IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re:	)	**Chapter 11**
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EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES, et al.,	)	**Case No. 02-11125 (KJC)**
a Delaware corporation,	)	
	)	**Jointly Administered**
Debtors.	)	

APPLICATION FOR COMPENSATION AND
FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES

Name of Applicant: Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP

Authorized to Provide
Professional Services to: Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors

Date of Retention: June 14, 2002 (nunc pro tunc to April 29, 2002)

Period for which compensation
and reimbursement is sought: April 1, 2003 through April 30, 2003

Amount of Compensation sought as
actual, reasonable, and necessary: $153,999.25

Amount of Expense Reimbursement sought
as actual, reasonable, and necessary: $7,170.31

This is the twelfth interim fee application.

Prior Fee Applications:

Time Period	Fees	Expenses	Status
04/29/02 – 05/31/02	$215,965.50	$7,255.33	Payment received pursuant to Court Order.
06/01/02 – 06/30/02	$193,756.00	$10,423.30	Payment received pursuant to Court Order.
07/01/02 – 07/31/02	$355,078.50	$18,270.78	Payment received pursuant to Court Order.
08/01/02 – 08/31/02	$248,704.50	$8,348.28	Payment received pursuant to Court Order.
09/01/02 – 09/30/02	$220,409.00	$4,354.86	Payment received pursuant to Court Order.
10/01/02 – 10/31/02	$334,026.25	$14,540.66	Payment received pursuant to Court Order.
11/01/02 – 11/30/02	$278,913.50	$20,474.80	Pending. Payment received pursuant to Administrative Fee Order.
12/01/02 – 12/31/02	$83,161.25	$21,993.29	Pending. Payment received pursuant to Administrative Fee Order.
01/01/03 – 01/31/03	$61,670.00	$4,379.28	Pending. Payment received pursuant to Administrative Fee Order.
02/01/03 – 02/28/03	$103,754.25	$11,414.19	Pending. Certificate of No Objection filed with the Court.
03/01/03 – 03/31/03	$124,102.25	$4,782.43	Pending. Certificate of No Objection filed with the Court.

ATTACHMENT B
TO THE FEE APPLICATION
FOR THE PERIOD
APRIL 1, 2003 THROUGH APRIL 30, 2003

Name of Professional Person	Position of the Applicant, Number of Years in that Position at Current or Prior Firms, Year of Obtaining License to Practice, Area of Expertise	Hourly Billing Rate	Total Billed Hours	Total Compensation
Kerry Berchem	Partner for 2 years; Admitted in 1991; Corporate Department	$460	12.20	$5,612.00
Susan Cohen	Partner for 6 years; Admitted in 1988; Corporate Department	$500	3.50	$1,750.00
Fred S. Hodara	Partner for 12 years; Admitted in 1982; Financial Restructuring Department	$675	31.45	$21,228.75
Elaine LaFlame	Partner for 5 years; Admitted in 1988; Corporate Department	$475	2.60	$1,235.00
David Zensky	Partner for 8 years; Admitted in 1987; Litigation Department	$525	8.30	$4,357.50
James Cowan	Counsel for 1 year; Admitted in 1991; Litigation Department	$410	22.70	$9,307.00
Stefan Dombrowski	Senior Counsel for 2 years; Admitted in 1991; Corporate Department	$450	36.40	$16,380.00
Robert Lennon	Counsel for 1 year; Admitted in 1993; Corporate Department	$420	10.60	$4,452.00
Jeffrey Anapolsky	Associate for 1 year; Admitted in 2000; Financial Restructuring Department	$225	36.80	$8,280.00
Joanne Doughty	Associate for 1 year; Admitted 2003; Financial Restructuring Department	$275	87.30	$24,007.50
Kathleen Kalaher	Associate for 2 years; Admitted in 1999; Corporate Department	$315	3.60	$1,134.00

