POC, no POC shall be formed.

24. Insurance Policies. The Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative (as applicable) shall be granted standing, authority, power and right to assert, prosecute and/or settle Claims of the Liquidating Trust Estate and/or make a claim under any primary director and officer liability, employment practices liability, or fiduciary liability Insurance Policies based upon its powers as a Court-appointed representative of the Estates with the same or similar abilities possessed by insolvency trustees, receivers, examiners, conservators, liquidators, rehabilitators or similar officials.

25. Substantive Consolidation. As of the Effective Date, and solely for the purposes of the Chapter 11 Cases, the Liquidating Trustee shall have the right and authority to apply to the Bankruptcy Court for a substantive consolidation of the Debtors' Estates in the event that grounds for such substantive consolidation exist.

26. Rejection of Executory Contracts. Except as set forth in the Joint Plan or this Confirmation Order, as of the Effective Date, each Executory Contract to which any of the Debtors is a party is hereby rejected as of the Effective Date unless previously assumed and/or assigned (including in connection with the Panola Sale Order [Docket No. 694], the Gilmore Sale Order [Docket No. 506], or the Clarksdale Sale Order [Docket No. \*\*\*] (collectively, the "**Sale Orders**")), subject to a pending motion to assume and/or assign (including as set forth in the Clarksdale Sale Motion), or rejected before the Effective Date. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth herein or in the Joint Plan, in the event CHS determines to reject any executory contract up to and including 30 days after the Closing Date (as defined in the Clarksdale Sale Order) as provided in Section 2.5 of the Clarksdale APA, such contract shall be

deemed rejected as of the date CHS provides notice of the contract counterparty of such rejection and CHS shall be responsible for payment of any and all amounts and obligations accruing under such contract between the Effective Date of the IMSA through the date of rejection.

27. Conditions to Effectiveness. The Joint Plan shall not become effective unless the conditions set forth in Article XII of the Joint Plan have been satisfied or waived.

28. Plan Modifications. The modifications to the Plan set forth in this Confirmation Order were announced on the record at the Confirmation Hearing, approved by the Court, and comply with Section 1127 and other applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, including all notice requirements thereof, and no further notice was required.

29. Professional Compensation. Except as provided in the Joint Plan, all Professionals shall file with the Court applications for compensation within sixty (60) days after the Effective Date. Upon the Effective Date, any requirement that Professionals comply with Bankruptcy Code sections 327 through 331 in seeking retention or compensation for services rendered after such date shall terminate, and Professionals may be employed and paid in the ordinary course of business without any further notice to, or action, order, or approval of, the Court. Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims shall be paid in accordance with Article IV of the Joint Plan.

30. The Debtor's Professionals shall be required to hold and apply any retainers currently on hand (if any) to their respective Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claim, to the extent such Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claim becomes an Allowed Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claim and/or payable in accordance with any Final Order awarding and allowing such Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claim. Application of such retainer shall be required prior to the payment of

any portion of such Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims by the Liquidating Trustee. To the extent there remain any funds on retainer after application of such Allowed Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claim, such retainers shall be promptly turned over to the Liquidating Trustee.

31. Claim Bar Dates. Any Claim subject to any Bar Date not filed by the applicable Bar Date is and shall continue to be, in accordance with such Bar Date, forever barred, released, satisfied, discharged, disallowed, and expunged by operation of this Confirmation Order, and any such Claim filed after the entry of this Confirmation Order shall automatically be deemed forever barred, released, satisfied, discharged, disallowed, and expunged without the need for further application to or Order of the Court. Nothing in the Confirmation Order shall be deemed to extend or modify the Bar Date for filing any Claim.

32. Binding Exculpation Provision. All exculpation provisions contained herein and/or in the Joint Plan, including, but not limited to those contained in Article XI.B of the Joint Plan, are approved and shall be effective and binding on all persons and entities, to the extent provided therein.

33. Binding Release Provisions. All release provisions contained herein and/or in the Joint Plan, including, but not limited to those contained in Article XI.C of the Joint Plan, are approved and shall be effective and binding on all persons and entities, to the extent provided therein; *provided, however*, that no provision of the Joint Plan or this Confirmation Order shall be construed to grant a discharge pursuant to Bankruptcy Code section 1141(d).

34. Injunctions. Except as otherwise provided in the Joint Plan or to the extent necessary to enforce the terms and conditions of the Joint Plan, this Confirmation Order, or a separate order of the Bankruptcy Court, all entities who have held, hold, or may hold Claims



against or Equity Interests in the Debtors shall be permanently enjoined from taking any of the following actions against any property that is to be distributed under the terms of the Joint Plan on account of any such Claims or Equity Interests: (a) commencing or continuing, in any manner or in any place, any action or other proceeding; (b) enforcing, attaching, collecting, or recovering in any manner any judgment, award, decree, or order; (c) creating, perfecting, or enforcing any lien or encumbrance; (d) asserting a setoff, right, subrogation, or recoupment of any kind against any debt, liability, or obligation due to the Debtors; and (e) commencing or continuing, in any manner or in any place, any action that does not comply with or is inconsistent with the provisions of the Joint Plan; *provided, however*, that such entities shall not be precluded from exercising their rights pursuant to and consistent with the terms of the Joint Plan or the Confirmation Order; *provided, further*, that the foregoing shall not apply to any acts, omissions, claims, causes of action or other obligations expressly provided for and preserved by the Joint Plan or any defenses thereto. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing herein shall be otherwise deemed to modify, limit, amend or supersede any injunctions or stays granted in the Sale Orders.

35. Preservation of Causes of Action. Except as otherwise expressly provided in the Joint Plan or any Final Order of this Court, any and all Claims and Causes of Action of the Debtors or their Estates shall be and are hereby preserved, including as set forth in paragraphs J.7.(vi)-(x) above.

36. Reservation of Rights. Except as expressly set forth herein, the Joint Plan shall have no force or effect until the Effective Date. None of the filing of the Joint Plan, any statement or provision contained herein, or the taking of any action by the Debtors with respect to the Joint Plan shall be or shall be deemed to be an admission or waiver of any rights of the Debtors, the Committee, or Holders of Claims or Interests before the Effective Date.

37. Payment of Statutory Fees. All fees payable pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1930, as determined by the Court, shall be paid for each quarter (including any fraction thereof) by the Liquidating Trustee, as applicable, until the earlier of the time that a particular case is converted, dismissed, or closed.

38. Retention of Jurisdiction. On and after the Effective Date, the Court shall retain jurisdiction, to the fullest extent possible under law, over all matters arising in, arising under, and related to the Chapter 11 Cases, the Joint Plan, and the Liquidating Trust Agreement for, among other things:

- a. To determine the type, allowance, and payment of any Claims upon any objections thereto (or other appropriate proceedings) by the Liquidating Trustee or any other party-in-interest entitled to proceed in that manner;
- b. Except as otherwise limited in the Joint Plan, to recover all Assets of the Debtors and property of the Debtors' Estates, wherever located;
- c. To hear and determine any issue arising under the Joint Plan; provided, however, any action, controversy, dispute, claim, or question arising out of or relating to the right of any party to enforce, contest, and/or litigate the existence, primacy, and/or scope of available coverage and/or any defenses to coverage under the Insurance Policies shall be referred to and resolved solely in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Insurance Policies and applicable non-bankruptcy law, including, but not limited to, any choice of law, forum, or jurisdiction provision therein;
- d. To hear and determine matters concerning state, local, and federal taxes in accordance with sections 346, 505, and 1146 of the Bankruptcy Code;
- e. To hear any other matter not inconsistent with the Bankruptcy Code;
- f. To enter a final decree closing the Chapter 11 Cases;
- g. To ensure that distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims are accomplished pursuant to the provisions of the Joint Plan;
- h. To decide or resolve any motions, adversary proceedings, contested or litigated matters, and any other matters and grant or deny any applications involving the Debtors that may be pending on or instituted by the Liquidating Trustee after the Effective Date;

- i. To issue injunctions, enter and implement other Orders, or take such other actions as may be necessary or appropriate to restrain interference by any Person or Entity with the occurrence of the Effective Date or enforcement of the Plan, except as otherwise provided herein;
- j. To determine any other matters that may arise in connection with or relate to the Joint Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the Confirmation Order, or any contract, instrument, release, indenture, or other agreement or document created in connection with the Joint Plan or Disclosure Statement;
- k. To enforce, interpret, and determine any disputes arising in connection with any stipulations, Orders, judgments, injunctions, releases, exculpations, indemnifications, and rulings entered in connection with the Chapter 11 Cases (whether or not the Chapter 11 Cases have been closed);
- l. To adjudicate any adversary proceeding or other proceeding which may be commenced against any Person or Entity arising from, related to, or in connection with (i) any Chapter 5 Action; (ii) the D&O Claims; (iii) the Tort Claims; and (iv) claims against third parties relating to the facts and circumstances surrounding the same; provided, however, that nothing in the Joint Plan or the Confirmation Order shall vest the Bankruptcy Court with exclusive jurisdiction over any claims identified in subclauses (ii) through (iv) of this subparagraph (l) or over any dispute relating to coverage under the D&O Policies;
- m. To resolve disputes concerning any reserves with respect to Disputed Claims or the administration thereof;
- n. To resolve any disputes concerning whether a Person or Entity had sufficient notice of the Chapter 11 Cases, the applicable Bar Date, the hearing on the approval of the Disclosure Statement as containing adequate information, the hearing on the confirmation of the Joint Plan for the purpose of determining whether a Claim is discharged hereunder, or for any other purpose.
- o. All purposes set forth in the Joint Plan.

39. Provisions of the Joint Plan and Confirmation Order Non-Severable and Mutually Dependent. The provisions of the Joint Plan and this Confirmation Order, including the findings of fact and conclusions of law as set forth herein, are non-severable and mutually dependent.

40. Governing Law. Except to the extent that the Bankruptcy Code or federal law is applicable, the rights, duties, and obligations arising under the Joint Plan shall be governed by,

and construed and enforced in accordance with, the laws of the State of Tennessee, without giving effect to the principles or conflicts of law thereof.

41. Applicable Nonbankruptcy Law. Pursuant to Bankruptcy Code section 1123(a) and 1142(a), the provisions of this Confirmation Order, the Joint Plan and related documents or any amendments or modifications thereto shall apply and be enforceable notwithstanding any otherwise applicable nonbankruptcy law.

42. Documents and Instruments. Each federal, state, commonwealth, local, foreign, or other governmental agency is hereby authorized to accept any and all documents and instruments necessary or appropriate to effectuate, implement or consummate the transactions contemplated by the Joint Plan and this Confirmation Order.

43. Governmental Approvals Not Required. This Confirmation Order shall constitute all approvals and consents required, if any, by the laws, rules, or regulations of any state or other governmental authority with respect to the implementation or consummation of the Joint Plan, any documents, instruments, or agreements, and any amendments or modifications thereto, and any other acts referred to in, or contemplated by, the Joint Plan.

44. Substantial Consummation. The substantial consummation of the Joint Plan, within the meaning of Bankruptcy Code section 1127, shall be deemed to have occurred on the Effective Date.

45. Notice of Entry of Confirmation Order and Effective Date. The form of notice of Effective Date and entry of this Confirmation Order, attached hereto as Exhibit B (the “**Effective Date Notice**”), provides adequate and reasonable notice and is hereby approved. As soon as practicable after the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall file and serve the Effective Date Notice on the following parties: (i) all parties filing a notice of appearance and request for

service pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002 in the Chapter 11 Cases; (ii) state, provincial, and local taxing authorities in which the Debtors did business; (iii) the Internal Revenue Service; (iv) the Securities and Exchange Commission; (v) the United States Attorney for the District of Tennessee; (vi) Holders of Claims or Corporate Interests; (vii) all counterparties to executory contracts and unexpired leases with the Debtors; (viii) the U.S. Trustee; and (ix) all persons or entities listed on the Debtors' creditor mailing matrix.

46. For the avoidance of doubt, nothing in the Joint Plan or this Confirmation Order shall (a) be deemed to release, exculpate, discharge or otherwise waive any Chapter 5 Actions or any other Claims or Causes of Action preserved by the Joint Plan; (b) contravene, reverse, override, or otherwise change the terms, conditions, decretals, orders, mandates, claims, interests, priorities, or other provisions previously approved by the Bankruptcy Court as set forth in the Sale Orders, as amended or modified; or (c) be deemed to alter, modify, or expand in any way the rights or immunities set forth in the Nonprofit Act, including, but not limited to, sections 48-58-601 and 48-58-702.

47. Waiver of Stay. The stay of this Confirmation Order provided by any Bankruptcy Rule (including, without limitation, Bankruptcy Rules 3020(e), 6004(h), and 6006(d)), whether for fourteen (14) days or otherwise, is hereby waived, and this Confirmation Order shall be effective and enforceable immediately upon its entry by the Court.

48. Inconsistency. To the extent of any inconsistency between this Confirmation Order and the Joint Plan, this Confirmation Order shall govern.

49. No Waiver. The failure to specifically include any particular provision of the Joint Plan in this Confirmation Order shall not diminish the effectiveness of such provision nor

constitute a waiver thereof, it being the intent of this Court that the Joint Plan is confirmed in its entirety and incorporated herein by reference.

**THIS ORDER WAS SIGNED AND ENTERED ELECTRONICALLY AS INDICATED AT THE TOP OF THE FIRST PAGE**

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**Exhibit A**

**Joint Plan**

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IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
NASHVILLE DIVISION

In re:

Curae Health, Inc., *et al.*<sup>1</sup>

1721 Midpark Road, Suite B200  
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Debtors.

Chapter 11  
Lead Case No. 18-05665

Judge Walker

Jointly Administered

**JOINT CHAPTER 11 PLAN OF LIQUIDATION**

<sup>1</sup> The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are Curae Health, Inc. (5638); Amory Regional Medical Center, Inc. (2640); Batesville Regional Medical Center, Inc. (7929); and Clarksdale Regional Medical Center, Inc. (4755); Amory Regional Physicians, LLC (5044); Batesville Regional Physicians, LLC (4952); Clarksdale Regional Physicians, LLC (5311).

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## I.

### INTRODUCTION<sup>2</sup>

Curae Health, Inc., *et al.* (collectively, as defined herein the “Debtors”), the debtors-in-possession in the above-captioned chapter 11 cases, and the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors (the “Committee”) appointed in these cases jointly propose the following plan of liquidation (as defined herein, the “Plan”) pursuant to the provisions of chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code.

Pursuant to the Plan, the Debtors and the Committee (collectively, the “Plan Proponents”) propose an orderly liquidation of the Debtors’ remaining Assets. The Plan provides that all funds realized from the collection and liquidation of the Debtors’ Assets will be paid to Creditors on account of their Allowed Claims in accordance with the distributive priorities of the Bankruptcy Code and this Plan. The Plan Proponents propose to implement the Plan by establishing, *inter alia*, a Liquidating Trust that will be administered by the Liquidating Trustee. On the Effective Date, certain of the Debtors’ Assets will be transferred to the Liquidating Trust for the benefit of Creditors and certain assets will be administered in the first instance by a Debtor Representative. Thereafter, the Liquidating Trustee will be responsible for liquidating the Assets, including the proceeds of assets administered by the Debtor Representative, and making distributions to Creditors in accordance with the terms of the Plan.

Transmitted with this Plan is a copy of the Disclosure Statement required by section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code (as defined herein, together with its exhibits and as amended from time to time, the “Disclosure Statement”). The Disclosure Statement is provided to help Creditors understand this Plan. The Disclosure Statement contains, among other things, a discussion of the Debtors’ history, business and operations, risk factors, and other related matters. The Disclosure Statement also provides a summary of this Plan. All Creditors and other parties-in-interest are encouraged to carefully review the Disclosure Statement prepared by the Plan Proponents before voting to accept or reject this Plan.

The Plan Proponents urge all Creditors and other parties-in-interest to read this Plan and the Disclosure Statement in their entirety. No solicitation materials other than the Disclosure Statement and any documents, schedules, exhibits, or letters attached thereto or referenced therein have been authorized by the Plan Proponents or the Bankruptcy Court for use in soliciting acceptances or rejections of this Plan.

The Voting Deadline to accept or reject this Plan will be set by order of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Middle District of Tennessee.

The Plan Proponents believe that this Plan will enable the Estates to efficiently liquidate their Assets for the benefit of the Creditors and accomplish the objectives of chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code. The Plan Proponents further believe the Plan presents the most advantageous outcome for all the Debtors’ Creditors and, therefore, confirmation of the Plan is in the best

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<sup>2</sup> Any capitalized terms otherwise undefined in this Introduction shall have the meanings subsequently ascribed to them in this Plan.

interests of the Estates. The Plan Proponents accordingly recommend that Creditors vote to accept the Plan.

