

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA, FORT MYERS DIVISION

In Re:

ULRICH FELIX ANTON ENGLER

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

Debtor.

**APPLICATION FOR AUTHORITY TO PAY A COST RETAINER
TO SPECIAL COUNSEL TO TRUSTEE**

Comes now, Robert E. Tardif Jr., as Trustee in Bankruptcy of the above-captioned matter, and he does hereby make application unto this Honorable Court for authority to pay a cost retainer in the amount of \$15,000.00 to Thomas A. Tucker Ronzetti of Kozyak Tropin and Throckmorton, for potential investigation and litigation work to be performed on behalf of the Trustee and against Wachovia Bank and SunTrust Bank in this case. The Court authorized the employment of Special Counsel January 3, 2011.

WHEREFORE, the trustee prays that the above retainer be allowed and paid.

Certificate of Service

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished electronically to the Assistant United States Trustee, 501 E. Polk Street, Suite 1200, Tampa, Florida 33602 on January 3, 2011.

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