Name of Professional Person	Position of the Applicant, Number of Years in that Position at Current or Prior Firms, Year of Obtaining License to Practice, Area of Expertise	Hourly Billing Rate	Total Billed Hours	Total Compensation
Mary Masella	Associate for 4 years; Admitted in 1998; Financial Restructuring Department	$400	120.05	$48,020.00
Peter Wahl	Associate for 3 years; Admitted in 2000; Corporate Department	$250	21.30	$5,325.00
Frank Grese	Legal Assistant for 1 year; Financial Restructuring Department	$150	1.00	$150.00
Christana Jung	Legal Assistant for 3 years; Financial Restructuring Department	$160	8.80	$1,408.00
George Ruge	Legal Assistant for 18 years; Litigation department	$160	2.00	$320.00
Peter J. Sprofera	Legal Assistant for 26 years; Financial Restructuring Department	$175	5.90	$1,032.50

Total Amount of Fees: $153,999.25
Number of Hours: 414.50
Blended Hourly Rate: $371.53

EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES
PROJECT CATEGORY SUMMARY
APRIL 1, 2003 THROUGH APRIL 30, 2003

Project Category	Total Hours	Total Fees
General Case Administration	22.60	$10,303.50
Fee Application/Monthly Billing Reports	25.50	$7,117.00
Analysis/Review of Other Prof. Fee Apps.	6.20	$1,705.50
Review/Preparation of Schedules, Statements	8.00	$1,800.00
Retention of Professionals	16.70	$4,452.50
Creditors Committee Meetings	67.20	$27,594.00
Court Hearings	17.10	$6,907.50
Financial Reports and Analysis	7.10	$3,173.00
DIP & Exit Financing	47.80	$20,762.50
Executory Contracts/License Agreements	16.10	$5,610.50
General Claims Analysis/Claims Objections	79.00	$27,105.00
Analysis of Pre-Petition Transactions	16.00	$6,437.50
Adversary Proceeding/Litigation Matters	59.40	$19,880.00
Exclusivity	10.70	$4,565.00
Plan and Disclosure Statement and Plan Related Documentation	0.90	$607.50
Asset Sales/Business Liquidations	4.90	$1,980.00
Travel Time (billed @ 50% normal rate)	9.30	$3,998.25
Total	**414.50**	**$153,999.25**

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TWELFTH APPLICATION OF AKIN GUMP STRAUSS HAUER & FELD LLP, CO-COUNSEL FOR THE OFFICIAL COMMITTEE OF UNSECURED CREDITORS, FOR INTERIM ALLOWANCE OF COMPENSATION AND FOR THE REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES FOR SERVICES RENDERED DURING THE PERIOD FROM APRIL 1, 2003 THROUGH APRIL 30, 2003

TO: THE HONORABLE KEVIN J. CAREY,
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP ("Akin Gump" or "Applicant"), co-counsel to the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors (the "Committee") of Exide Technologies ("Exide") and its affiliated debtors and debtors-in-possession (collectively, the "Debtors"), in connection with its twelfth application (the "Application") pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §§ 330 and 331 for an interim allowance of compensation for services rendered and for reimbursement of expenses incurred in connection therewith, respectfully represents:

I. INTRODUCTION

1. By this Application, Akin Gump seeks (i) an interim allowance and award of compensation for the professional services rendered by Akin Gump as attorneys

for the Committee for the period from April 1, 2003 through April 30, 2003 (the "Compensation Period") in the amount of $153,999.25, representing 396.8 hours in professional services and 17.7 hours in law clerk paraprofessional services; and (ii) reimbursement of actual and necessary expenses incurred by Akin Gump during the Compensation Period in connection with the rendition of such professional services and paraprofessional services in the amount of $7,170.31.[1]

2. This Application is submitted pursuant to the terms of the Order, under 11 U.S.C. §§105(a) and 331, Establishing Procedures for Interim Compensation and Reimbursement of Professionals dated May 10, 2002 (the "Administrative Fee Order"). Pursuant to the Administrative Fee Order, Akin Gump is seeking payment of $153,999.25 of fees and $7,170.31 for reimbursement of its expenses relating to services rendered during the Compensation Period. If no objections are filed to this Application, Akin Gump will file a certification of no objection (the "Certification") with respect to this Application. Pursuant to the Administrative Fee Order, after the filing of the Certification, the Debtors are authorized to pay Akin Gump 80% of the fees requested and 100% of the expenses requested, subject to a hearing on the Application.