## II.

### DEFINITIONS AND RULES OF CONSTRUCTION

#### A. Definitions

In addition to such other terms as are defined in other sections of the Plan, the following terms (which appear in the Plan as capitalized terms) have the following meanings as used in the Plan:

**“Administrative Bar Date”** means, and is hereby established as, sixty (60) days after the Effective Date, or such other date that is established by Order of the Bankruptcy Court, and is the date by which requests for payment of Administrative Expense Claims other than Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims and Section 503(b)(9) Claims must be filed, subject to any exceptions specifically set forth in this Plan.

**“Administrative Expense Claim”** means any Claim entitled to priority under sections 503(b) and 507(a)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code, including: (i) the actual and necessary costs and expenses incurred after the Petition Date through the Effective Date of preserving the Estates; (ii) Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims; (iii) Section 503(b)(9) Claims; and (iv) all fees and charges assessed against the Estates arising under 28 U.S.C. § 1930.

**“Alleged CHS Secured Claim”** means any Secured Claim of CHS asserted against any Debtor.

**“Alleged ServisFirst Secured Claim”** means any Secured Claim asserted by ServisFirst against any Debtor, including in its proof of claim identified as claim number 65-00122 on the Claims Register.

**“Allowed”** means, with respect to a Claim against a Debtor, (i) a Claim that is (a) listed in the Schedules as of the Effective Date as neither disputed, contingent, nor unliquidated, or (b) evidenced by a valid Proof of Claim or request for payment of Administrative Expense Claim, as applicable, filed by the applicable Bar Date, and as to which no Debtor or other authorized party-in-interest has filed an objection to the allowance thereof by the deadline to object to Claims established by this Plan; or (ii) a Claim that is deemed “Allowed” under the Plan or by any stipulation or settlement approved by, or Final Order of, the Bankruptcy Court; provided, however, that any Claim allowed pursuant to an Order of the Bankruptcy Court or an express agreement between the Holder of such Claim and the Debtors, in consultation with the Committee, solely for the purpose of voting to accept or reject the Plan will not be considered an “Allowed” Claim under the Plan; provided further, however, that any Claim expunged or disallowed under the Plan, by Order of the Bankruptcy Court, or otherwise shall not be an Allowed Claim. If a Claim is Allowed only in part, references to “Allowed” Claims in this Plan include, and are limited to, the portion of such Claim that is Allowed. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, no Claim that is disallowed in accordance with section 502(d) of the

Bankruptcy Code is Allowed, and each such Claim shall be expunged without further action by the Debtors, and without further notice to any party, or action, approval, or Order of the Bankruptcy Court.

**“Amory Medical”** means Amory Regional Medical Center, Inc.

**“Amory Physicians”** means Amory Regional Physicians, LLC.

**“Assets”** means each and every item of property and interest of the Debtors or their Estates as of the Effective Date, whether tangible or intangible, legal or equitable, liquidated or unliquidated, and includes, without limitation, (i) any property and interests excluded from any Sale; (ii) all accounts receivable of the Debtors; (iii) the DSRF; (iv) any Russellville DSH/UPL Payments; and (v) all Cash (including, without limitation, all proceeds of any Sale), Chapter 5 Actions, accounts receivable, rights in and proceeds of Insurance Policies applicable to any of the Debtors, and any other rights, privileges, deferred taxes, Claims, Causes of Action, or defenses of the Debtors and their Estates, whether arising by statute or common law, and whether arising under the laws of the United States, other countries, or applicable state or local law.

**“Bankruptcy Code”** means title 11 of the United States Code, 11 U.S.C. §§ 101 *et seq.*

**“Bankruptcy Court”** means the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Middle District of Tennessee.

**“Bankruptcy Rules”** means the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, as applicable to the Chapter 11 Cases, promulgated under 28 U.S.C. § 2075, and the general, local, and chambers rules of the Bankruptcy Court, as the context may require.

**“Bar Date”** means, collectively or individually, as applicable, (i) the Administrative Bar Date; (ii) any deadline for filing proofs of claim for damages arising from the rejection of Executory Contracts, under section VI(B) of this Plan or otherwise; (iii) any deadline for filing proofs of claim established by the General Bar Date Order; and (iv) any other deadline for filing proofs of claim established in the Chapter 11 Cases by the Plan or any Order of the Bankruptcy Court.

**“Batesville Medical”** means Batesville Regional Medical Center, Inc.

**“Batesville Physicians”** means Batesville Regional Physicians, LLC.

**“Beneficiary”** means a “beneficiary,” as defined in the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

**“BMC Group”** means BMC Group, Inc.

**“Business Day”** means any day that is not a Saturday, Sunday, or “legal holiday” as defined in Bankruptcy Rule 9006(a).



“**Cash**” means cash constituting legal tender of the United States of America, cash equivalents and other readily marketable direct obligations of the United States of America, and fully FDIC-insured certificates of deposit issued by a bank.

“**Causes of Action**” means any and all Claims, actions, causes of action, choses in action, rights, demands, suits, liabilities, encumbrances, lawsuits, adverse consequences, debts, damages, dues, sums of money, accounts, reckonings, deficiencies, bonds, bills, disbursements, expenses, losses, specialties, covenants, contracts, controversies, agreements, promises, variances, trespasses, judgments, remedies, rights of setoff, rights of recoupment, third-party claims, subrogation claims, contribution claims, reimbursement claims, indemnity claims, counterclaims, and cross-claims (including those of the Debtors and/or the Estates), whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, suspected or unsuspected, liquidated or unliquidated, fixed or contingent, matured or unmatured, disputed or undisputed, and whether held in a personal or representative capacity, that are or may be pending as of the Effective Date or instituted hereafter against any Entity, based in law or equity, including under the Bankruptcy Code or any under any other federal or state statute, whether direct, indirect, derivative, or otherwise, and whether asserted or unasserted as of the Effective Date, including, without limitation, (i) the right to object to, challenge or otherwise contest any Claims, whether or not any such Claim is the subject of a proof of claim; (ii) all Claims, causes of action (avoidance actions or otherwise), objections, rights, and remedies arising under Chapter 5 of the Bankruptcy Code pursuant to, among others, sections 502, 510, 542 through 545 and 547 through 553 or 558 thereof, including all Chapter 5 Actions, or similar or equivalent Claims, causes of action, objections, rights, and remedies arising under state law; (iii) all Tort Claims and D&O Claims; (iv) Claims under any Insurance Policies applicable to the Debtors; (v) all Claims of any kind or nature arising under state or federal law against any of the Debtors’ consultants, managers (current or past), advisors, auditors, or other professionals relating to services rendered prior to the Petition Date; (vi) all Claims, causes of action, and other rights (including rights to challenge any asserted Lien) of any kind or nature against any Creditor asserting secured claim in these cases, other than Claims or Causes of Action released or otherwise waived during the cases; (vii) all legal and equitable defenses against any Claim or Cause of Action asserted against the Debtors; (viii) all Claims, causes of action, and other rights (including rights to challenge any asserted Lien) of any kind or nature against any Creditor asserting secured claim in these cases, other than Claims or Causes of Action released or otherwise waived during the cases; (ix) all Claims and/or Causes of Action of any kind or nature arising under state or federal law arising under a theory of negligence, professional negligence, and/or malpractice; (x) all Claims and/or Causes of Action of any kind or nature arising under state or federal law arising under based upon the formation and capitalization of the Debtors; (xi) all Claims and/or Causes of Action of any kind or nature arising state law based fraudulent conveyance theories; and (xii) all Claims and/or Causes of Action of any kind or nature arising from the payment and/or repayment of Claims by and/or to any Affiliate of any Debtor herein. The foregoing definition shall be construed in accordance with its broadest possible meaning, and any doubts or ambiguities shall be resolved in favor of inclusivity. **Except as otherwise expressly provided in the Plan, any and all Causes of Action are preserved under the Plan.**

“**Chapter 5 Actions**” means any and all Claims arising under Chapter 5 of the Bankruptcy Code and any and all fraudulent conveyance, voidable preference, or avoidable transfer Claims that, in any instance, could be brought under state or federal law. The term

“Chapter 5 Actions” shall include, but not be limited to, all causes of action under Chapter 5 of the Bankruptcy Code and any similar state or federal law against persons and entities identified as recipients of transfers from any of the Debtors prior to the Petition Date identified in the Debtors’ respective Statements of Financial Affairs, which are available at <https://www.bmcgroup.com/restructuring/clients.aspx>.

“**Chapter 11 Cases**” means the cases commenced by the Debtors under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code styled *In re Curae Health, Inc., et al.*, jointly administered as Case No. 18-05665, pending before the Bankruptcy Court.

“**CHS**” means “CHS” means Community Health Systems, Inc. and (i) each of its current and/or former parents, affiliates and subsidiaries; (ii) each of its former and/or current officers, directors, managers, principals, shareholders, employees, agents, financial advisors, attorneys, auditors, accountants, investment bankers, consultants, representatives, and other professionals; and (iii) with respect to each entity listed in clause (i) such entity’s current and former parents, affiliates and subsidiaries and each of their respective current and former officers, directors, managers, principals, shareholders, employees, agents, financial advisors, attorneys, auditors, accountants, investment bankers, consultants, representatives, and other professionals.

“**Claim**” means a “claim,” as defined in section 101(5) of the Bankruptcy Code.

“**Claims Register**” means the claims register maintained by Office of the Clerk of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Middle District of Tennessee.

“**Clarksdale Medical**” means Clarksdale Regional Medical Center, Inc.

“**Clarksdale Physicians**” means Clarksdale Regional Physicians, LLC.

“**Class**” means a group of Holders of Claims or Corporate Interests classified together under the Plan.

“**Collateral**” means any property or interest in property of a Debtor or its Estate subject to a Lien, charge, or other encumbrance to secure the payment or performance of a Claim, which Lien, charge, or other encumbrance is valid, perfected, and enforceable under applicable law and is not subject to avoidance under the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise.

“**Committee**” means the official committee of unsecured creditors appointed on September 6, 2018 by the Office of the U.S. Trustee pursuant to section 1102 of the Bankruptcy Code.

“**Committee’s Professionals**” means (i) the law firm of Sills Cummis & Gross P.C., (ii) the law firm of Manier & Herod, P.C., and (ii) any and all other professionals that the Committee has retained or may retain, with Bankruptcy Court approval, to assist in the conduct of the Chapter 11 Cases, or to provide professional services for a specified purpose.

“**Confirmation Date**” means the date on which the Bankruptcy Court enters the Confirmation Order on the docket of the Chapter 11 Cases.

**“Confirmation Hearing”** means the hearing held by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to section 1128 of the Bankruptcy Code to consider confirmation of this Plan, as such hearing may be adjourned or continued from time to time.

**“Confirmation Order”** means the Order of the Bankruptcy Court confirming this Plan pursuant to section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code.

**“Corporate Interest”** means any Membership Interest or Equity Interest in any of the Debtors.

**“Creditor”** means a “creditor,” as defined in section 101(10) of the Bankruptcy Code.

**“Curae”** means Curae Health, Inc.

**“Cure”** means, with respect to the assumption of an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease pursuant to section 365(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, (i) the distribution of Cash, or the distribution of such other property as may be agreed upon by the parties or Ordered by the Bankruptcy Court, in an amount equal to all unpaid monetary obligations, without interest, or such other amount as may be agreed upon by the parties under an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease, to the extent such obligations are enforceable under the Bankruptcy Code and applicable bankruptcy law, or (ii) the taking of such other actions as may be agreed upon by such parties or Ordered by the Bankruptcy Court.

**“D&O Claims”** means any and all rights, Causes of Action and Claims arising under state and/or federal law against the Debtors’ current and former directors, trustees, managers and/or officers, including Claims for breach of fiduciary duty, and the proceeds of any such rights and Claims, including from any Insurance Policies associated therewith.

**“D&O Policies”** means, collectively, any “Directors and Officers” and other fiduciary liability insurance policies belonging to any of the Debtors or under which any of the Debtors is named as an insured or additional insured, including, without limitation, the applicable policy issued by Federal Insurance Company, a member of Chubb Group of Insurance Companies.

**“Debtor Representative”** means [\*] or such successor as may be approved and appointed by the Bankruptcy Court.

**“Debtors”** means, collectively, Curae, Amory Medical, Batesville Medical, Clarksdale Medical, Amory Physicians, Batesville Physicians, and Clarksdale Physicians, each of which is a “Debtor.”

**“Deficiency Claim”** means, with respect to any Claim asserted as a Secured Claim (including the Alleged ServisFirst Secured Claim, Alleged CHS Secured Claim, and Secured Claims of Other Lienholders), a Claim in an amount equal to the difference between the total Allowed amount of the Claim and the value of any Collateral securing such Claim (*i.e.*, the total Allowed Claim amount minus the allowed Secured Claim amount), as determined consistent with section 506(a) of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise agreed to by the Holder of the Claim.

**“DIP Claim”** means any Claim of MidCap arising under the DIP Financing Documents.

**“DIP Financing Documents”** means the “DIP Financing Documents” as that term is defined in the Bankruptcy Court’s *Final Order (i) Authorizing the Debtors to (a) Obtain Postpetition Secured Financing and (b) Utilize Cash Collateral, (ii) Granting Liens and Superpriority Administrative Expense Status, (iii) Granting Adequate Protection, and (iv) Modifying the Automatic Stay* [Docket No. 455].

**“DIP Order”** means the Bankruptcy Court’s *Final Order (i) Authorizing the Debtors to (a) Obtain Postpetition Secured Financing and (b) Utilize Cash Collateral, (ii) Granting Liens and Superpriority Administrative Expense Status, (iii) Granting Adequate Protection, and (iv) Modifying the Automatic Stay* [Docket No. 455].

**“Disallowed”** means, with reference to any Claim, a Claim or any portion thereof that is or has been disallowed or expunged by Order of the Bankruptcy Court.

**“Disclosure Statement”** means the disclosure statement relating to this Plan, including, without limitation, all exhibits, schedules, supplements, and modifications thereto, as approved by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code.

**“Disputed Claim”** means any Claim that has not been Allowed by a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court and (i) has not been listed on the Schedules, or has been or hereafter is listed on the Schedules, as unliquidated, disputed, or contingent, in either case regardless of whether a proof of claim has been filed with respect to such Claim; or (ii) as to which a Debtor or, if not prohibited by the Plan, any other party-in-interest has interposed or hereafter interposes a timely objection and/or request for estimation in accordance with section 502(c) of the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rule 3007, which objection and/or request for estimation has not been withdrawn or determined by a Final Order.

**“Distribution Reserve”** shall have the meaning attributed to such term in section VII(F) of this Plan.

**“DSRF”** means the sum of approximately \$950,020.00 held in an account at ServisFirst pursuant to section 5.10 of the Russellville Loan Agreement and belonging to Curae.

**“Effective Date”** means the first Business Day after the Confirmation Order becomes a Final Order and all conditions to the Effective Date as set forth in section XIII(A) of this Plan have been satisfied or, if waivable, jointly waived by the Debtors and the Committee.

**“Entity”** means an “entity,” as defined in section 101(15) of the Bankruptcy Code.

**“Equity Interests”** means any equity interest in any of the Debtors.

**“Estates”** means the estates of the Debtors created upon the commencement of the Chapter 11 Cases under section 541 of the Bankruptcy Code, each of which is an “Estate.”

**“Exculpated Parties”** means, individually and collectively, in each case solely in their capacity as such, each and all of: (a) the Debtors’ current Professionals; (b) the Debtors’ directors and officers who are serving in such capacity as of the Petition Date; and (c) the Committee and members of the Committee in their capacity as members of the Committee. With

respect to each of the foregoing identified in subsection (c), each and all of their respective Professionals.

**“Executory Contract”** means any executory contract to which a Debtor is a party that is subject to assumption or rejection under section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code, specifically excluding contracts and agreements entered into pursuant to this Plan or subject to section 1113 of the Bankruptcy Code.

**“Fee Application”** means an application by a Professional for Allowance of a Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claim.

**“Final Distribution Date”** means the date on which the distribution is made from the Liquidating Trust that finally and fully exhausts the assets of the Liquidating Trust.

**“Final Order”** means an Order of the Bankruptcy Court or any other adjudicative body, which Order has not been stayed, and as to which the time to appeal or to move for reargument or rehearing has expired and no appeal, or motion for reargument or rehearing shall then be pending; provided, however, that the Confirmation Order shall be deemed a Final Order upon its entry unless it has been stayed.

**“General Bar Date Order”** means the *Order Fixing Bar Dates for Filing Proofs of Claim, Approving 503(b)(9) Proof of Claim Form, and Approving the Form and Manner of Notice of the 503(b)(9) Claims Bar Date* entered December 11, 2018 [Docket No. 544] establishing, among other things, January 21, 2019 as the Bar Date for filing proofs of claim for Claims (other than Claims of Governmental Units) arising prior to the Petition Date and February 20, 2019 as the Bar Date for filing proofs of claim for Claims of Governmental Units arising prior to the Petition Date.

