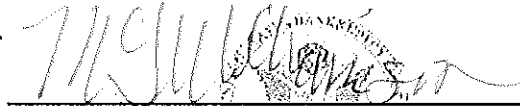



ORDERED.

Dated: Aug. 12, 2019




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Michael G. Williamson  
Chief United States Bankruptcy Judge



UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
FORT MYERS DIVISION

In re:

Case No. 9:08-bk-04360-MGW

Ulrich Felix Anton Engler  
Private Commercial Office, Inc.,  
And PCO Client Management, Inc.,

Chapter 7  
(Substantively Consolidated)

Debtors.

Administrative Claims Bar Date:  
30 days from entry of this Order

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**ORDER APPROVING  
FINAL APPLICATION FOR COMPENSATION AND  
REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES TO DR. ANNEROSE  
TASHIRO AND THE LAW FIRM OF SCHULTZE & BRAUN GMBH  
RECHTSANWALTSGESELLSCHAFT AS SPECIAL COUNSEL  
FOR CHAPTER 7 TRUSTEE, ROBERT E. TARDIF, JR. (DOC. 1656)**

THIS CASE came on for hearing before this Court on July 25, 2019, on the Supplemental Fee Application for Allowance and Payment of Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses to Dr. Annerose Tashiro and the Law Firm of Schultze & Braun GmbH Rechtsanwalts-gesellschaft (“Schultze & Braun”) (collectively, the “Applicants”) as Special Counsel (Doc. 1656)

(“Application”). On May, 31, 2019, this Court entered its Supplemental and Final Order on Amended Joint Motion for Turnover of Undistributed Bankruptcy Estate Funds from the Law Firm of Urban Their Federer & Chinnery, P.A. (Doc. 1630) (“Turnover Order”). The Turnover Order directed that any final application for administrative expenses shall be filed by any professional within 30 days of the entry of this order. The Applicants filed their Application on June 28, 2019, within the period specified by this Court in the Turnover Order.

The Application sets forth in sufficient detail the services rendered to the Estate and addresses the factors set forth in *American Benefit Life Ins. Co. v. Baddock (In re First Colonial Corp.)*. This Court finds that the Estate benefitted from the services rendered by Dr. Tashiro and Schultze & Braun. Namely, these services allowed numerous unrepresented parties to receive their lawful distribution consistent with the provisions of Title 11, a benefit such parties were unlikely to otherwise receive. Accordingly, consistent with this Court’s equitable powers and its authority to exercise power over funds held by its registry, this Court finds that the services rendered by the Applicants were reasonable and necessary to maximize the benefit to the Estate.

This Court having reviewed the Application, having heard argument from counsel and being otherwise familiar with the papers and pleadings in this case, there being no objections to the Application raised, and for the reasons stated in open court, which shall constitute the decision of this Court, finds that it is appropriate to approve the Application.

Accordingly, it is:

**ORDERED**

1. The Application is hereby APPROVED to the extent set forth herein.

2. The Clerk of this Court is hereby authorized and directed to transfer \$98,500.90 to Dr. Annerose Tashiro and Schultze & Braun, through its local counsel, Shumaker, Loop & Kendrick, LLP, out of the funds in the registry of this Court in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 67 (“Registry Funds”), representing \$56,731.55 in fees and \$41,769.35 in costs.

3. The check in the amount of \$98,500.90 should be made payable to: Shumaker, Loop & Kendrick, LLP’s Trust Account, 101 E. Kennedy Blvd., Suite 2800, Tampa, FL 33602.

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Attorney Steven M. Berman is directed to serve a copy of this order on interest parties and file a proof of service within 3 days of entry of the order.

The Chapter 7 Trustee shall also serve a copy of this Order upon the United States Attorney and upon either the Clerk of Court, the Chief Deputy Clerk, the Chief Financial Deputy Clerk, or the appropriate resident clerk's office Division Manager.