II. BACKGROUND

3. On April 15, 2002 (the "Petition Date"), each of the Debtors filed with this Court their voluntary petitions for relief under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy

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[1] Certain expenses were incurred in prior compensation periods, but as a result of the timing of Akin Gump's receipt of invoices related thereto are included in this fee request.

Code. On April 17, 2002, this Court entered an order procedurally consolidating these chapter 11 cases for administrative purposes only.

4. The Debtors have continued in possession of their property and have continued to operate and manage their businesses as debtors-in-possession pursuant to §§ 1107(a) and 1108 of the Bankruptcy Code.

5. This Court has jurisdiction over the Application pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334. Venue is proper in this district pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409. This is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(2). The statutory predicates for the relief sought herein are 11 U.S.C. §§ 330 and 331 and Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure 2002(a) and 2016.

6. In November 2001, the Debtors commenced negotiations with an informal committee (the "Informal Committee") comprised of certain holders of Exide's 10% Senior Notes due 2005 and 2.9% Convertible Subordinated Notes due 2005, as well as certain holders of 9.125% Deutsche Mark denominated Senior Notes due 2004 issued by Exide Holding Europe S.A., in an effort to reach a consensual restructuring of the Debtors' debt obligations. Akin Gump served as counsel to the Informal Committee. The Informal Committee dissolved prior to the formation of the Committee and two members of the Informal Committee were appointed members of the Committee. One of those members subsequently resigned from the Committee. Smith Management LLC, which was appointed to the Committee in December 2002, also was a member of the Informal Committee. At a later date, Akin Gump intends to file an application with this Court seeking compensation for the services rendered by Akin Gump to the Informal

Committee during the period of April 15, 2002 through April 28, 2002 under Section 503(b) of the Bankruptcy Code.

7. On April 29, 2002 (the "Committee Formation Date"), pursuant to Section 1102 of the Bankruptcy Code, the United States Trustee appointed the Committee. The Committee currently consists of nine members.[2] On the Committee Formation Date, the Committee selected Akin Gump to serve as co-counsel to the Committee pursuant to Section 1103(a) of the Bankruptcy Code.

8. Except with respect to the receipt of payment for services rendered pre-petition to the Informal Committee and as described below, Applicant has received no payment and no promises for payment from any source for services rendered in connection with these cases. There is no agreement or understanding between the Applicant and any other person (other than members of Akin Gump) for the sharing of compensation to be received for the services rendered in these cases.

9. Pursuant to the terms of the Administrative Fee Order, Akin Gump filed its (i) First Application for Interim Allowance of Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses for Services Rendered during the Period April 29, 2002 through May 31, 2002 in the amounts of $215,965.50 for fees and $7,255.33 for expenses (the "First Interim Fee Application"); (ii) Second Application for Interim Allowance of Compensation and for Reimbursement of Expenses for Services Rendered during the

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[2] The Committee is comprised of the following entities: The Bank of New York, in its capacity as Indenture Trustee, HSBC Bank USA, in its capacity as Indenture Trustee, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, Transervice Logistics, Inc., Turnberry Capital Management, L.P., Tulip Corporation, Smith Management LLC, Mr. Carroll Todd Lollis and Mr. Aarron Wann.

Period June 1, 2002 through June 30, 2002 in the amounts of $193,756.00 for fees and $10,423.30 for expenses (the "Second Interim Fee Application"); (iii) Third Application for Interim Allowance of Compensation and for Reimbursement of Expenses for Services Rendered during the period July 1, 2002 through July 31, 2002 in the amounts of $335,078.50 for fees and $18,270.78 for expenses (the "Third Interim Fee Application"); (iv) Fourth Application for Interim Allowance of Compensation and for Reimbursement of Expenses for Services Rendered during the period August 1, 2002 through August 31, 2002 in the amounts of $248,704.50 for fees and $8,348.28 for expenses (the "Fourth Interim Fee Application"); (v) Fifth Application for Interim Allowance of Compensation and for Reimbursement of Expenses for Services Rendered during the period September 1, 2002 through September 30, 2002 in the amounts of $220,409 for fees and $4,354.86 for expenses (the "Fifth Interim Fee Application"); (vi) Sixth Application for Interim Allowance of Compensation and for Reimbursement of Expenses for Services Rendered during the period October 1, 2002 through October 31, 2002 in the amounts of $334,026.25 for fees and $14,540.66 for expenses (the "Sixth Interim Fee Application"); (vii) Seventh Application for Interim Allowance of Compensation and for Reimbursement of Expenses for Services Rendered during the period November 1, 2002 through November 30, 2002 in the amounts of $278,913.50 for fees and $20,474.80 for expenses (the "Seventh Interim Fee Application"); (viii) Eighth Application for Interim Allowance of Compensation and for Reimbursement of Expenses for Services Rendered during the period December 1, 2002 through December 31, 2002 in the amounts of $83,161.25 for fees and $21,993.29 for expenses (the "Eighth Interim Fee Application");