**“General Unsecured Claim”** means any Claim against a Debtor that is not an Unclassified Claim, Priority Non-Tax Claim, Secured Claim, or Deficiency Claim.

**“Governmental Unit”** means a “governmental unit,” as defined in section 101(27) of the Bankruptcy Code.

**“GUC and Deficiency Distribution Date”** means: (i) initially, the first Business Day that is thirty (30) days after the Effective Date or as soon thereafter as practicable; (b) thereafter, any interim date(s) that the Liquidating Trustee, in consultation with the POC, deems appropriate based on, among other things, the amount of the proceeds of the Liquidating Trust Estate on hand, whether there remain any other unpaid obligations under this Plan, the time and the status of pending or potential litigation, if any, affecting payment of such obligations, and the amount of any necessary reserves; and (c) thereafter, the Final Distribution Date.

**“GUC and Deficiency Liquidating Trust Assets”** means all Assets and other corpus of the Liquidating Trust Estate available for distribution to Holders of Allowed General Unsecured Claims and Allowed Deficiency Claims after payment of all other amounts required by this Plan, including, but not limited to (i) payments to holders of Allowed Unclassified Claims, Allowed Priority Non-Tax Claims, and Allowed Secured Claims; (ii) all required statutory fees; and (iii)

all costs and expenses of administration of the Liquidating Trust, including all Post-Effective Date Expenses.

**“Holder”** means the legal or beneficial holder of any Claim against any of the Estates or Corporate Interest in any of the Debtors.

**“Impaired”** means, with respect to any Class, a Class that is impaired as set forth in section 1124 of the Bankruptcy Code.

**“Insurance Policy”** includes any policy of insurance coverage of any kind (including any and all amendments, endorsements, renewals, and extensions thereof) that at any time belonged or belongs to or included or includes a Debtor as a named insured, additional insured, beneficiary, or assignee, including, without limitation, the D&O Policies.

**“Interim Management Services Agreement”** means that certain Interim Management Services Agreement by and between Clarksdale Regional Medical Center, Inc. and Clarksdale Regional Physicians, LLC, Clarksdale HMA, LLC, Coahoma County, Mississippi, and CHS/community Health Systems, Inc. approved by the Bankruptcy Court’s *Order (i) Authorizing the Debtors to Enter Into the Interim Management Services Agreement with Clarksdale HMA, LLC, Coahoma County, and CHS/Community Health Systems, Inc. and (ii) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. 558].

**“Lien”** means a “lien” as such term is defined in section 101(37) of the Bankruptcy Code.

**“Liquidating Trust”** means the trust to be established pursuant to this Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement that will effectuate the wind down of the Debtors and their Estates and make distributions pursuant to the terms of this Plan and Liquidating Trust Agreement. With respect to any action required or permitted to be taken by the Liquidating Trust, the term includes the Liquidating Trustee or any other Person authorized to take such action in accordance with the Liquidating Trust Agreement. In the event of any conflict between the terms of this Plan and the terms of the Liquidating Trust Agreement, the terms of this Plan shall govern.

**“Liquidating Trust Agreement”** means that certain agreement which will be entered into prior to the Effective Date by the Debtors and the Liquidating Trustee pursuant to article VII of the Plan, will be subject to approval by the Bankruptcy Court, and will become part of the Plan pursuant to the Confirmation Order. The Liquidating Trust Agreement will be filed with the Bankruptcy Court no later than five (5) days before the Confirmation Hearing.

**“Liquidating Trust Estate”** means collectively, (i) all Assets transferred to the Liquidating Trust pursuant to this Plan on the Effective Date or at any time thereafter pursuant to this Plan, (ii) such additional or different corpus as the Liquidating Trustee may from time to time acquire and hold in trust pursuant to the Liquidating Trust Agreement, and (iii) all proceeds of all of the foregoing.

**“Liquidating Trust Expense Reserve”** means the reserve established by the Liquidating Trustee to pay the Post-Effective Date Expenses.

**“Liquidating Trustee”** means [\*] and any successor Liquidating Trustee appointed as provided in the Liquidating Trust Agreement. Any changes to the identity of the Liquidating Trustee will be subject to approval of the Bankruptcy Court and will become part of the Plan pursuant to the Confirmation Order.

**“Liquidating Trustee Professional”** means any professional retained or employed by the Liquidating Trustee for carrying out the objectives of the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

**“MedHost”** means MedHost of Tennessee, Inc.

**“MedHost RC Agreements”** means those certain Statements of Work entered into between the Debtors and MedHost in accordance with the Bankruptcy Court’s *Expedited Order (i) Authorizing the Debtors to Transfer the Revenue Cycle Services for Debtors’ Facilities to MedHost of Tennessee, Inc. and (ii) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. 366] and *Order (i) Authorizing the Debtors to Transfer the Revenue Cycle Services for Debtors’ Clinic Facilities to MedHost of Tennessee, Inc. and (ii) Granting Related Relief* [Docket No. 631].

**“Membership Interest”** means any membership interest in any of the Debtors.

**“MidCap”** means MidCap Financial Trust.

**“MSA”** means that certain Member Substitution Agreement by and between Curae and The Dava Foundation, Inc. dated as of November 12, 2018.

**“Order”** means an order or judgment of the Bankruptcy Court or other adjudicative body.

**“Other Lienholders”** means the holders of Liens against property of the Debtors or their Estates other than any Lien held by ServisFirst, CHS, or MidCap.

**“Person”** means a “person,” as such term is defined in section 101(41) of the Bankruptcy Code.

**“Petition Date”** means August 24, 2018, the date on which the Debtors filed their voluntary petitions for relief commencing the Chapter 11 Cases.

**“Plan”** means, collectively, this plan of orderly liquidation for the Debtors under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, including, without limitation, all exhibits, supplements, appendices, and schedules hereto, either in its present form or as it may be altered, amended, or modified from time to time.

**“POC”** means the committee of persons appointed as of the Effective Date to advise the Liquidating Trustee in the performance of the Liquidating Trustee’s duties and obligations under the Plan with respect to the liquidation of Assets for the benefit of the Holders of Allowed General Unsecured Claims.

**“Post-Effective Date Expense(s)”** means all voluntary and involuntary costs, expenses, charges, obligations, or liabilities of any kind or nature, whether unmatured, contingent, or

unliquidated incurred by the Liquidating Trust or the Debtor Representative after the Effective Date until the Liquidating Trust is dissolved, including, but not limited to, those expenses described in section VII(F) of this Plan.

**“Post-Effective Date Notice List”** means the list, created pursuant to section XIII(F) of the Plan, of persons who desire to receive notices after the Effective Date of the Plan.

**“Postpetition Agreement(s)”** means all agreements entered into by any of the Debtors after the Petition Date that have been approved by Order of the Bankruptcy Court, including, but not limited to, the MedHost RC Agreements, the Interim Management Services Agreement, and the MSA.

**“Priority Claim”** means any Priority Non-Tax Claim or Priority Tax Claim.

**“Priority Non-Tax Claim”** means any Claim, other than an Administrative Expense Claim or a Priority Tax Claim, entitled to priority in right of payment under section 507(a) of the Bankruptcy Code.

**“Priority Tax Claim”** means any claim of a Governmental Unit of the kind entitled to priority in payment as specified in sections 502(i) and 507(a)(8) of the Bankruptcy Code.

**“Pro Rata Share”** means a number (expressed as a percentage) equal to the proportion that an Allowed Claim in a particular Class or Classes, as applicable, bears to the aggregate amount of: (i) the Allowed Claims such Class or Classes plus (ii) the Claims, Disputed or undisputed, otherwise asserted but not yet Disallowed (in their aggregate face or, if applicable, estimated amount) in such Class Classes, as of the date of determination.

**“Professional”** means a Person or Entity employed pursuant to a Final Order in accordance with sections 327, 328, 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 and/or 331 of the Bankruptcy Code, or for which compensation and reimbursement has been Allowed by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to section 503(b)(4) of the Bankruptcy Code.

**“Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claim”** means a Claim by a Professional seeking an award by the Bankruptcy Court of compensation for services rendered or reimbursement of expenses incurred from and after the Petition Date through and including the Effective Date under sections 330, 331, 503(b)(2), 503(b)(3), 503(b)(4), or 503(b)(5) of the Bankruptcy Code.

**“Record Date”** means the Confirmation Date.

**“Released Parties”** means, individually and collectively, in each case solely in their capacity as such, each and all of: (a) the Debtors’ current Professionals; (b) the Debtors’ directors and officers who are serving in such capacity as of the Petition Date; and (c) the Committee and members of the Committee in their capacity as members of the Committee. With respect to each of the foregoing identified in subsection (c), each and all of their respective Professionals.



**“Russellville DSH/UPL Payment”** means any Medicaid disproportionate-share hospital, upper payment limit, and/or other reimbursements, rebates, or other payments, including the disproportionate-share hospital payment in the approximate amount of \$506,641.00 payable to Curae under the MSA and held in trust with the law firm Polsinelli PC.

**“Russellville Loan Agreement”** means the Loan Agreement among Russellville Hospital, Inc., Lakeland Community Hospital, Inc., Northwest Medical Center, Inc., and ServisFirst dated December 31, 2014, as same may have been amended from time to time.

**“Sale”** means any sale of property of the Debtors or their Estates under section 363 of the Bankruptcy Code in the Chapter 11 Cases.

**“Schedules”** means, collectively, the schedules of assets and liabilities, schedules of executory contracts and unexpired leases, and Statements of Financial Affairs filed by the Debtors with the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to section 521(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rule 1007(b), and the Official Bankruptcy Forms, as same may be amended from time to time.

**“Section 503(b)(9) Claim”** means a Claim against a Debtor alleged to be entitled to an administrative expense priority under section 503(b)(9) of the Bankruptcy Code for goods sold to a Debtor in the ordinary course of the Debtor’s business and received by such Debtor within twenty (20) days before the Petition Date.

**“Secured Claim”** means a Claim that is secured by a Lien on property in which a Debtor or its Estate has or had an interest, which Lien is valid, perfected, and enforceable under applicable law or by reason of a Final Order, or that is subject to setoff under section 553 of the Bankruptcy Code, to the extent of the value of the Creditor’s interest in the Debtor or its Estate’s interest in such property, or to the extent of the amount subject to setoff, as applicable, as determined pursuant to section 506(a) of the Bankruptcy Code; provided, however, that a Secured Claim shall not include any portion of the Claim to the extent that the value of such entity’s Collateral is less than the amount of such Claim. Nothing herein revives or preserves any Lien on property sold free and clear interests in such property in any Sale in the Chapter 11 Cases.

**“Secured Creditor”** means a Creditor that holds a Secured Claim in the Chapter 11 Cases.

**“ServisFirst”** means ServisFirst Bank.

**“Statement of Financial Affairs”** means any *Statement of Financial Affairs for Non-Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy* filed by any Debtor in the Chapter 11 Cases.

**“Strategic”** means Strategic Healthcare Resources, LLC.

**“Tort Claims”** means any and all claims of the Debtors based on any tort, including but not limited to any such D&O Claims.

**“Unclassified Claim”** means any Claim that is not part of any Class, including Administrative Expense Claims, Priority Tax Claims, and the DIP Claim.

**“Unexpired Lease”** means any unexpired lease to which a Debtor is a party that is subject to assumption or rejection under section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code.

**“U.S. Trustee”** means the United States Trustee for the Middle District of Tennessee.

**“Voting Deadline”** means the date fixed by the Bankruptcy Court Order after approval of the Disclosure Statement.

## **B. Interpretation, Rules of Construction, Computation of Time**

### **1. Defined Terms**

Any term used in the Plan that is not defined in the Plan, but that is used in the Bankruptcy Code or Bankruptcy Rules, has the meaning assigned to that term in the Bankruptcy Code or Bankruptcy Rules, as applicable, unless the context requires otherwise.

### **2. Rules of Interpretation**

For purposes of this Plan:

**a.** whenever from the context it is appropriate, each term, whether stated in the singular or the plural, includes both the singular and the plural, and pronouns stated in the masculine, feminine, or neutral gender include the masculine, feminine, and the neutral gender;

**b.** any reference in this Plan to a contract, lease, instrument, release, or other agreement or document being in a particular form or on particular terms and conditions means that such document shall be substantially in such form or substantially on such terms and conditions;

**c.** any reference in the Plan to an existing document or exhibit filed or to be filed means such document or exhibit, as it may have been or may be amended, modified, or supplemented through and including the Confirmation Date, which, after they are filed, may be amended, modified, or supplemented only with the express written consent of the Plan Proponents;

**d.** unless otherwise specified in a particular reference, all references in the Plan to sections, articles, and exhibits are references to sections, articles, and exhibits of or to the Plan;

**e.** the words “herein,” “hereof,” “hereto,” “hereunder,” and others of similar import refer to the Plan in its entirety rather than to only a particular portion of the Plan;

**f.** captions and headings to articles and sections are inserted for convenience of reference only and are not intended to be a part of or to affect the interpretation of the Plan;

g. all exhibits to the Plan are incorporated herein, regardless of when those exhibits are filed;

h. except as expressly set forth in this Plan, to the extent any discrepancy exists between the description contained herein of a document or agreement that is an exhibit to the Plan and with the provisions of that exhibit, the actual agreement or document shall govern; and

i. the words “includes” and “including” are not limiting;

j. any reference to an Entity or a Person as a Holder of a Claim or Equity Interest includes that Entity’s or Person’s successors and assigns;

k. any immaterial effectuating provisions may be interpreted by the Plan Proponents in a manner that is consistent with the overall purpose and intent of the Plan, all without further order of the Bankruptcy Court; and

l. the rules of construction set forth in section 102 of the Bankruptcy Code shall apply.

### **3. Time Periods**

a. In computing any period of time prescribed or allowed by the Plan, the provisions of Bankruptcy Rule 9006(a) shall apply.

b. Whenever a distribution of property is required to be made on a particular date, the distribution shall be made on such date, or as soon as practicable thereafter.

## **III.**

### **DESIGNATION OF CLASSES OF CLAIMS AND CORPORATE INTERESTS**

The following is a designation of the Classes of Claims and Corporate Interests for all purposes, including voting, confirmation, and distribution pursuant to the Plan and sections 1122 and 1123(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code. A Claim or Corporate Interest is classified in a particular Class only to the extent that the Claim or Corporate Interest qualifies within the description of that Class and is classified in a different Class to the extent that any remainder of the Claim or Corporate Interest qualifies within the description of such different Class. A Claim or Corporate Interest is in a particular Class only to the extent that the Claim is an Allowed Claim or Allowed Corporate Interest and has not been paid, released, or otherwise satisfied before the Effective Date. Further, the provision in this Plan for a Class of Claims or Equity Interests does not presume, and does not constitute any admission or determination regarding, the existence or validity of any Claim (including any purported Secured Claim, including any purported ServisFirst Secured Claim, CHS Secured Claim, or Secured Claims of Other Lienholders) or Equity Interest within such Class.

This Plan is intended to deal with all Claims against and Corporate Interests in the Debtors of whatever character, whether known or unknown, whether or not with recourse,

whether or not contingent or unliquidated, and whether or not previously Allowed by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to section 502 of the Bankruptcy Code. **However, only Holders of Allowed Claims and Corporate Interests will receive any distribution under this Plan, and no Holder of a Claim or Corporate Interest shall receive any distribution unless and until such Claim or Corporate Interest is Allowed.** For purposes of determining Pro Rata distributions under this Plan and in accordance with this Plan, Disputed Claims shall be included in the Class in which such Claims would be included if Allowed, until such Claims are finally Disallowed. This Plan will not provide any distributions on account of a Claim or Corporate Interest to the extent that such Claim or Corporate Interest has been Disallowed, released, withdrawn, waived, or otherwise satisfied or paid as of the Effective Date. Classified, Allowed Claims and Corporate Interests shall receive the treatment described in section IV(B) herein.

#### **A. Classes of Claims**

1. **Class 1** consists of all Priority Non-Tax Claims.
2. **Class 2** consists of the Alleged ServisFirst Secured Claim.
3. **Class 3** consists of the Alleged CHS Secured Claim.
4. **Class 4** consists of all Secured Claims of Other Lienholders.
5. **Class 5** consists of all General Unsecured Claims.
6. **Class 6** consists of the Deficiency Claim of ServisFirst.
7. **Class 7** consists of the Deficiency Claim of CHS.
8. **Class 8** consists of all Corporate Interests.

#### **B. Impaired Classes**

Classes 5, 6, 7 and 8 are Impaired under the Plan. The treatment of Allowed Claims in the Impaired Classes under this Plan is in full and complete satisfaction of the legal, contractual, and equitable rights of each Holder of an Allowed Claim in each such Impaired Class. Subject to the provisions of any Order approving the Disclosure Statement, Holders of Claims in the Impaired Classes 5, 6, and 7 are entitled to vote on the Plan. Because Holders of Corporate Interests in Class 8 will not receive any distribution under the Plan, they are conclusively presumed to have rejected the Plan, and are not entitled to vote.

All Classes other than Classes 5, 6, 7, and 8 are unimpaired, deemed to accept the Plan, and not entitled to vote on the Plan.

#### **C. Terms of Confirmed Plan Control Unless Otherwise Specified**

If the Plan is confirmed by the Bankruptcy Court, except as specifically set forth in this Plan and the Confirmation Order, the treatment of Claims and Corporate Interests set forth in the Plan and the Confirmation Order supersedes and replaces any agreements or rights the Holders

of the Claims or Corporate Interests have in or against the Debtors or their property. **EXCEPT AS SPECIFICALLY SET FORTH IN THIS PLAN OR IN THE CONFIRMATION ORDER, NO DISTRIBUTIONS WILL BE MADE AND NO RIGHTS WILL BE RETAINED ON ACCOUNT OF ANY CLAIM OR CORPORATE INTEREST, WHETHER AN ALLOWED CLAIM OR CORPORATE INTEREST OR NOT.**

**D. Holders of Claims as of Record Date**

All distributions under the Plan will be tendered to the Persons or Entities that are the Holders of the relevant Claims or Corporate Interests as of the Record Date.

**IV.**

**TREATMENT OF CLAIMS**

**A. Unclassified Claims**

Certain types of Claims are not placed into Classes; instead, such Claims are Unclassified Claims. Such Unclassified Claims are not considered Impaired and their Holders are not entitled to vote on the Plan because they automatically receive specific treatment provided for them in the Bankruptcy Code. As such, the Plan Proponents did not place the following Claims in a Class. The respective treatment for these Claims is provided below.

**1. Administrative Expense Claims**

**a. General**

Subject to the allowance procedures and the deadlines provided in this Plan, except to the extent any entity entitled to payment of an Allowed Administrative Expense Claim has received payment on account of such Claim prior to the Effective Date or agrees to a different treatment, each Holder of an Allowed Administrative Expense Claim shall receive, in full and final satisfaction of its Allowed Administrative Expense Claim, Cash in an amount equal to the amount of such Allowed Administrative Expense Claim, on or before the date that is thirty (30) Business Days after the later of (i) the Effective Date and (ii) entry of a Final Order determining and allowing such Allowed Administrative Expense Claim, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

Except with respect to Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims (which are treated as set forth in section IV(A)(1)(b) below) and Section 503(b)(9) Claims (which are subject to the Bar Date established by the General Bar Date Order), failure to File a request for payment of Administrative Expense Claim on or before the Administrative Bar Date (the date that is sixty (60) days after the Effective Date) shall result in such Administrative Expense Claim being forever Disallowed, barred, and discharged in its entirety.

**b. Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims**

All Professionals seeking payment of Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims shall file their respective final Fee Applications no later than sixty (60) days after the

Effective Date. All Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims shall be treated as Administrative Expense Claims as set forth in section IV(A)(1)(a) above, or shall be paid on such other terms as may be mutually agreed upon between the Holder of an Allowed Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claim and the Debtor, or the Liquidating Trustee, as applicable. Failure to timely file a final Fee Application shall result in the Professional Fee Compensation and Reimbursement Claim being forever Disallowed, barred, and discharged in its entirety.

## **2. Priority Tax Claims**

In full and final satisfaction of each Allowed Priority Tax Claim, if any, except to the extent any entity entitled to payment of any Allowed Priority Tax Claim has received payment on account of such Claim prior to the Effective Date or agrees to a different treatment, each Holder of an Allowed Priority Tax Claim shall receive Cash in an amount equal to the amount of such Allowed Priority Tax Claim on or before the date that is thirty (30) Business Days after the later of (i) the Effective Date and (ii) entry of a Final Order determining and allowing such Allowed Priority Tax Claim, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

## **3. DIP Claim**

The DIP Claim is expected to be paid in full prior to the Effective Date. Solely to the extent the DIP Claim is not paid in full prior to the Effective Date, in full and final satisfaction of the DIP Claim, MidCap shall receive Cash in an amount equal to the amount of such Claim on the Effective Date or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

## **4. Statutory Fees**

On or before the date that is thirty (30) days after the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall make all payments required to be paid to the U.S. Trustee pursuant to section 1930 of title 28 of the United States Code. All fees payable pursuant to section 1930 of title 28 of the United States Code after the Effective Date shall be paid by the Liquidating Trustee on a quarterly basis until the Chapter 11 Cases are closed, converted, or dismissed.

## **B. Classified Claims**

The Allowed Claims classified in article IV of this Plan shall be deemed fully and finally satisfied in the manner set forth herein unless the Holder of such Allowed Claim agrees to accept less favorable treatment.

### **1. Class 1 – Priority Non-Tax Claims**

Each Holder of an Allowed Priority Non-Tax Claim will receive, in full and final satisfaction of such Claim, Cash in an amount equal to the amount of such Allowed Priority Non-Tax Claim on or before the date that is thirty (30) Business Days after the later of (i) the Effective Date and (ii) entry of a Final Order determining and allowing such Priority Non-Tax Claim, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.

## **2. Class 2 – Alleged ServisFirst Secured Claim**

To the extent any Alleged ServisFirst Secured Claim is Allowed, the Holder of any Allowed ServisFirst Secured Claim shall be paid, in Cash, an amount equal to such Claim, on or before the date that is the later of (i) thirty (30) Business Days after the Effective Date and (ii) five (5) Business Days after entry of a Final Order determining and Allowing such Claim, or as soon thereafter as is practicable, in full and final satisfaction of such Claim. To the extent the Collateral securing any Allowed ServisFirst Secured Claim has been or is to be sold pursuant to an Order of the Bankruptcy Court, any amount to be paid to the Holder of such Claim pursuant to the preceding sentence shall be net of the costs of sale of such Collateral and otherwise subject to the rights of the Debtors (in consultation with the Committee) and/or the Liquidating Trustee pursuant to section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code.

## **3. Class 3 – Alleged CHS Secured Claim**

To the extent any Alleged CHS Secured Claim is Allowed, it will be treated, in the sole discretion of the Plan Proponents, in one of the following ways:

a. on the Effective Date, the legal, equitable, and contractual rights of the Holder of any Allowed CHS Secured Claim shall be reinstated in accordance with the provisions of section 1124(2) of the Bankruptcy Code notwithstanding any contractual provision or applicable non-bankruptcy law that entitles such Holder to demand or receive payment of such Claim before the stated maturity of such Claim from and after the occurrence of a default; provided, however, that any contractual right that does not pertain to the payment when due of principal and interest on the obligation on which such Claim is based, including, but not limited to, financial covenant ratios, negative pledge covenants, covenants or restrictions on merger or consolidation, covenants regarding corporate existence, or covenants prohibiting certain transactions or actions contemplated by the Plan, or conditioning such transactions or actions on certain factors, shall not be enforceable as to any breach that occurred on or prior to the Effective Date or any breach determined by reference back to a date preceding the Effective Date;

b. on the Effective Date, the Holder of any Allowed CHS Secured Claim shall (i) retain a Lien securing such Claim and (ii) receive deferred Cash payments from the Liquidating Trust totaling at least the value of such Claim as of the Effective Date in full and final satisfaction of such Claim;

c. on the Effective Date, the Collateral securing any Allowed CHS Claim shall be surrendered to the Holder of such Claim in full satisfaction of such Claim; or

d. the Holder of any Allowed CHS Secured Claim shall be paid, in Cash, an amount equal to such Claim, on or before the date that is thirty (30) Business Days after the later of (i) the Effective Date and (ii) entry of a Final Order determining and Allowing such Claim, or as soon thereafter as is practicable, in full and final satisfaction of such Claim. To the extent the Collateral securing any Allowed CHS Secured Claim has been or is to be sold pursuant to an Order of the Bankruptcy Court, any amount to be paid to the Holder of such Claim pursuant to the preceding sentence shall be net of the costs of sale of such Collateral and otherwise subject to

the rights of the Debtors (in consultation with the Committee) and/or the Liquidating Trustee pursuant to section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code.

#### **4. Class 4 – Secured Claims of Other Lienholders**

To the extent any Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder is Allowed, it will be treated, in the sole discretion of the Plan Proponents, in one of the following ways:

a. on the Effective Date, the legal, equitable, and contractual rights of the Holder of an Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder shall be reinstated in accordance with the provisions of section 1124(2) of the Bankruptcy Code notwithstanding any contractual provision or applicable non-bankruptcy law that entitles such Holder to demand or receive payment of such Claim before the stated maturity of such Claim from and after the occurrence of a default; provided, however, that any contractual right that does not pertain to the payment when due of principal and interest on the obligation on which such Claim is based, including, but not limited to, financial covenant ratios, negative pledge covenants, covenants or restrictions on merger or consolidation, covenants regarding corporate existence, or covenants prohibiting certain transactions or actions contemplated by the Plan, or conditioning such transactions or actions on certain factors, shall not be enforceable as to any breach that occurred on or prior to the Effective Date or any breach determined by reference back to a date preceding the Effective Date;

b. on the Effective Date, the Holder of an Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder shall (i) retain a Lien securing such Claim and (ii) receive deferred Cash payments from the Liquidating Trust totaling at least the value of such Claim as of the Effective Date in full and final satisfaction of such Claim;

c. on the Effective Date, the Collateral securing an Allowed Claim of an Other Lienholder shall be surrendered to the Holder of such Claim in full satisfaction of such Claim; or

d. the Holder of an Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder shall be paid, in Cash, an amount equal to such Claim, on or before the date that is thirty (30) Business Days after the later of (i) the Effective Date and (ii) entry of a Final Order determining and Allowing such Claim, or as soon thereafter as is practicable, in full and final satisfaction of such Claim. To the extent the Collateral securing any Allowed Secured Claim of an Other Lienholder has been or is to be sold pursuant to an Order of the Bankruptcy Court, any amount to be paid to the Holder of such Claim pursuant to the preceding sentence shall be net of the costs of sale of such Collateral and otherwise subject to the rights of the Debtors (in consultation with the Committee) and/or the Liquidating Trustee pursuant to section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code.

#### **5. Class 5 – General Unsecured Claims**

Each Holder of an Allowed General Unsecured Claim will receive, in full and final satisfaction of such Claim, on one or more GUC and Deficiency Distribution Dates, a Pro Rata share (calculated based upon the collective Claims in Classes 5, 6, and 7) of the net proceeds of the GUC and Deficiency Liquidating Trust Assets.



## **6. Class 6 – ServisFirst Deficiency Claim**

The Holder of any Allowed Deficiency Claim of ServisFirst will receive, in full and final satisfaction of such Claim, on one or more GUC and Deficiency Distribution Dates, a Pro Rata share (calculated based upon the collective Claims in Classes 5, 6, and 7) of the net proceeds of the GUC and Deficiency Liquidating Trust Assets.

## **7. Class 7 – CHS Deficiency Claim**

The Holder of any Allowed Deficiency Claim of CHS will receive, in full and final satisfaction of such Claim, on one or more GUC and Deficiency Distribution Dates, a Pro Rata share (calculated based upon the collective Claims in Classes 5, 6, and 7) of the net proceeds of the GUC and Deficiency Liquidating Trust Assets.

## **8. Class 8 – Corporate Interests**

Because each of the Debtors is a not-for-profit corporation, Holders of Allowed Corporate Interests shall not receive any distribution on account of such Corporate Interests under the Plan.

## **C. General Claim Treatment Provisions**

### **1. Objections**

Except as otherwise set forth in any prior Order of the Bankruptcy Court, the failure of any party to object to any Claim in the Chapter 11 Cases, including any Secured Claims (including any Alleged ServisFirst Secured Claims, Alleged CHS Secured Claims, or Secured Claims of Other Lienholders), shall be without prejudice to the rights of the Debtors (in consultation with the Committee) or the Liquidating Trustee to contest, object to, or otherwise defend against such Claim if and when such Claim is sought to be enforced by the Holder of such Claim. Procedures for objections to Claims are set forth in section VII(M) of this Plan.

### **2. Attachment of Liens**

No Lien with respect to any Secured Claim shall attach to any property sold free and clear of interests of such property in any Sale in the Chapter 11 Cases.

### **3. Survival and Release of Liens**

Notwithstanding section 1141(c) or any other provision of the Bankruptcy Code, all pre-petition Liens on property of the Debtors held with respect to any Allowed Secured Claim shall survive the Effective Date and continue in accordance with the contractual terms or statutory provisions governing such Claim until such Allowed Secured Claim is satisfied, at which time such Lien shall be released, shall be deemed null and void, and shall be unenforceable for all purposes; provided, however, that the Debtors (in consultation with the Committee) or Liquidating Trustee, as the case may be, may condition delivery of any final payment upon receipt of an executed release of the Lien.

Any and all Liens securing any Secured Claim that is not an Allowed Claim shall be released, shall be deemed null and void, and shall be unenforceable for all purposes. Nothing in this Plan shall preclude the Debtors (in consultation with the Committee) or the Liquidating Trustee from challenging the validity of any alleged Lien on any asset of any Debtor or the value of the property that secures any alleged Lien, and all such rights are expressly preserved.

#### **4. Surcharge Under Section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code**

All rights of Holders of Secured Claims under this Plan are subject to the rights of the Debtors (in consultation with the Committee) and/or the Liquidating Trustee to surcharge the applicable Collateral pursuant to section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code, which rights are expressly preserved. Notwithstanding the foregoing, as set forth in the DIP Order, the rights and claims of MidCap shall not be subject to the rights of the Debtors (in consultation with the Committee) and/or the Liquidating Trustee to surcharge the applicable Collateral pursuant to section 506(c) of the Bankruptcy Code.

#### **5. Elimination of Vacant Classes**

Any Class that, as of the commencement of the Confirmation Hearing, does not have at least one Holder of a Claim that is Allowed in an amount greater than zero for voting purposes shall be considered vacant, deemed eliminated from the Plan for purposes of voting to accept or reject the Plan, and disregarded for purposes of determining whether the Plan satisfies section 1129(a)(8) of the Bankruptcy Code with respect to that Class.

#### **6. Estimation of Claims**

Before or after the Effective Date, the Debtors (in consultation with the Committee) or the Liquidating Trustee, as applicable, may (but are not required to) at any time request that the Bankruptcy Court estimate any Claim 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 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, unless otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court. In the event that the Bankruptcy Court estimates any Claim that is disputed, contingent, or unliquidated, that estimated amount shall constitute a maximum limitation on such Claim for all purposes under the Plan, including for purposes of distributions. Notwithstanding section 502(j) of the Bankruptcy Code, in no event shall any holder of a Claim that has been estimated pursuant to section 502(c) of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise be entitled to seek reconsideration of such estimation unless such holder has filed a motion requesting the right to seek such reconsideration on or before twenty one (21) days after the date on which such Claim is estimated. All of the aforementioned Claims and objection, estimation, and resolution procedures are cumulative and not exclusive of one another. Claims may be estimated and subsequently compromised, settled, withdrawn, or resolved by any mechanism approved by the Bankruptcy Court.

## **7. Distribution Cap**

In no event shall any Holder of an Allowed Claim receive a distribution of a value exceeding one hundred percent (100%) of the amount of such Holder's Allowed Claim.

## **V.**

### **ACCEPTANCE OR REJECTION OF THIS PLAN**

#### **A. Voting Classes**

Subject to the provisions of any Order approving the Disclosure Statement, Holders of Claims in each Impaired Class (other than Class 8, addressed in section V(B) below), or their designees, shall be entitled to vote such Claims separately to accept or reject the Plan. Classes 5, 6, 7, and 8 are Impaired under the Plan.

#### **B. Non-Voting Classes**

Holders of Claims and Corporate Interests in Classes that are not Impaired are not entitled to vote such Claims to accept or reject this Plan. Each such Holder is conclusively presumed to have accepted this Plan pursuant to section 1126(f) of the Bankruptcy Code. Classes 1, 2, 3, and 4 are not Impaired under this Plan.

Further, because Holders of Corporate Interests in Impaired Class 8 will not receive any distribution under the Plan, they are conclusively presumed to have rejected the Plan, and are not entitled to vote.

#### **C. Controversy Concerning Impairment**

In the event of a controversy as to whether any Holder of an Allowed Claim, Allowed Corporate Interest, or Class is Impaired under the Plan, the Bankruptcy Court shall, after notice and a hearing, determine such controversy.

#### **D. Acceptance by Impaired Classes**

An Impaired Class of Claims shall be deemed to have accepted the Plan if (a) the Holders (other than any Holder designated under section 1126(e) of the Bankruptcy Code) of at least two-thirds in amount of the Claims actually voting in such Class have voted to accept the Plan and (b) the Holders (other than any Holder designated under section 1126(e) of the Bankruptcy Code) of more than one-half in number of the Claims actually voting in such Class have voted to accept the Plan.