(ix) Ninth Application for Interim Allowance of Compensation and for Reimbursement of Expenses for Services Rendered during the period January 1, 2003 through January 31, 2003 in the amounts of $61,670.00 for fees and $4,379.28 for expenses (the "Ninth Interim Fee Application"); (x) Tenth Application for Interim Allowance of Compensation and for Reimbursement of Expenses for Services Rendered during the period February 1, 2003 through February 28, 2003 in the amounts of $103,754.25 for fees and $11,414.19 for expenses (the "Tenth Interim Fee Application"); and (xi) Eleventh Application for Interim Allowance of Compensation and for Reimbursement of Expenses for Services Rendered during the period March 1, 2003 through March 31, 2003 in the amounts of $124,102.25 for fees and $4,782.43 for expenses (the "Eleventh Interim Fee Application").

10. As stated in the Affirmation of Fred S. Hodara, Esq., annexed hereto as Exhibit "A," all of the services for which interim compensation is sought herein were rendered for or on behalf of the Committee solely in connection with these cases.

III. SUMMARY OF SERVICES RENDERED

11. Since April 29, 2002, Akin Gump has rendered professional services to the Committee as requested and as necessary and appropriate in furtherance of the interests of the Debtors' unsecured creditors. The variety and complexity of the issues presented in these cases and the need to act or respond on an expedited basis in furtherance of the Committee's needs have required the expenditure of substantial time by personnel from several legal disciplines, on an as-needed basis.

12. Akin Gump maintains written records of the time expended by attorneys and paraprofessionals in the rendition of their professional services to the Committee. Such time records were made contemporaneously with the rendition of services by the person rendering such services and in the ordinary course of Akin Gump's practice, and are presented in a form which is in compliance with the Local Rules for the District of Delaware. A compilation showing the name of the attorney or paraprofessional, the date on which the services were performed, a description of the services rendered, and the amount of time spent in performing the services during the Compensation Period is annexed hereto as Exhibit "B".

13. Akin Gump also maintains records of all actual and necessary out-of-pocket expenses incurred in connection with the rendition of its professional services, all of which are also available for inspection. A schedule of the categories of expenses and amounts for which reimbursement is requested is annexed hereto as Exhibit "C".

14. Akin Gump respectfully submits that the professional services that it rendered on behalf of the Committee were necessary and have directly contributed to the effective administration of these cases.

15. The following summary of services rendered during the Compensation Period is not intended to be a detailed description of the work performed, as those day-to-day services and the time expended in performing such services are fully set forth in Exhibit "B". Rather, it is merely an attempt to highlight certain of those areas in which services were rendered to the Committee, as well as to identify some of the problems and issues that Akin Gump was required to address.

(i) Case Administration

16. A portion of the services rendered during the Compensation Period related to the continuing organization and administration of the Committee and matters related thereto. Akin Gump's attention to the Committee's organizational needs during the Compensation Period enabled the Committee to function as a coordinated group and to acquit its fiduciary duties.

17. Akin Gump reviewed and analyzed all motions filed by the Debtors and other parties in interest in this Court, including, without limitation, pleadings related to the Debtors' rejection or assumption of executory contracts, the Debtors' request for an extension of their exclusive periods to file a plan of reorganization and to solicit votes thereto, and the litigation related to certain shareholders' request for an annual meeting. Akin Gump advised and consulted with the Committee on all of these motions.

18. Due to Akin Gump's experience in counseling creditors' committees, Akin Gump believes it was able to efficiently address all issues relating to case administration that have arisen during the pendency of these cases. At the request of the Committee, Akin Gump assisted in or took the lead in analyzing all motions presented by the Debtors or other parties and advised the Committee on its own initiatives and directions for the cases. In addition, Akin Gump coordinated all Committee activities, including attending to member issues and interacting with the Committee's chair in setting agendas for the Committee. Akin Gump also consulted with Jefferies & Co., Inc. ("Jefferies"), the Committee's financial advisor, with respect to

documents and other information received from the Debtors and matters to be analyzed for and discussed with the Committee.

(ii) Creditors' Committee Meetings

19. Akin Gump held one telephonic meeting and one in person meeting, each with the full Committee, during the Compensation Period. Akin Gump also participated in several conference calls with individual members of the Committee during the Compensation Period, including extensive conversations with the two recently appointed members of the Committee, to address concerns of the members as well as to keep them fully apprised of pending matters. Prior to its meeting with the Committee or discussions with Committee members, Akin Gump reviewed each pending matter requiring the Committee's attention and all underlying documentation in connection therewith. Thereafter, Akin Gump discussed each of these matters with the full Committee, as well as individual Committee members, and assisted the Committee in formulating a position thereon. In addition, Akin Gump prepared memoranda to the Committee during the Compensation Period discussing the status of important matters in these proceedings.

20. Through telephone conferences, meetings and correspondence, Akin Gump has assisted the Committee in fulfilling its statutory duties to make informed decisions regarding the various issues which have arisen in these cases, to monitor closely the Debtors' management of these proceedings, and to reach independent conclusions on the merits of specific matters, as well as regarding the prospects of reorganization.

21. During the Compensation Period, Akin Gump had numerous telephonic conferences and meetings with the Debtors and their professionals and other parties in interest to discuss and address the various proposed actions or other matters.

(iii) Court Hearings

22. Akin Gump attorneys appeared at this Court's hearing on April 22, 2003. Akin Gump actively asserted the Committee's position at such hearing, as well as engaging in preparatory work for the hearing in respect of the matters to be heard.

(iv) Due Diligence Review

23. Akin Gump continued its review of the Debtors' pre-petition books, records, transactions and operations. The Debtors operate several lines of businesses on a global basis. The businesses were built up over a period of time, in large part, through a series of acquisition transactions. Certain of the transactions were financed with bank and bond debt. Accordingly, the Debtors have a complex corporate and financial structure. All of these items require detailed diligence and analysis by the Committee in order for the Committee to adequately comprehend the Debtors' corporate, operational and financial structure and to be in a position to appropriately acquit its fiduciary duty.

24. During the Compensation Period, the Committee, with Akin Gump and Jefferies, performed considerable due diligence, which included the research of related legal and factual issues. Akin Gump has reported its progress and findings to the Committee on a periodic basis and will continue to do so in subsequent compensation periods.

25. A significant focus of Akin Gump' s attention, along with Jefferies and Pepper Hamilton LLP, the Committee's co-counsel ("Pepper Hamilton"), during the Compensation Period was the analysis of the Debtors' revised business plan and various restructuring alternatives, including its efforts in connection with possible sales of business units or assets or otherwise attracting new investment capital. Together with Jefferies and Pepper Hamilton, Akin Gump dedicated considerable time to discussing these matters with, and analyzing these matters for, the Committee.

(v) Creditor Inquiries

26. Akin Gump fielded numerous telephone inquiries from unsecured creditors to discuss the status of various pending matters, particularly the general bar date for filing proofs of claim, and to respond to their many questions about the bankruptcy and the status of their claims against the Debtors.

IV. FACTORS TO BE CONSIDERED IN AWARDING ATTORNEYS' FEES

27. The factors to be considered in awarding attorneys fees have been enumerated in In re First Colonial Corporation of America, 544 F.2d 1291, 1298-99 (5th Cir. 1977), reh'g denied, 547 F.2d 573, cert. denied, 431 U.S. 904, which factors have been adopted by most courts. Akin Gump respectfully submits that a consideration of these factors should result in this Court's allowance of the full compensation sought.

(A) The Time and Labor Required. The professional services rendered by Akin Gump on behalf of the Committee have required the continuous expenditure of substantial time and effort, under significant time pressures.