An Impaired Class of Corporate Interests shall be deemed to have accepted the Plan if the Holders (other than any Holder designated under section 1126(e) of the Bankruptcy Code) of at least two-thirds in amount of the interests of such Class actually voting in such Class have voted to accept the Plan.

#### **E. Non-Consensual Confirmation**

At the request of the Plan Proponents, this Plan may be confirmed under the so-called “cram down” provisions set forth in section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code if, in addition to satisfying the other requirements for confirmation (other than section 1129(a)(8) of the Bankruptcy Code), this Plan “does not discriminate unfairly” and is determined to be “fair and equitable” with respect to each Class of Claims or Corporate Interests that has not accepted this Plan (*i.e.*, dissenting Classes). The Plan Proponents will request confirmation under this provision for any Impaired Class that rejects the Plan. The Plan Proponents reserve the right to alter, amend, modify, revoke, or withdraw the Plan or any amendment or supplement thereto, including to amend or modify it to satisfy the requirements of section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, if necessary, in accordance with section 1127 of the Bankruptcy Code and this Plan.

## **VI.**

### **TREATMENT OF EXECUTORY CONTRACTS AND UNEXPIRED LEASES**

#### **A. Rejection of Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases**

On the Effective Date and subject to this section VI(A) and section VI(C), all Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases of the Debtors will be deemed rejected, as of the Effective Date, other than Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases that were previously assumed, assumed and assigned, or rejected by Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court (which contracts will be treated in accordance with such Final Order). The Confirmation Order will constitute an Order approving the foregoing rejection. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Postpetition Agreements shall not be deemed rejected and shall instead revert in the Debtors pursuant to section VI(D) below.

#### **B. Bar Date for Rejection Damages**

If the rejection of an Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease pursuant to the Plan and the Confirmation Order or a previous or subsequent Order of the Bankruptcy Court gives rise to a Claim by the other party or parties to such contract or lease, such Claim shall be forever Disallowed, barred, and discharged in its entirety, and shall not be enforceable against the Debtors, the Liquidating Trust, or the Estates unless a proof of Claim is filed and served on the Debtors or the Liquidating Trust, as the case may be, and their counsel within thirty (30) days after the Confirmation Date. Notwithstanding the foregoing, to the extent that any such Claim is or was subject to a previously-established Bar Date in the Chapter 11 Cases, such previously-established Bar Date shall be deemed operative and will not be deemed extended by virtue of this section VI(B). All such Claims for which proofs of Claim are required to be filed for contracts and leases to which any Debtor is a party, if Allowed, will be classified and treated as a General Unsecured Claim against the applicable Debtor, subject to the provisions of this Plan.

#### **C. Insurance Policies**

For the avoidance of doubt, on the Effective Date, the Debtors’ rights with respect to all Insurance Policies under which any of the Debtors may be a beneficiary or assignee (including all Insurance Policies that may have expired prior to the Petition Date, all Insurance Policies in existence on the Petition Date, all Insurance Policies entered into by any Debtor after the Petition

Date, and all Insurance Policies under which any Debtor holds rights to make, amend, prosecute, and benefit from claims) shall revert in the applicable Debtor(s) as necessary for the Debtor Representative to pursue and prosecute any Causes of Action, and to the extent that any Insurance Policies are not necessary for the pursuit and prosecution of any Causes of Action by the Debtor Representative, all such Insurance Policies shall be transferred to the Liquidating Trust from the Effective Date until its dissolution, unless any such Insurance Policy is otherwise cancelled by the Liquidating Trustee in his or her discretion. Notwithstanding any provision providing for the rejection of Executory Contracts, any Insurance Policy that is deemed to be an Executory Contract shall neither be rejected nor assumed by operation of this Plan and shall be the subject of a specific motion by the Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative, as applicable, who shall retain the right to assume or reject any such Executory Contracts pursuant to and subject to the provisions of section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code following the Effective Date.

The Confirmation Order shall constitute a determination that no default by any Debtor exists with respect to any of the Insurance Policies requiring Cure, and that nothing in any prior Order, any prior agreements, or this Plan shall be construed or applied to modify, impair, or otherwise affect the enforceability of the Insurance Policies or any coverage thereunder with regard to any Claims or Causes of Action, including the D&O Claims. The Plan shall be liberally construed to protect the interests of all Creditors in all Causes of Action and to limit any Claims against the Estates.

#### **D. Postpetition Agreements**

For the avoidance of doubt, on the Effective Date, the Debtors' rights with respect to any Postpetition Agreements, including, but not limited to, the MedHost RC Agreements, the Interim Management Services Agreement, and the MSA, shall revert in the Debtors. Notwithstanding any provision providing for the rejection of Executory Contracts, any Postpetition Agreements shall neither be rejected nor assumed by operation of this Plan, and shall be the subject of a specific motion by the Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative, as applicable, who shall retain the right to assume or reject the Postpetition Agreements to the extent necessary, pursuant to and subject to the provisions of section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code, following the Effective Date.

The Confirmation Order shall constitute a determination that no default by the Debtors exists with respect to any Postpetition Agreements, including, but not limited to, the MedHost RC Agreements, the Interim Management Services Agreement, and the MSA, requiring Cure, and that nothing in any prior Order, any prior agreements, or this Plan shall be construed or applied to modify, impair, or otherwise affect the enforceability of the Postpetition Agreements against any counterparty thereto. The Plan shall be liberally construed to protect the interests of the Estates with respect to the Postpetition Agreements.

### **VII.**

#### **MEANS FOR EXECUTION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PLAN**

##### **A. Overview**

This Plan provides for the disposition of substantially all the Assets and the distribution of the net proceeds thereof to Holders of Allowed Claims, consistent with the priority provisions of the Bankruptcy Code. This Plan further provides for the winding down of the Debtors and their affairs by the Liquidating Trustee. This Plan also creates a mechanism for the Liquidating Trustee and Debtor Representative to pursue Claims and Causes of Action, including D&O Claims and Tort Claims, to enable recoveries to Creditors herein.

**B. Establishment of Liquidating Trust; Appointment of Liquidating Trustee and Debtor Representative; Revesting of D&O Claims and Tort Claims**

Prior to the Effective Date, the Debtors shall execute the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The Liquidating Trust Agreement shall contain provisions customary to trust agreements utilized in comparable circumstances, including, but not limited to, any and all provisions necessary to ensure the continued treatment of the Liquidating Trust as a grantor trust.

On the Effective Date, and in accordance with the Confirmation Order, the Estates' titles to all the Assets (other than the D&O Claims and Tort Claims, which shall revest in the applicable Debtor(s) and may be pursued by the Debtor Representative) shall automatically pass to the Liquidating Trust, free and clear of all Claims and equity interests in accordance with section 1141 of the Bankruptcy Code. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Plan Proponents reserve the right to modify the Plan to exclude certain Assets from transfer to the Liquidating Trust. The Confirmation Order shall constitute a determination that the transfers of the Assets to the Liquidating Trust are legal and valid and consistent with the laws of the State of Tennessee.

All parties shall execute any documents or other instruments as necessary to cause title to the applicable Assets to be transferred to the Liquidating Trust. The Assets will be held in trust for the benefit of all Holders of Allowed Claims pursuant to the terms of the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

The Liquidating Trustee will be appointed as of the date of execution of the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The Liquidating Trustee will pay or otherwise make distributions on account of all Allowed Claims against the Debtors in accordance with the terms of the Plan.

On the Effective Date, the Debtor Representative shall be deemed appointed pursuant to section 1123(b)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code and vested with all power and authority granted to the Debtor Representative under this Plan.

On the Effective Date, the Estates' interests in any D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and rights in and proceeds of any Insurance Policies necessary for the prosecution of all such Causes of Action will revest in the Debtors. The Debtor Representative shall be authorized to institute and to prosecute through final judgment or settle the D&O Claims and Tort Claims in his discretion. Upon the entry of a final judgment or settlement, the relevant proceeds of the D&O Claims and Tort Claims shall be transferred to the Liquidating Trust for the benefit of the Holders of Allowed Claims in accordance with the provisions of this Plan.

In addition to the foregoing, to the extent any D&O Claims and Tort Claims are assignable under applicable law, the Debtor Representative is expressly authorized, in his

discretion, to assign such D&O Claims and Tort Claims to the Liquidating Trust for prosecution and/or settlement by the Liquidating Trustee upon the occurrence of the Effective Date or at any time thereafter. To the extent necessary for the Liquidating Trustee to pursue and prosecute any such D&O Claims and Tort Claims, all rights in and proceeds of any applicable Insurance Policies shall be deemed transferred to the Liquidating Trust upon the assignment of such D&O Claims and Tort Claims.

**This Plan shall be interpreted so as to afford, for the benefit of all Holders of Allowed Claims, the greatest opportunity for maximum recovery by the Liquidating Trustee and the Debtor Representative on the Assets, D&O Claims, Tort Claims, and rights in and proceeds of any Insurance Policies. The Proceeds of all Causes of Action are material to the implementation of this Plan and the recoveries to Creditors herein.**

### **C. Income Tax Status**

For federal income tax purposes, all parties (including, without limitation, the Debtors, the Liquidating Trustee, and the Beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust Estate) shall treat the Liquidating Trust as a liquidating trust within the meaning of Treasury Income Tax Regulation section 301.7701-4(d) and IRS Revenue Procedure 94-45, 1994-2 C.B. 124. For federal income tax purposes, the transfer of Assets to the Liquidating Trust under the Plan shall be treated as a deemed transfer to the Beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust Estate in satisfaction of their Claims followed by a deemed transfer of the Assets by the Beneficiaries to the Liquidating Trust. For federal income tax purposes, the Beneficiaries will be deemed to be the grantors and owners of the Liquidating Trust and its assets. For federal income tax purposes, the Liquidating Trust will be taxed as a grantor trust within the meaning of IRC sections 671-677 (a non-taxable pass-through tax entity) owned by the Beneficiaries. The Liquidating Trust will file federal income tax returns as a grantor trust under IRC section 671 and Treasury Income Tax Regulation section 1.671-4 and report, but not pay tax on, the Liquidating Trust's tax items of income, gain, loss deductions, and credits ("**Tax Items**"). The Beneficiaries will report such Tax Items on their federal income tax returns and pay any resulting federal income tax liability. All parties will use consistent valuations of the assets transferred to the Liquidating Trust for all federal income tax purposes. The assets shall be valued based on the Liquidating Trustee's good faith determination of their fair market value.

### **D. Powers and Authority of the Liquidating Trustee**

The powers of the Liquidating Trustee are set forth in full in the Liquidating Trust Agreement and shall include, among other things: (a) the power to sell, lease, license, abandon, or otherwise dispose of all remaining Assets of the Liquidating Trust Estate subject to the terms of this Plan; (b) the power to wind down the Debtors and their affairs, including by filing final cost reports and taking such other actions as are necessary after the Effective Date to bring about and orderly wind down of the Debtors' operations; (c) the power to effect distributions under this Plan to the Holders of Allowed Claims; (d) the authority to pay all costs and expenses of administering the Liquidating Trust Estate after the Effective Date (including the Post-Effective Date Expenses), including the power to employ and compensate Persons to assist the Liquidating Trustee in carrying out the duties hereunder, and to obtain and pay premiums for insurance and any other powers necessary or incidental thereto; (e) the power to implement this Plan including

any other powers necessary or incidental thereto; (f) the authority to settle Claims, applicable Causes of Action, including Chapter 5 Actions, or disputes as to amounts owing to or from the Estates; (g) the authority to participate in any post-Effective Date motions to amend or modify this Plan or the Liquidating Trust Agreement, or appeals from the Confirmation Order; (h) the authority to participate in actions to enforce or interpret this Plan; and (i) the power to bind the Liquidating Trust. Each of the foregoing powers may be exercised by the Liquidating Trustee without further order of the Bankruptcy Court. Notwithstanding any of the foregoing, the Liquidating Trustee may not materially amend or alter the terms and provisions of this Plan.

#### **E. Funding of the Liquidating Trust**

The funding of the Liquidating Trust for the payments to be made to Holders of Allowed Claims under the Plan and the payment of Post-Effective Date Expenses will be from (i) the Liquidating Trust Expense Reserve, (ii) the Debtors' Cash on hand as of the Effective Date, which will be transferred to the Liquidating Trust as of the Effective Date and proceeds from the investment of such Cash, and (iii) the proceeds of the liquidation of the Assets, including, without limitation, any Claims or Causes of Action.

The Liquidating Trustee, in his or her sole discretion, shall have the authority to allocate and reallocate Assets of the Estates (including Cash, and including with respect to any reserves provided for under this Plan) as necessary to effectuate the Plan without further application to, or approval of, the Bankruptcy Court, to the extent such allocation or reallocation would not be inconsistent with the terms of this Plan; provided, however, that the Liquidating Trustee may, but is not required to, apply to the Bankruptcy Court on notice to parties included on the Post-Effective Date Notice List prior to making any such allocation or reallocation. In the event that the Liquidating Trustee determines that effectuation of the Plan or an equitable distribution to Holders of Allowed Claims requires allocation or reallocation of Assets of the Estates in a manner that would otherwise be inconsistent with any term of this Plan (including for the purposes of distribution under the Plan), the Liquidating Trustee shall have the authority to make such allocation or reallocation with approval of the Bankruptcy Court upon application to the Bankruptcy Court on notice to parties included in the Post-Effective Date Notice List.

#### **F. Liquidating Trust's Post-Effective Date Expenses**

All expenses related to implementation of the Plan incurred from and after the Effective Date through the date on which the Liquidating Trust is dissolved will be expenses of the Liquidating Trust, and the Liquidating Trustee will disburse funds from the Liquidating Trust Expense Reserve or other Liquidating Trust assets as appropriate for purposes of paying the Post-Effective Date Expenses of the Liquidating Trust without the need for any further Order of the Bankruptcy Court. The Post-Effective Date Expenses shall include, but are not limited to, the fees and expenses of the Liquidating Trustee, the fees and expenses of the Debtor Representative, the fees and expenses of the professionals employed by the Liquidating Trustee and/or the Debtor Representative, and other costs, expenses, and obligations of the Liquidating Trust until the date the Liquidating Trust is terminated in accordance with section VII(L) and the Liquidating Trust Agreement. The Liquidating Trustee, in his or her sole discretion, on and after



the Effective Date, shall have authority to increase or decrease the Liquidating Trust Expense Reserve, as reasonably necessary and appropriate, to account for and pay the Post-Effective Date Expenses.

Prior to making a distribution to any Holders of Allowed Claims under the Plan, the Liquidating Trustee may place in reserve and/or in a separate account any funds that may be needed to pay Claims that are Disputed and Claims that have otherwise not been Allowed in the event that all or a portion of such Claims become Allowed (the “**Distribution Reserve**”). When a Claim is Allowed or Disallowed (and thus becomes an Allowed Claim or a Disallowed Claim, in whole or in part), the funds set aside on account of such Claim shall be released from the Distribution Reserve and shall be available for distribution in accordance with the terms of this Plan to either (i) the Holder of the Claim that has become an Allowed Claim, or (ii) if Disallowed, the Holders of Allowed Claims. The Liquidating Trustee, in his or her sole discretion, on and after the Effective Date, shall have authority to increase or decrease the Distribution Reserve, as reasonably necessary and appropriate, and upon satisfaction of all Allowed Claims required to be paid from the Distribution Reserve, to transfer amounts held therein for distribution pursuant to the Plan.

#### **G. Use of Existing Accounts**

The Liquidating Trustee may use the Debtors’ existing bank accounts (as of the Effective Date) for the purposes set forth herein, to the extent possible and desired. After the DIP Loan is repaid in full in accordance with the DIP Order, the Liquidating Trustee also may close the Debtors’ existing bank accounts, in his or her discretion, and transfer all amounts therein to one or more accounts, in accordance with the terms of this Plan. Alternatively, notwithstanding any provisions to the contrary in this Plan, and only after the DIP Loan is repaid in full in accordance with the DIP Order, the Liquidating Trustee may invest some or all the funds that would otherwise be deposited into the accounts established pursuant to the Plan in allowed investments under applicable non-bankruptcy law.

#### **H. Employment and Compensation**

The Liquidating Trustee shall serve without bond and shall receive compensation for serving as Liquidating Trustee as set forth in the Liquidating Trust Agreement. At any time after the Effective Date and without further Order of the Bankruptcy Court, the Liquidating Trustee may employ and compensate Persons or Entities, including Professionals (which may, but need not, include Professionals previously or currently employed in the Chapter 11 Case) reasonably necessary to assist the Liquidating Trustee in the performance of his duties under the Liquidating Trust Agreement and this Plan. Such Persons or Entities shall be compensated and reimbursed by the Liquidating Trustee for their reasonable and necessary fees and out of pocket expenses on a monthly basis in arrears.