The services rendered required a high degree of professional competence and expertise in order to be administered with skill and dispatch.

(B) The Novelty and Difficulty of Questions. In this case, as in all others in which the firm is involved, Akin Gump's effective advocacy and creative approach have helped clarify and resolve such issues.

(C) The Skill Requisite to Perform the Legal Services Properly. Akin Gump believes that its recognized expertise in the area of corporate reorganization, its ability to draw from highly experienced professionals in other areas of Akin Gump's practice, and its creative approach to the resolution of issues will contribute to the maximization of distributions to the Debtors' unsecured creditors.

(D) The Preclusion of Other Employment by Applicant Due to Acceptance of the Case. Due to the size of Akin Gump's insolvency department, Akin Gump's representation of the Committee has not precluded its acceptance of new clients.

(E) The Customary Fee. The fee sought herein is based upon Akin Gump's normal hourly rates for services of this kind. Akin Gump respectfully submits that the fee sought herein is not unusual given the magnitude and complexity of these cases and the time expended in attending to the representation of the Committee, and is commensurate with fees Akin Gump has been awarded in other cases, as well as with fees charged by other attorneys of comparable experience.

(F) Whether the Fee is Fixed or Contingent. Pursuant to Sections 330 and 331 of the Bankruptcy Code, all fees sought by professionals employed under Section 327 of the Code are contingent pending final approval by this Court, and are subject to adjustment dependent upon the services rendered and the results obtained.

(G) Time Limitations Imposed by Client or Other Circumstances. As already indicated, Akin Gump has been required to attend to certain issues arising in these cases in a compressed and urgent time-frame.

(H) The Amount Involved and Results Obtained. Through the efforts of Akin Gump, the Committee has been an active participant in these Chapter 11 cases, and its constructive assistance, as well as criticism, has greatly contributed to the possible enhancement of the recoveries available to the Debtors' creditors and to the efficient administration of these cases.

(I) The Experience, Reputation and Ability of the Attorneys. Akin Gump has a large and sophisticated financial restructuring practice and is playing and has played a major role in numerous cases of national import including, for example, the reorganization proceedings of Carematrix, Inc., Carmike Cinemas, Inc., Hayes Lemmerz International, Inc., The LTV Corporation, OpTel, Inc., Pillowtex Corporation, Scott Cable Communications, Inc., Genesis Health Ventures, Inc., and Golden Books Publishing Company, Inc. Akin Gump's experience enables it to perform the services described herein competently and expeditiously. In addition to

its expertise in the area of corporate reorganization, Akin Gump has called upon the expertise of its partners and associates in other practice areas to perform the wide ranging scope of the legal work necessitated by these cases.

(J) The "Undesirability" of the Case. These cases are not undesirable.

(K) Nature and Length of Professional Relationship. Akin Gump was selected as counsel to the Committee on April 29, 2002. The Court entered an order on June 14, 2002 authorizing the, nunc pro tunc, employment and retention of Akin Gump to April 29, 2002. Akin Gump has been rendering services continuously to the Committee since April 29, 2002, including during the Compensation Period, as necessary and appropriate.

V. ALLOWANCE OF COMPENSATION

28. The professional services rendered by Akin Gump required a high degree of professional competence and expertise so that the numerous issues requiring evaluation and determination by the Committee could be addressed thoroughly with skill and dispatch and, accordingly, have required the expenditure of substantial time and effort. It is respectfully submitted that the services rendered to the Committee were performed efficiently, effectively and economically, and the results obtained to date have benefited not only the members of the Committee, but also the unsecured creditor body as a whole and the Debtors' estates.

29. The allowance of interim compensation for services rendered and reimbursement of expenses in bankruptcy cases is expressly provided for in Section 331 of the Bankruptcy Code:

> Any professional person ... may apply to the court not more than once every 120 days after an order for relief in a case under this title, or more often if the court permits, for such compensation for services rendered ... as is provided under section 330 of this title.

11 U.S.C. § 331. Moreover, this Court has authorized the filing of this Application in the Administrative Fee Order.

30. With respect to the level of compensation, 11 U.S.C. § 330(a)(1) provides, in pertinent part, that the Court may award to a professional person:

> reasonable compensation for actual, necessary services rendered.