#### **I. Vesting of Authority in Debtor Representative**

Upon the Effective Date, the Debtors’ boards of directors and/or trustees, as applicable, shall be dissolved and the then-current officers of the Debtors and members of the boards of directors and/or trustees of the Debtors shall be relieved of their positions and corresponding

duties and obligations; provided, however, that the Debtor Representative shall be responsible for effectuating transfers of Assets in accordance with this Plan and otherwise satisfying the Debtors' obligations under the terms of this Plan. On and after the Effective Date, the Debtor Representative shall have full and complete authority to act on behalf of and bind the Debtors, and to enforce the rights of the Debtors and their Estates with respect to any Postpetition Agreements, including, but not limited to, the MedHost RC Agreements, the Interim Management Services Agreement, and the MSA, without further action or approval of the Bankruptcy Court or the boards of directors and/or trustees of the Debtors. After the D&O Claims and Tort Claims are liquidated and the proceeds of such Causes of Action are transferred to the Liquidating Trust Estate in accordance with this Plan, the Debtor Representative shall be empowered, but not directed, to effectuate the dissolution of the Debtors in accordance with the laws of the State of Tennessee.

#### **J. Termination of the Committee; Creation of POC**

On the Effective Date, the Committee shall be deemed dissolved, the retention and employment of the Committee's Professionals shall be deemed terminated, and the members of the Committee shall be deemed released and discharged of and from all further authority, duties, responsibilities, and obligations related to and arising from and in connection with the Chapter 11 Cases, other than for purposes of filing and/or objecting to final Fee Applications filed in the Chapter 11 Cases.

On the Effective Date, the Committee shall be replaced by the POC that shall consist of not less than three (3) Persons or Entities that are Beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust. The identities of the Persons and/or Entities that will serve on the POC as of the Effective Date will be filed by the Committee with the Bankruptcy Court no later than five (5) days before the Confirmation Hearing, provided, however, that ServisFirst shall be a member of the POC. The POC may also include such other Persons or Entities (including ex officio members) as may be requested by the POC, which Persons or Entities shall have agreed to participate in the performance of the POC's functions as set forth in this Plan. The POC's sole function and responsibility shall be to advise the Liquidating Trustee in the performance of the Liquidating Trustee's duties and obligations under the Plan with respect to the liquidation of Assets for the benefit of the Holders of Allowed Claims. The members of the POC shall serve without compensation but may be reimbursed for reasonable expenses incurred in the performance of their duties as members of the POC. The POC shall adopt by-laws governing all matters concerning participation in the POC, which by-laws shall include one or more mechanisms for individual members of the POC to be recused from consideration or voting upon matters that could pose a conflict of interest.

#### **K. Liquidating Trustee as Successor in Interest to the Debtors and Committee**

Except as to the D&O Claims and the Tort Claims, the Liquidating Trustee is the successor in interest to the Debtors and the Committee, and thus, after the Effective Date, to the extent this Plan requires an action by the Debtors (and except as it relates to the D&O Claims and Tort Claims, or is otherwise delegated to the Debtor Representative), the action shall be taken by the Liquidating Trustee on behalf of the Debtors and the Creditors' Committee, as applicable. The Liquidating Trustee may not materially amend or alter the terms and provisions

of this Plan.

For federal and applicable state income tax purposes, all parties (including, without limitation, the Debtors, the Liquidating Trustee, and the Beneficiaries of the Liquidating Trust Estate) shall treat the transfer of Assets to the Liquidating Trust in accordance with the terms of this Plan, as a sale by the Debtors of such Assets to the Liquidating Trust Estate at a selling price equal to the fair market value of such Assets on the Effective Date. The Liquidating Trust shall be treated as the owner of all Assets that it holds.

## **L. Termination of the Liquidating Trust Estate**

The existence of the Liquidating Trust and the authority of the Liquidating Trustee will commence as of the Effective Date and will remain and continue in full force and effect until the earlier of (a) the date on which all of the Assets are liquidated in accordance with the Plan, the funds in the Liquidating Trust have been completely distributed in accordance with the Plan, all tax returns and any other filings or reports have been filed with the appropriate state or federal regulatory authorities, and the Order closing the Chapter 11 Cases is a Final Order or (b) five (5) years after the date of creation of the Liquidating Trust, unless extended by the Bankruptcy Court as provided in the Liquidating Trust Agreement.

At such time as the Liquidating Trust has been fully administered (*i.e.*, when all things requiring action by the Liquidating Trustee have been done, and the Plan has been substantially consummated) and in all events within sixty (60) days after the Final Distribution Date, the Liquidating Trustee will file an application for approval of his final report and the entry of the final decree by the Bankruptcy Court.

## **M. Objections to Claims**

### **1. Objection Procedures**

From and after the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall have the exclusive right and standing to (i) object to and contest the allowance of all Claims, (ii) compromise and settle any Disputed Claim or Claim that has not otherwise been Allowed, without further Order or approval of the Bankruptcy Court, subject to the notice procedure set forth in section VII(M)(2); and (iii) litigate to final resolution objections to Claims.

**No distribution shall be made pursuant to this Plan to a Holder of Claim, Disputed or otherwise, unless and until such Claim is or becomes an Allowed Claim.**

All objections to Claims shall be filed with the Bankruptcy Court, and served upon the Holders of such Claims, on or before the one hundred eightieth (180th) day after the Effective Date. The time period for filing objections to Claims shall automatically renew for successive periods of one hundred eighty (180) days each until the earlier of (i) the date upon which all Claims have been Allowed or Disallowed or (ii) the date fixed by the Bankruptcy Court upon motion of the Liquidating Trustee or a holder of a Claim.

### **2. Resolution of Disputed Claims and Claims that Have Not Otherwise Been Allowed**

If the Holder of a Disputed Claim or Claim that has not otherwise been Allowed and the Liquidating Trustee agree to a settlement of such Claim (i) for a payment that does not exceed fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) or (ii) by Allowing such Claim in an amount that does not exceed two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), the Liquidating Trustee shall be authorized to enter into and effectuate such settlement without any further notice or approval of the Bankruptcy Court, and the settled Claim shall be deemed an Allowed Claim. If the Holder of such a Claim and the Liquidating Trustee agree to a settlement of such Claim (i) for a payment that exceeds fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) or (ii) by Allowing such Claim in an amount that exceeds two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), the Liquidating Trustee shall provide notice of the proposed settlement (with a fourteen-day (14-day) period to object) to the Persons or Entities on the Post-Effective Date Notice List. If no objection is received within the fourteen-day (14) period, the settled Claim shall be deemed to be an Allowed Claim, without the need for further review by, or approval of, the Bankruptcy Court or any other party. If an objection to a proposed settlement is received within the fourteen-day (14-day) period and such objection cannot otherwise be resolved, then the Liquidating Trustee shall schedule a hearing in the Bankruptcy Court to resolve the objection.

Until such time as an unliquidated Claim, contingent Claim, or unliquidated or contingent portion of a Claim becomes Allowed or is Disallowed, such Claim will be treated as a Disputed Claim for all purposes related to distributions. The Holder of an unliquidated Claim, contingent Claim, or unliquidated or contingent portion of a Claim will be entitled to a distribution under the Plan only when and if such unliquidated or contingent Claim becomes an Allowed Claim.

#### **N. Disallowance of Untimely Claims**

Except as provided herein or otherwise agreed by the Liquidating Trustee, any and all Holders of proofs of claim filed after the applicable Bar Date shall not be treated as Creditors for purposes of voting and distribution pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 3003(c)(2) unless on or before the Voting Deadline or the Confirmation Date, as the case may be, such late proofs of claim are deemed timely filed by a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court.

Claims for which proofs of claim or requests for allowance were required to be filed by a Bar Date occurring before the Effective Date, and with respect to which no proof of claim or request for allowance was filed before the applicable Bar Date, shall be forever Disallowed, barred, and discharged in their entirety as of the Effective Date, and shall not be enforceable against the Debtors, the Liquidating Trust, or the Estates, unless such proofs of claim or requests for allowance are deemed timely filed by a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court before the Effective Date.

Claims for which proofs of claim or requests for allowance are required to be filed after the Effective Date pursuant to a Bar Date established by this Plan, and with respect to which no proof of claim or request for allowance is filed by the applicable Bar Date, shall be forever Disallowed, barred, and discharged in their entirety as of the applicable Bar Date, and shall not be enforceable against the Debtors, the Liquidating Trust, or the Estates.

#### **O. Continued Corporate Existence**

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Plan or Confirmation Order, each Debtor shall continue to exist as a separate corporate entity after the Effective Date solely for the purpose of implementing the Plan unless and until such Debtor is dissolved in accordance with applicable state law pursuant to the terms of the Plan.

The winding down of the Debtors' affairs, filing of any necessary documentation to dissolve the Debtors, and adoption of any and all corporate documents or resolutions necessary or appropriate to implement the Plan are hereby deemed authorized and approved in all respects without further action under any applicable law, regulation, order or rule.

## **P. Limited Consolidation for Voting and Distribution Purposes**

Subject to sections VII(E) above and VII(Q) below, the Plan treats the Debtors as comprising a single Estate solely for the purposes of classification of Claims and Corporate Interests, voting on the Plan, confirmation of the Plan, and making distributions under the Plan with respect to Allowed Claims. All property of each of the Debtors' Estates shall be deemed to be property of a consolidated Estate consisting of all the Debtor's Estates. Each Claim against any of the Debtors will be deemed to be a Claim against the consolidated Estate, and any proof of Claim filed against one or more of the Debtors will be deemed to have been filed against the consolidated Estate. In the Liquidating Trustee's sole and absolute discretion, (i) all guarantees by one of the Debtors in favor of any of the other Debtors may be eliminated, (ii) all guarantees executed by any of the Debtors in favor of any Creditor may be deemed to be a single obligation, and (iii) any and all Claims among or between the Debtor entities may be waived and not entitled to any distribution under the Plan.

Neither the foregoing treatment nor anything else in this Plan shall (i) affect any Debtor's status as a separate and independent legal entity; (ii) affect the Debtors' organizational structure; (iii) constitute a change of control of any Debtor for any purpose; (iv) cause a merger or consolidation of any legal entities; (v) cause a transfer of any Assets; (vi) affect any valid, enforceable, and unavoidable Liens (other than any Liens that secure any Claims eliminated as a result of the limited consolidation and any Liens against any Collateral that ceases to exist as a result of the limited consolidation); (vii) cause any Lien to attach to any property of any Debtor or Estate to which such Lien would not attach in the absence of the limited consolidation provided for in this section VII(P); (viii) create new Collateral with respect to any Lien, charge, or other encumbrance securing the payment or performance of any Claim; (ix) make any Assets or proceeds thereof available for the satisfaction of any Secured Claim that would not be available for the satisfaction of such Secured Claim in the absence of the limited consolidation provided for in this section VII(P); (x) create any Claim in a Class different from the Class in which such Claim would have been placed in the absence of limited consolidation; (xi) change the priority or nature of any Claim; (xii) affect any Debtor's independent ownership of any Assets for any purposes other than the limited consolidation described herein; or (xiii) result in the substantive consolidation of the Debtors. Except as otherwise expressly provided by or permitted in the Plan, all Debtors shall continue to exist as separate and independent legal entities. Further, neither the treatment set forth in this section VII(P) nor anything else in this Plan shall (a) affect any Cause of Action available to any Debtor or Estate; (b) constitute any admission by any Debtor or Estate with respect to any Cause of Action; (c) have any estoppel effect with respect to any Cause of Action; or (d) constitute or affect admissible evidence in

connection with any litigation of any Cause of Action. The treatment described in this section VII(P) serves only as a mechanism to effect a fair distribution of value to the Holders of Allowed Claims.

#### **Q. Right of Relief from Limited Consolidation**

Notwithstanding the terms of section VII(P) above or the effect of section 1127 of the Bankruptcy Code in the event of substantial consummation of this Plan (as defined in section 1101 of the Bankruptcy Code), the Liquidation Trustee shall have the authority to allocate or reallocate Assets of the Estates, including for the purposes of distribution, consistent with section VII(E) above. In addition to the authority to allocate or reallocate Assets in a manner that would otherwise be inconsistent with any term of this Plan with approval of the Bankruptcy Court upon application to the Bankruptcy Court on notice to parties included in the Post-Effective Date Notice List as set forth in section VII(E) above, the Liquidating Trustee shall have the right and authority to apply to the Bankruptcy Court on notice to parties included in the Post-Effective Date Notice List for a substantive consolidation of the Debtors' Estates in the event that the Liquidating Trustee determines, following subsequent investigation and/or discovery or otherwise, that grounds for such substantive consolidation exist.

### **VIII.**

#### **PROVISIONS GOVERNING DISTRIBUTIONS**

##### **A. Delivery of Distributions**

Distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims shall be made at the address of the Holder of such Claim as indicated on the records of the Debtor, or a filed proof of Claim, as applicable.

##### **B. Undeliverable Distributions**

If any Allowed Claim Holder's distribution is returned as undeliverable, no further distributions shall be made to such Holder unless and until the Liquidating Trustee is notified in writing of such Holder's then-current address. Undeliverable distributions shall remain in the possession of the Liquidating Trustee until such time as a distribution becomes deliverable. Undeliverable Cash shall not be entitled to any interest, dividends or other accruals of any kind. Within twenty one (21) days after the end of each calendar quarter following the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall make all distributions that become deliverable during the preceding calendar quarter, except as otherwise provided herein. Any check that is not cashed or otherwise deposited within three months after the check's date shall be deemed an undeliverable distribution under this Plan.

##### **C. Failure to Claim Undeliverable Distributions**

In an effort to ensure that all Holders of Allowed Claims receive their allocated distributions, the Liquidating Trustee will file with the Bankruptcy Court a listing of unclaimed distribution Holders. This list will be maintained and updated as needed for as long as the Chapter 11 Cases stay open. Any Holder of an Allowed Claim that does not assert a Claim pursuant to the Plan for an undeliverable distribution within three (3) months after the first attempted delivery shall have its Claim for such undeliverable distribution discharged and shall be forever barred from asserting any such Claim against the Debtor, the Liquidating Trust Estate, the Liquidating Trustee, or their respective property. In such cases, any Cash held for distribution on account of such Claims shall be property of the Liquidating Trust Estate, free of any restrictions thereon, and shall revert to the account from which such payment was originally issued to be distributed pursuant to the Plan. Nothing contained in the Plan shall require the Liquidating Trustee to attempt to locate any Holder of an Allowed Claim.

#### **D. Compliance with Tax Requirements**

In connection with the Plan, the Liquidating Trustee shall comply with all tax withholding and reporting requirements imposed on it by any Governmental Unit, and all distributions pursuant to the Plan shall be subject to such withholding and reporting requirements. For tax purposes, distributions received in respect of Allowed Claims will be allocated first to the principal amount of Allowed Claims with any excess allocated, if applicable, to unpaid interest that accrued on such Claims.

**Notwithstanding any other provision of this Plan, (a) each Holder of an Allowed Claim that is to receive a distribution pursuant to this Plan shall have sole and exclusive responsibility for the satisfaction and payment of any tax obligations imposed by any Governmental Unit, including income, withholding, and other tax obligations, on account of such distribution, and (b) no distribution shall be made to or on behalf of such Holder pursuant to this Plan unless and until such Holder has made arrangements satisfactory to the Liquidating Trustee for the payment and satisfaction of such withholding tax obligations or such tax obligation that would be imposed upon any disbursing agent in connection with such distribution. Any property to be distributed pursuant to this Plan shall, pending the implementation of such arrangements, be treated as an undeliverable distribution under this Plan.**

#### **E. Minimum Distributions**

If the amount of Cash to be distributed to the Holder of an Allowed Claim is less than fifty dollars (\$50) on a particular Distribution Date, the Trustee may hold the Cash distributions to be made to such Holder until the aggregate amount of Cash to be distributed to such Holder is in an amount equal to or greater than fifty dollars (\$50). Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, if the aggregate amount of Cash distribution owed to any Holder of an Allowed Claim never equals or exceeds fifty dollars (\$50), then the Liquidating Trustee shall not be required to distribute Cash to any such Holder.

#### **F. Rounding**

Whenever any payment of a fraction of a cent would otherwise be called for, the actual payment shall reflect a rounding of such fraction to the nearest whole cent, with one-half cent being rounded up to the nearest whole cent.

#### **G. Setoffs and Recoupments**

The Liquidating Trustee may, pursuant to section 553 of the Bankruptcy Code or applicable non-bankruptcy law, exercise the right of setoff or recoupment against any Allowed Claim and the distributions to be made pursuant to the Plan on account of such Claim (before distribution is made on account of such Claim), the Claims, rights, and Causes of Action of any nature that the Debtors, Estates, or Liquidating Trust may hold 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 Liquidating Trustee of any such Claims, rights, or Causes of Action that the Debtors, Estates, or Liquidating Trust may possess against such Holder.