Section 330(a)(3)(A), in turn, provides that:

> In determining the amount of reasonable compensation to be awarded, the court shall consider the nature, the extent, and the value of such services, taking into account all relevant factors, including –
> (A) the time spent on such services;
> (B) the rates charged for such services;
> (C) whether the services were necessary to the administration of, or beneficial at the time at which the service was rendered toward the completion of, a case under this title;
> (D) whether the services were performed within a reasonable amount of time commensurate with the complexity, importance, and nature of the problem, issue, or task addressed; and
> (E) whether the compensation is reasonable based on the customary compensation charged by comparably skilled practitioners in cases other than cases under this title.

11 U.S.C. §330(a)(3)(A). The clear Congressional intent and policy expressed in this statute is to provide for adequate compensation in order to continue to attract qualified and competent bankruptcy practitioners to bankruptcy cases.

31. The total time spent by Akin Gump attorneys and paraprofessionals during the Compensation Period was 414.5 hours. The work involved, and thus the time expended, was carefully assigned in light of the experience and expertise required for a particular task.

32. As shown by this application and supporting documents, Applicant spent its time economically and without unnecessary duplication of time. Attached hereto as Exhibit "D" is a schedule of the hours expended by the attorneys and paraprofessionals during the Compensation Period, their normal hourly rates, and the value of their services. In addition, Akin Gump incurred actual out-of-pocket expenses in connection with the rendition of the professional services to the Committee in the sum of $7,170.31 for which Akin Gump respectfully requests reimbursement in full.

33. The disbursements and expenses have been incurred in accordance with Akin Gump's normal practice of charging clients for expenses clearly related to and required by particular matters. Akin Gump has endeavored to minimize these expenses to the fullest extent possible.

34. Akin Gump's billing rates do not include charges for photocopying, telephone and telecopier toll charges, computerized research, travel expenses, "working meals," secretarial overtime, postage and certain other office services, since the needs of each client for such services differ. Akin Gump believes that it is fair to charge each

client only for the services actually used in performing services for it. In these proceedings, Akin Gump charges $.15 per page for internal duplicating and $.25 per page for outgoing facsimile transmissions. Akin Gump does not charge for incoming facsimile transmissions.

35. No agreement or understanding exists between Akin Gump and any other person for the sharing of any compensation to be received for professional services rendered or to be rendered in connection with these cases.

36. No prior application has been made in this or in any other Court for the relief requested herein for the Compensation Period.

WHEREFORE, Akin Gump respectfully requests that this Court enter an order:

(a) approving the allowance of $153,999.25 for compensation for professional services rendered to the Committee during the period from April 1, 2003 through and including April 30, 2003;

(b) approving the reimbursement of Akin Gump's out-of-pocket expenses incurred in connection with the rendering of such services during the period April 1, 2003 through and including April 30, 2003 in the amount of $7,170.31; and

(c) granting such other and further relief as this Court may deem just and proper.

Dated: New York, New York
May 30, 2003

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Debtors.	)	Jointly Administered
	)	**Objection Deadline: 6/24/03 at 4:00 p.m. (EST)**
		Hearing Date: To be scheduled if timely objections are filed.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

TO: U.S. Trustee, counsel to the Debtors, and counsel to Debtor's primary post-petition secured lenders.

Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP, co-counsel for the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors, (hereinafter referred to as "Applicant") has filed its **Twelfth Interim Application for Interim Compensation and Reimbursement of Costs Incurred for the Period April 1, 2003 Through April 30, 2003** (the "Application").

You are required to file a response to the attached Application on or before **June 24, 2003 at 4:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time.**

At the same time, you must also serve a copy of the response upon counsel to the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors:

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A HEARING ON THE APPLICATION WILL BE SCHEDULED at the Court's convenience before the Honorable Kevin J. Carey, United States District Court for the District of Delaware, 844 King Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19801.

IF YOU FAIL TO RESPOND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS NOTICE, THE COURT MAY GRANT THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE APPLICATION WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE OR HEARING.