#### **H. Settlement of Claims and Controversies**

Pursuant to sections 363 and 1123(b) of the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rule 9019 and in consideration for the distributions and other benefits provided pursuant to this Plan, the provisions of this Plan shall constitute a good faith compromise of all Claims, Corporate Interests, and controversies relating to the contractual, legal, and subordination rights that a Holder of a Claim or Corporate Interest may have with respect to any Allowed Claim or Corporate Interest, or any distribution to be made on account of such Allowed Claim or Corporate Interest. The entry of the Confirmation Order shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's approval of the compromise or settlement of all such Claims, Corporate Interests, and controversies, as well as a finding by the Bankruptcy Court that such compromise or settlement is in the best interests of the Debtors, their Estates, and Holders of Claims and Corporate Interests, and is fair, equitable, and reasonable.

#### **I. Distributions Free and Clear**

Except as otherwise provided herein, any distributions under the Plan shall be free and clear of any Liens, Claims, and encumbrances, and no other Entity, including any Debtor, shall have any interest (legal, beneficial or otherwise) in any Estate property distributed pursuant to the Plan.

#### **J. Not Securities; Section 1145 Exemption**

The respective rights of the Holders of Claims and Ownership Interests arising under the Plan are not intended to be "securities" under applicable laws, but the Debtors do not represent or warrant that such rights shall not be securities or shall be entitled to exemption from registration under applicable securities laws. If such rights constitute securities, the Debtors intend for the exemption from registration provided by section 1145 of the Bankruptcy Code and under applicable securities laws to apply to their issuance under the Plan.



## IX.

### **PROCEDURES FOR TREATMENT OF DISPUTED CLAIMS AND CLAIMS THAT HAVE OTHERWISE NOT BEEN ALLOWED**

#### **A. Payments and Distributions on Disputed Claims and Claims That Have Otherwise Not Been Allowed**

Notwithstanding any provision in the Plan to the contrary, except as otherwise agreed by the Liquidating Trustee, in his or her sole discretion, no partial payments and no partial distributions will be made with respect to a Disputed Claim or Claim that has otherwise not been Allowed until such disputes are resolved by settlement or Final Order and the Claim has been Allowed. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any Person or Entity who holds both an Allowed Claim and a separate and distinct Disputed Claim or Claim that has otherwise not been Allowed will receive the appropriate payment or distribution on account of the Allowed Claim, although, except as otherwise agreed by the Liquidating Trustee in his or her sole discretion, no payment or distribution will be made on the Disputed Claim or Claim that has otherwise not been Allowed until such dispute is resolved by settlement or Final Order and the Claim has been Allowed. In the event there is a Disputed Claim or Claim that has otherwise not been Allowed requiring adjudication and resolution, the Liquidating Trustee reserves the right to, or upon order of the Bankruptcy Court shall, establish appropriate reserves for potential payment of such Claim.

#### **B. Safekeeping of Distributable Property**

Pending entry of a Final Order determining an objection to any Disputed Claim or Allowing a Claim that has not otherwise been Allowed, the Liquidating Trustee shall take appropriate steps to safeguard the Cash, notes, or other instruments that would be distributed on account of such Claim if Allowed, but the Liquidating Trustee shall not be required to establish any formal escrow or reserve for such distributable property unless it determines, or the Bankruptcy Court orders, that an escrow or reserve is necessary to ensure that such property is available if and when such Claim is Allowed.

#### **C. Allowance of Claims**

Except as expressly provided herein or in any Order entered in the Chapter 11 Cases prior to the Effective Date (including the Confirmation Order), no Claim shall be deemed Allowed, unless and until such Claim is deemed Allowed under the Plan or the Bankruptcy Code, or the Bankruptcy Court enters a Final Order in the Chapter 11 Cases allowing such Claim. Except as expressly provided in the Plan or in any Order entered in the Chapter 11 Cases prior to the Effective Date (including the Confirmation Order), the Liquidating Trust Estate, on and after the Effective Date, will have and retain any and all rights and defenses the Debtors had with respect to such Claim as of the Petition Date.

**X.**  
**JURISDICTION**

**A. Retention of Jurisdiction**

Notwithstanding the entry of the Confirmation Order and the occurrence of the Effective Date, the Bankruptcy Court shall retain exclusive jurisdiction over the Chapter 11 Cases until the Chapter 11 Cases are closed, including jurisdiction to issue any other Order necessary to administer the Estates or the Liquidating Trust Estate and enforce the terms of this Plan, and/or the Liquidating Trust Agreement pursuant to, and for the purposes of, sections 105(a) and 1142 of the Bankruptcy Code and for, among other things, the following purposes:

- a. To determine the type, allowance, and payment of any Claims upon any objections thereto (or other appropriate proceedings) by the Liquidating Trustee or any other party-in-interest entitled to proceed in that manner;
- b. Except as otherwise limited herein, to recover all Assets of the Debtors and property of the Debtors' Estates, wherever located;
- c. To hear and determine any issue arising under this Plan; provided, however, any action, controversy, dispute, claim, or question arising out of or relating to the right of any party to enforce, contest, and/or litigate the existence, primacy, and/or scope of available coverage and/or any defenses to coverage under the Insurance Policies shall be referred to and resolved solely in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Insurance Policies and applicable non-bankruptcy law, including, but not limited to, any choice of law, forum, or jurisdiction provision therein;
- d. To hear and determine matters concerning state, local, and federal taxes in accordance with sections 346, 505, and 1146 of the Bankruptcy Code;
- e. To hear any other matter not inconsistent with the Bankruptcy Code;
- f. To enter a final decree closing the Chapter 11 Cases;
- g. To ensure that distributions to Holders of Allowed Claims are accomplished pursuant to the provisions of the Plan;
- h. To decide or resolve any motions, adversary proceedings, contested or litigated matters, and any other matters and grant or deny any applications involving the Debtors that may be pending on or instituted by the Liquidating Trustee after the Effective Date;
- i. To issue injunctions, enter and implement other Orders, or take such other actions as may be necessary or appropriate to restrain interference by any Person or Entity with the occurrence of the Effective Date or enforcement of the Plan, except as otherwise provided herein;

j. To determine any other matters that may arise in connection with or relate to the Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the Confirmation Order, or any contract, instrument, release, indenture, or other agreement or document created in connection with the Plan or the Disclosure Statement;

k. To enforce, interpret, and determine any disputes arising in connection with any stipulations, Orders, judgments, injunctions, releases, exculpations, indemnifications, and rulings entered in connection with the Chapter 11 Cases (whether or not the Chapter 11 Cases have been closed);

l. To adjudicate any adversary proceeding or other proceeding which may be commenced against any Person or Entity arising from, related to, or in connection with (i) any Chapter 5 Action; (ii) the D&O Claims; (iii) the Tort Claims; and (iv) claims against third parties relating to the facts and circumstances surrounding the same; provided, however, that nothing in this Plan or the Confirmation Order shall vest the Bankruptcy Court with exclusive jurisdiction over any claims identified in subclauses (ii) through (iv) of this subparagraph (l) or over any dispute relating to coverage under the D&O Policies;

m. To resolve disputes concerning any reserves with respect to Disputed Claims or the administration thereof;

n. To resolve any disputes concerning whether a Person or Entity had sufficient notice of the Chapter 11 Cases, the applicable Bar Date, the hearing on the approval of the Disclosure Statement as containing adequate information, the hearing on the confirmation of the Plan for the purpose of determining whether a Claim is discharged hereunder, or for any other purpose.

## **B. Consent to Jurisdiction**

All creditors who have filed claims in the Chapter 11 Cases shall be deemed to have consented to the jurisdiction of the Bankruptcy Court for purposes of the Causes of Action.

## **XI.**

### **EXCULPATIONS, RELEASES, AND RELATED PROVISIONS**

#### **A. Term of Bankruptcy Injunction or Stay**

All injunctions or stays provided for in the Chapter 11 Cases under sections 105 or 362 of the Bankruptcy Code, or otherwise, and in existence on the Confirmation Date, shall remain in full force and effect until the Effective Date. Except as otherwise expressly provided in the Plan or to the extent necessary to enforce the terms and conditions of the Plan, the Confirmation Order, or a separate Order of the Bankruptcy Court, as of the Effective Date, all entities who have held, hold, or may hold Claims against the Debtors, are permanently enjoined, on and after the Confirmation Date, from (i) commencing or continuing in any manner any action or other proceeding of any kind against the Debtors, the Debtors' respective property, the Debtors' estates, the Liquidating Trust, or the Liquidating Trustee with respect to any such Claim or taking any act to recover such Claim outside of the claims allowance procedure discussed in this

Plan and the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rules; (ii) the enforcement, attachment, collection, or recovery by any manner or means of any judgment, award, decree, or Order against the Debtors, the Debtors' respective property, the Debtors' estates, the Liquidating Trust, or the Liquidating Trustee on account of any such Claim; (iii) creating, perfecting, or enforcing any encumbrance of any kind against the Debtors, the Debtors' respective property, the Debtors' estates, the Liquidating Trust, or the Liquidation Trustee on account of any such Claim; and (iv) asserting any right of setoff, subrogation, or recoupment of any kind against any obligation due from the Debtors, the Debtors' estates, the Liquidating Trust, or the Liquidating Trustee, or against the property or interests in property of the Debtors, the Debtors' estates, the Liquidating Trust, or the Liquidating Trustee on account of any such Claim. Such injunction shall extend for the benefit of the Debtor Representative, the Liquidating Trustee, and any successors of the Debtors, and to any property and interests in property subject to this Plan.

## **B. Exculpation**

Subject to the Chapter 5 Carve Out (defined below) and except as otherwise specifically provided in the Plan, none of the Exculpated Parties shall have or incur any liability to any holder of a Claim or Corporate Interest (including Estate Claims) for any postpetition act or omission in connection with, related to, or arising out of the Chapter 11 Cases, the Plan, the Disclosure Statement, the pursuit of Confirmation, the consummation of the Plan, the administration of the Plan, the property to be liquidated and/or distributed under the Plan or any other postpetition act taken or omitted to be taken in connection with the liquidation of the Debtors (other than for illegal conduct, willful or wanton conduct, or gross negligence, or fraud as determined by a Final Order of a court of competent jurisdiction) and in all respects shall be entitled to rely reasonably upon the advice of counsel with respect to their duties and responsibilities under the Plan.

The foregoing paragraph shall apply to attorneys to the greatest extent permissible under applicable bar rules and case law.

## **C. Release**

**PURSUANT TO BANKRUPTCY CODE SECTION 1123(B), AND NOTWITHSTANDING ANYTHING TO THE CONTRARY IN THE PLAN OR THE CONFIRMATION ORDER, ON AND AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE, FOR GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, THE ADEQUACY OF WHICH IS HEREBY CONFIRMED, AND SUBJECT TO THE NONPROFIT ACT CLAUSE (DEFINED BELOW) AND THE CHAPTER 5 CARVE OUT (DEFINED BELOW), THE RELEASED PARTIES SHALL BE DEEMED RELEASED BY THE DEBTORS AND THE ESTATES FROM ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, OBLIGATIONS, DEBTS, RIGHTS, SUITS, DAMAGES, CAUSES OF ACTION, REMEDIES, AND LIABILITIES WHATSOEVER (OTHER THAN FOR ILLEGAL CONDUCT, GROSS NEGLIGENCE, BAD FAITH, OR FRAUD), INCLUDING DERIVATIVE CLAIMS ASSERTED OR ASSERTABLE ON BEHALF OF THE DEBTORS OR THE ESTATES, AS APPLICABLE, WHETHER KNOWN OR UNKNOWN, FORESEEN OR UNFORESEEN, EXISTING OR HEREINAFTER ARISING, IN LAW, EQUITY, OR OTHERWISE, THAT ANY OF THE DEBTORS OR THE ESTATES, AS APPLICABLE, WOULD HAVE BEEN LEGALLY**

ENTITLED TO ASSERT IN ITS OWN RIGHT, OR ON BEHALF OF THE HOLDER OF ANY CLAIM OR INTEREST OR OTHER ENTITY, BASED ON OR RELATING TO, OR IN ANY MANNER ARISING FROM, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, THE DEBTORS, THE CHAPTER 11 CASES, THE PURCHASE, SALE, TRANSFER, OR RESCISSION OF THE PURCHASE, SALE, OR TRANSFER OF ANY DEBT, CORPORATE INTEREST, ASSET, RIGHT, OR INTEREST OF THE DEBTORS, THE SUBJECT MATTER OF, OR THE TRANSACTIONS OR EVENTS GIVING RISE TO, ANY CLAIM OR CORPORATE INTEREST THAT IS TREATED IN THE PLAN, THE BUSINESS OR CONTRACTUAL ARRANGEMENTS BETWEEN THE DEBTORS AND ANY RELEASED PARTY, THE RESTRUCTURING OF CLAIMS AND INTERESTS PRIOR TO OR IN THE CHAPTER 11 CASES, THE NEGOTIATION, FORMULATION, OR PREPARATION OF THE PLAN AND ANY OTHER AGREEMENTS OR DOCUMENTS EFFECTUATING THE PLAN, OR RELATED AGREEMENTS, INSTRUMENTS, OR OTHER DOCUMENTS, AND ANY OTHER ACT OR OMISSION, TRANSACTION, AGREEMENT, EVENT, OR OTHER OCCURRENCE TAKING PLACE ON OR BEFORE THE EFFECTIVE DATE RELATING TO THE DEBTORS OR THE ESTATES. FOR PURPOSES OF THE RELEASES CONTAINED IN THE PLAN, THE LIQUIDATING TRUSTEE IS DEEMED TO BE A SUCCESSOR TO THE ESTATES AND, THEREFORE, IS BOUND BY THE RELEASES CONTAINED IN THE PLAN.

NOTWITHSTANDING THE FOREGOING, THE DEBTORS' DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS INCLUDED IN THE DEFINITION OF "RELEASED PARTIES" SHALL ONLY BE DEEMED RELEASED BY THE DEBTORS AND THE ESTATES FROM CLAIMS, OBLIGATIONS, DEBTS, RIGHTS, SUITS, DAMAGES, CAUSES OF ACTION, REMEDIES, AND LIABILITIES: (I) TO THE EXTENT THE DEBTORS' DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS ARE IMMUNE FROM SUIT UNDER T.C.A. § 48-58-601; (II) FOR CONFLICTED TRANSACTIONS SOLELY TO THE EXTENT CONSISTENT WITH AND SUBJECT TO T.C.A. § 48-58-702; AND (III) FOR MONETARY DAMAGES FOR BREACH OF FIDUCIARY DUTY SOLELY TO THE EXTENT ELIMINATED, IF AT ALL, PURSUANT TO THE DEBTORS' CHARTERS AND BYLAWS, CONSISTENT WITH AND SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF T.C.A. §§ 48-51-101 *ET SEQ.* (THE "NONPROFIT ACT") (COLLECTIVELY "THE NONPROFIT ACT CLAUSE"). FOR THE AVOIDANCE OF DOUBT, THE DEBTORS' DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS NOT INCLUDED IN THE DEFINITION OF "RELEASED PARTIES" ARE NOT DEEMED RELEASED PURSUANT TO ANY TERMS OF THE PLAN OR ANY RELATED DOCUMENTS.

Nothing contained in this Plan or any related document shall be deemed to alter, modify, or expand in any way the rights or immunities set forth in the Nonprofit Act, including, but not limited to, sections 48-58-601 and 48-58-702. In the event of any conflict or inconsistency between the terms of this Plan and the provisions of the Nonprofit Act, the provisions of the Nonprofit Act shall govern and control for all purposes.

For the avoidance of doubt, except as set specifically forth herein, nothing in this Plan or any related document shall impair any rights with respect to any D&O Claims and all D&O Claims are expressly reserved and preserved.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, nothing in this Plan or any related document shall be deemed to release, exculpate, discharge or otherwise waive any Chapter 5 Actions (the “Chapter 5 Carve Out”).

ENTRY OF THE CONFIRMATION ORDER SHALL CONSTITUTE THE BANKRUPTCY COURT’S APPROVAL, PURSUANT TO BANKRUPTCY RULE 9019, OF THE RELEASE OF THE RELEASED PARTIES BY THE DEBTORS AND THE ESTATES, WHICH INCLUDES BY REFERENCE EACH OF THE RELATED PROVISIONS AND DEFINITIONS CONTAINED HEREIN, AND FURTHER, SHALL CONSTITUTE THE BANKRUPTCY COURT’S FINDING THAT THE RELEASE OF THE RELEASED PARTIES BY THE DEBTORS AND THE ESTATES IS: (A) IN EXCHANGE FOR THE GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION PROVIDED BY THE RELEASED PARTIES; (B) A GOOD FAITH SETTLEMENT AND COMPROMISE OF THE CLAIMS RELEASED BY THE DEBTORS OR THE ESTATES; (C) IN THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE DEBTORS, THE ESTATES AND ALL HOLDERS OF CLAIMS AND INTERESTS; (D) FAIR, EQUITABLE, AND REASONABLE; (E) GIVEN AND MADE AFTER DUE NOTICE AND OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING; AND (F) A BAR TO THE DEBTORS OR THE ESTATES ASSERTING ANY CLAIM OR CAUSE OF ACTION RELEASED PURSUANT TO THE RELEASE BY THE DEBTORS OR THE ESTATES.

**D. Limitation on Liability of Liquidating Trustee and Debtor Representative**

Neither the Liquidating Trustee nor the Debtor Representative will be liable for any act they may do or omit to do as Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative under the Plan and the Liquidating Trust Agreement, as applicable, while acting in good faith and in the exercise of their reasonable business judgment; nor will the Liquidating Trustee or the Debtor Representative be liable in any event except for gross negligence, willful fraud, or willful misconduct. The foregoing limitation on liability also will apply to any Person (including any Liquidating Trustee Professional) employed by the Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative and acting on behalf of the Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative in the fulfillment of their respective duties hereunder or under the Liquidating Trust Agreement. Also, the Debtor Representative, the Liquidating Trustee, and any Person (including any Liquidating Trustee Professional) employed by the Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative and acting on behalf of the Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative shall be entitled to indemnification out of the assets of the Liquidating Trust against any losses, liabilities, expenses (including attorneys’ fees and disbursements), damages, taxes, suits, or claims that they may incur or sustain by reason of being, having been, or being employed by the Liquidating Trustee or Debtor Representative, or for performing any functions incidental to such service.

To the extent of the exculpation as provided in section XI(B) above and the release provided in section XI(C) above, the Liquidating Trust is deemed to release each Person and Entity exculpated and released, or whose liability is limited, under this subsection from any liability arising from any act or omission occurring after the Petition Date and in connection with, relating to, or arising out of the Chapter 11 Cases, except as provided herein.

**E. Injunction**

FROM AND AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE, TO THE EXTENT OF THE EXCULPATIONS, LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY, AND RELEASES GRANTED IN THIS PLAN, ALL PARTIES SHALL BE PERMANENTLY ENJOINED FROM COMMENCING OR CONTINUING IN ANY MANNER AGAINST THE EXCULPATED PARTIES, THE RELEASED PARTIES, OR PARTIES WHOSE LIABILITY IS LIMITED (COLLECTIVELY, THE “**PROTECTED PARTIES**”), AND THEIR RESPECTIVE ASSETS AND PROPERTIES, AS THE CASE MAY BE, ANY SUIT, ACTION, OR OTHER PROCEEDING ON ACCOUNT OF OR RESPECTING ANY CLAIM, DEMAND, LIABILITY, OBLIGATION, DEBT, RIGHT, CAUSE OF ACTION, INTEREST, OR REMEDY WITH RESPECT TO WHICH SUCH PROTECTED PARTIES ARE EXCULPATED OR RELEASED OR WITH RESPECT TO WHICH SUCH PROTECTED PARTIES’ LIABILITY IS OTHERWISE LIMITED.

**F. Nondischarge of the Debtors**

In accordance with section 1141(d)(3) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Confirmation Order will not discharge Claims. However, no Holder of a Claim may receive any payment from, or seek recourse against, any assets that are to be distributed under the Plan other than assets required to be distributed to that Holder pursuant to the Plan. As of the Confirmation Date, all Persons are enjoined from asserting against any property that is to be distributed under the Plan any Claims, rights, Causes of Action, liabilities, or interests based upon any act, omission, transaction, or other activity that occurred before the Effective Date except as expressly provided in the Plan or the Confirmation Order.

**G. Cancellation of Documents**

On the Effective Date, except to the extent otherwise provided in this Plan, any and all notes, instruments, debentures, certificates, and other documents evidencing Claims against the Debtors shall be deemed inoperative and unenforceable solely as against the Debtors and their Estates.

**H. Effect of Plan on Released Claims and Liens**

Nothing contained in this Plan shall revive, preserve, or transfer any Claims or Liens that have been released pursuant to any prior Order of the Bankruptcy Court.

**XII.**

**MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS**

**A. Conditions Precedent to the Effective Date**

The following are conditions precedent to the occurrence of the Effective Date, each of which must be satisfied or waived in writing:

a. the Confirmation Order, authorizing and directing that the Debtors take all actions necessary or appropriate to enter into, implement, and consummate the contracts, instruments, releases, and other agreements or documents created in connection with the Plan

and the transactions contemplated thereby, including, without limitation, the transactions contemplated by the Liquidating Trust Agreement, shall have been entered and become a Final Order;

b. the Liquidating Trustee shall have accepted, in writing, the terms of his service and compensation, and such terms and compensation shall have been approved by the Bankruptcy Court in the Confirmation Order;

c. the Liquidating Trust shall have been established;

d. the sales of Gilmore Medical Center, Panola Hospital, and Clarksdale Medical Center shall have closed or Gilmore Medical Center, Panola Hospital, and Clarksdale Medical Center shall have otherwise been disposed of; and

e. all other actions, authorizations, consents and regulatory approvals required (if any) and necessary to implement the provisions of the Plan shall have been obtained, effected or executed in a manner acceptable to the Debtors and the Committee or, if waivable, waived by the Person or Persons entitled to the benefit thereof.

## **B. Effect of Failure of Condition**

If each condition to the Effective Date has not been satisfied or duly waived within sixty (60) days after the Confirmation Date, then (unless the period for satisfaction or waiver of conditions has been extended at the joint option of the Plan Proponents for a period not exceeding ninety (90) days) upon motion by any party in interest, made before the time that each of the conditions has been satisfied or duly waived and upon notice to such parties in interest as the Bankruptcy Court may direct, the Confirmation Order will be vacated by the Bankruptcy Court; provided, however, that notwithstanding the filing of such motion, the Confirmation Order may not be vacated if each of the conditions to the Effective Date is either satisfied or duly waived by the Plan Proponents or the Liquidating Trustee, as the case may be, before the Bankruptcy Court enters a Final Order granting such motion. If the Confirmation Order is vacated pursuant to this Plan, the Plan shall be deemed null and void in all respects, and nothing contained herein shall (i) constitute a waiver or release of any Claims by or against the Debtors or (ii) prejudice in any manner the rights of the Debtors or the Committee.

## **C. Waiver of Conditions to the Effective Date**

The Debtors and the Committee, jointly and in their sole discretion, may waive any or all of the conditions to the Effective Date (except those set forth in section XII(A)(a)-(c) above), in whole or in part, at any time, without notice or an Order of the Bankruptcy Court. In that event, the Debtors and the Committee will be entitled to render any or all of their performance under the Plan prior to what otherwise would be the Effective Date if the above-referenced conditions were not waived, including, but not limited to, the right to perform under any circumstances which would moot any appeal, review, or other challenge of any kind to the Confirmation Order if the Confirmation Order is not stayed pending such appeal, review, or other challenge. The failure to satisfy or to waive any condition may be asserted by the Debtors or the Committee regardless of the circumstances giving rise to failure of such condition to be satisfied (including



any action or inaction by the Debtors). The failure of the Debtors or the Committee to exercise any of the foregoing rights will not be deemed a waiver of any other rights, and each such right will be deemed an ongoing right that may be asserted at any time.

#### **D. Modification of the Plan**

The Plan and any Exhibits thereto may be modified jointly by the Plan Proponents, or the Liquidating Trustee, as applicable, from time to time in accordance with Bankruptcy Code section 1127 and Bankruptcy Rule 3019. The Plan and any exhibits thereto may be modified at any time before the entry of the Confirmation Order pursuant to section 1127(a) of the Bankruptcy Code; and after the entry of the Confirmation Order, the Plan Proponents, or the Liquidating Trustee, as applicable may, upon Order of the Bankruptcy Court, amend or modify the Plan and any Exhibits thereto 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.

Objections with respect to any amendments or modifications to the Plan (as and to the extent permitted hereby) filed after the deadline for objections to the Plan, as set by the Bankruptcy Court, may be brought at the Confirmation Hearing. The Plan, and any modification or supplement thereof, may be inspected in the Office of the Clerk or its designee during normal business hours. Holders of Claims may obtain a copy of the Plan and any supplement or modification, if any, by contacting BMC at (888) 909-0100 or by reviewing such document on the internet at <https://www.bmcgroup.com/curaehealth>. The documents annexed to the Disclosure Statement or contained in any modification or supplement to the Plan or the Disclosure Statement are an integral part of the Plan and shall be approved by the Bankruptcy Court pursuant to the Confirmation Order.

#### **E. Extension of Time**

For cause shown, any deadlines herein that are applicable to the Debtors, the Committee, the Liquidating Trustee, the Debtor Representative, or the Liquidating Trust Estate and which are not otherwise extendable, may be extended by the Bankruptcy Court.

#### **F. Post-Effective Date Notice List**

Because certain Persons may not desire to continue to receive notices after the Effective Date, this Plan provides for the establishment of a Post-Effective Date Notice List. Persons on such Post-Effective Date Notice List will be given certain notices and in some cases an opportunity to object to certain matters under this Plan (as described herein). Any Person desiring to be included in the Post-Effective Date Notice List must (i) file a request to be included on the Post-Effective Date Notice List and include thereon its name, contact person, address, telephone number and facsimile number, within thirty (30) days after the Effective Date, and (ii) concurrently serve a copy of its request to be included on the Post-Effective Date Notice List on the Liquidating Trustee and his or her counsel. On or before sixty (60) days after the Effective Date, the Liquidating Trustee shall compile a list of all Persons on the Post-Effective Date Notice List and file such list with the Bankruptcy Court. Those parties set forth in section

XII(J) of the Plan shall be included in the Post-Effective Date Notice List without the necessity of filing a request.

#### **G. Revocation of Plan**

The Plan Proponents reserve the right to jointly seek revocation of the Confirmation Order pursuant to section 1144 of the Bankruptcy Code. If the Bankruptcy Court revokes the Confirmation Order pursuant to section 1144 of the Bankruptcy Code, or if confirmation or the Effective Date of the Plan does not occur, then (i) the Plan shall be null and void in all respects; (ii) any settlement or compromise embodied in the Plan (including the fixing or limiting to an amount certain any Claim or Class of Claims), assumption or rejection of Executory Contracts or leases affected by the Plan, and any document or agreement executed pursuant hereto, shall be deemed null and void, and except as herein provided; and (iii) nothing contained in the Plan shall (a) constitute a waiver or release of any Claims by or against the Debtors or any other person, (b) prejudice in any manner the Debtors', the Committee's, or any Person's rights, or (c) constitute the Debtors' or the Committee's or any Person's admission of any sort.

#### **H. Successors and Assigns**

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

#### **I. Reservation of Rights**

Except as expressly set forth herein, the Plan shall have no force or effect until the Bankruptcy Court has entered the Confirmation Order. Neither the filing of the Plan, any statement or provision contained in the Plan, nor the Debtors' taking of any action with respect to the Plan or the Disclosure Statement shall be or shall be deemed to be an admission or waiver of any of the Debtors' rights with respect to the Holders of Claims prior to the Effective Date.

#### **J. Service of Documents**

Any pleading, notice, or other document required or permitted to be made in accordance with this Plan shall be made in writing and shall be delivered personally, by facsimile transmission, electronic mail or by first class U.S. mail, postage prepaid, as follows:

To the Debtor:

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Attn: David E. Gordon  
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To the Committee:

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and

Manier & Herod, P.C.  
Attn: Michael E. Collins  
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**K. Filing of Additional Documents and Notice of Effective Date**

On or before the Effective Date, the Debtors and/or the Committee 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 Liquidating Trustee shall file a notice of the Effective Date as soon as practicable after the Effective Date and shall serve such notice on all parties that are entitled to notice under Bankruptcy Rule 2002.

**L. Severability**

The provisions of the Plan shall not be severable unless the Plan Proponents agree to such severance and such severance would constitute a permissible modification of the Plan pursuant to section 1127 of the Bankruptcy Code.

**M. Entire Agreement**

The Plan, and any supplements or amendments hereto, supersedes all previous and contemporaneous negotiations, promises, covenants, agreements, understandings, and representations on such subjects (other than the Liquidating Trust Agreement), all of which have become merged and integrated into the Plan.

**N. Governing Law**

Except to the extent the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rules, or other federal law is applicable, or to the extent an exhibit to the Plan provides otherwise, the rights and obligations arising under the Plan shall be governed by, and construed and enforced in accordance with, the laws of the State of Tennessee, without giving effect to the principles of conflicts of law of such jurisdiction.

**O. Closing of the Chapter 11 Cases**

Consistent with the other terms of this Plan, the Liquidating Trustee shall promptly, upon the full administration of the Chapter 11 Cases, file with the Bankruptcy Court all documents

required by Bankruptcy Rule 3022 and any applicable Order of the Bankruptcy Court to close the Chapter 11 Cases.

Dated: February 28, 2019

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Debtors and Debtors in Possession

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**Exhibit B**

Notice of Effective Date

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**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
NASHVILLE DIVISION**

In re:

Curae Health, Inc., *et al.*<sup>1</sup>

1721 Midpark Road, Suite C300  
Knoxville, TN 37921

Debtors.

Chapter 11

Lead Case No. 18-05665

Judge Walker

Jointly Administered

**NOTICE OF (I) ENTRY OF FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF  
LAW, AND ORDER CONFIRMING THE JOINT CHAPTER 11 PLAN OF  
LIQUIDATION OF CURAE HEALTH, INC., *et al.* AND (II) EFFECTIVE  
DATE**

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that an order (the “**Confirmation Order**”) of the Honorable Charles M. Walker, United States Bankruptcy Judge for the Middle District of Tennessee, confirming and approving the *Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Liquidation* of Curae Health, Inc. *et al.* [Docket No. 834] (including all exhibits thereto and as the same may be amended, modified, or supplemented from time to time, the “**Joint Plan**”) was entered on May ●, 2019 [Docket No. ●].

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that, all conditions precedent to effectiveness pursuant to Article XII of the Joint Plan have been satisfied or waived. Therefore, ● ●, 2019, is the Effective Date of the Joint Plan.

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that the Joint Plan and its provisions are binding on, among others, the Debtors, all Holders of Claims and Corporate Interests (irrespective of whether such Claims or Corporate Interests are impaired under the Joint Plan or whether the Holders of such Claims have voted to accept or reject the Joint Plan), and any and all non-Debtor parties to executory contracts and unexpired leases with the Debtors, as provided in the Joint Plan.

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** all final requests for payment of Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims (the “**Final Fee Applications**”) must be filed no later than ●, 2019 (*i.e.*, sixty (60) days after the Effective Date). The procedures for processing Final Fee Applications are set forth in the Joint Plan. If a Professional does not timely submit a Final Fee Application, such Professional shall be forever barred from seeking payment of such Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claim from the Debtors, their Estates, or the Liquidating Trust.

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<sup>1</sup> The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor’s federal tax identification number, are Curae Health, Inc. (5638); Amory Regional Medical Center, Inc. (2640); Batesville Regional Medical Center, Inc. (7929); and Clarksdale Regional Medical Center, Inc. (4755); Amory Regional Physicians, LLC (5044); Batesville Regional Physicians, LLC (4952); Clarksdale Regional Physicians, LLC (5311).

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that requests for payment of Administrative Expense Claims (other than Professional Compensation and Reimbursement Claims) against the Debtors that arose, accrued or otherwise became due and payable at any time on or after August 24, 2018, but on or before the Effective Date (the “**Administrative Claims Period**”) must be filed with the Bankruptcy Court and served on the Debtors or Post-Effective Date Debtors, as applicable, no later than ●, 2019 (*i.e.*, sixty (60) days after the Effective Date) (the “**Administrative Bar Date**”). Holders of Administrative Expense Claims that arose, accrued, or otherwise became due during the Administrative Claims Period that do not file requests for the allowance and payment thereof on or before the Administrative Bar Date shall forever be barred from asserting such Administrative Expense Claims against the Debtors, their Estates, or the Liquidating Trust.

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that as set forth in Article VI of the Joint Plan, except as otherwise provided therein, all Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases which have not been assumed are rejected as of the Effective Date. If the rejection by the Debtors, pursuant to the Joint Plan, of an Executory Contract or Unexpired Leases gives rise to a Claim, such Claim shall be forever Disallowed, barred, and discharged in its entirety, and shall not be enforceable against the Debtors, the Liquidating Trust, or the Estates unless a proof of Claim is filed and served on the Debtors or the Liquidating Trust and their counsel within thirty (30) days after the Confirmation Date.

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002, after the Effective Date, to continue to receive notices pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002, all Creditors and other parties in interest who are not included in the Post-Effective Date Notice List must file a renewed notice of appearance with the Bankruptcy Court requesting receipt of documents pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2002.

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that copies of the Joint Plan can be obtained from Polsinelli PC by: (a) email to Polsinelli PC at cewang@polsinelli.com; (b) calling (404) 253-6016; or (c) mail at Polsinelli PC, RE: Curae Health Inc., et al., Attn: Caryn Wang, 1201 West Peachtree Street NW, Atlanta, GA 30309.

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