Dated: June 4, 2003

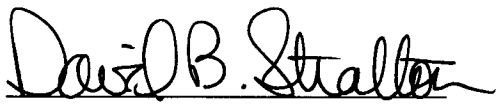

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EXHIBIT A

IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re:	)	
	)	
EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES, et al.,	)	**Case No. 02-11125 (KJC)**
	)	**Chapter 11**
	)	**(Jointly Administered)**
Debtors.	)	

AFFIRMATION

FRED S. HODARA respectfully states and affirms:

1. I am a member of the firm of Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP ("Akin Gump"), which firm maintains offices for the practice of law at 590 Madison Avenue, New York, New York 10022. Akin Gump has acted as co-counsel to and has rendered professional services on behalf of the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors (the "Committee") of Exide Technologies ("Exide") and its affiliated debtors and debtors-in-possession (the "Debtors").

2. This affirmation is submitted pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2016(a) in support of Akin Gump's eleventh application for an interim allowance of compensation and for the reimbursement of expenses for services rendered during the period from April 1, 2003 through and including April 30, 2003 in the aggregate amount of $161,169.56.

3. All services for which compensation is requested by Akin Gump were professional services performed for and on behalf of the Committee and not on behalf of any other person.

4. In accordance with Title 18 U.S.C. Section 155, neither I nor any member or associate of my firm has entered into any agreement, express or implied, with any other party-in-interest for the purpose of fixing the amount of any of the fees or other compensation to be allowed out of or paid from the Debtors' estates.

5. In accordance with Section 504 of the Bankruptcy Code, no agreement or understanding exists between me, my firm, or any member or associate thereof, on the one hand, and any other person, on the other hand, for division of such compensation as my firm may receive for services rendered in connection with these cases, nor will any division of fees prohibited by Section 504 of the Bankruptcy Code be made by me or any partner or associate of my firm.

FRED S. HODARA

Dated: New York, New York
May 30, 2003

EXHIBIT B

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Invoice Date	05/23/03
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Re: RESTRUCTURING

FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES RENDERED THROUGH 04/30/03 :

MATTER SUMMARY OF TIME BILLED BY TASK :

		HOURS	VALUE
0002	General Case Administration	22.60	$10,303.50
0003	Akin Gump Fee Application/Monthly Billing Reports	25.50	$7,117.00
0004	Analysis of Other Professional Fee Applications/Reports	6.20	$1,705.50
0005	Review/Preparation of Schedules, Statements	8.00	$1,800.00
0006	Retention of Professionals	16.70	$4,452.50
0007	Creditors Committee Meetings	67.20	$27,594.00
0008	Court Hearings	17.10	$6,907.50
0009	Financial Reports and Analysis	7.10	$3,173.00
0010	DIP and Exit Financing	47.80	$20,762.50
0011	Executory Contracts/License Agreements	16.10	$5,610.50
0012	General Claims Analysis/Claims Objections	79.00	$27,105.00
0013	Analysis of Pre-Petition Transactions	16.00	$6,437.50
0017	Adversary Proceedings/Litigation Matters	59.40	$19,880.00
0021	Exclusivity	10.70	$4,565.00
0022	Plan and Disclosure Statement and Plan Related Documentation	0.90	$607.50
0024	Asset/Stock Transaction/Business Liquidations	4.90	$1,980.00
0025	Travel	9.30	$3,998.25
	TOTAL	414.50	$153,999.25

Date	Tkpr	Task		Hours
04/01/03	FSH	0002	Obtain information re pending bankruptcy proceeding and related issues (.2). Communications re upcoming meetings (.3).	0.50
04/01/03	MM	0002	conf calls with new Committee members (.6); review docket (.3); t/cs Jefco re: status of various matters (.3); t/c creditors re: inquiries (.4); follow up with Siegel re: same (.1)	1.70
04/02/03	MM	0002	T/cs creditors re: status of case (.5); attend to Committee admin. matters (.3).	0.80
04/03/03	FSH	0002	Examine issue of Committee actions (.1). Communications re new Committee members w/Jefferies, M. Masella (.3). Emails re Committee scheduling (.2).	0.60
04/03/03	MM	0002	Attend to Committee admin. matters (.4); t/cs new committee members (.3).	0.70
04/04/03	MM	0002	Attend to Committee admin. matters (.3); t/cs new committee members (.7); t/c UST re: same (.8); t/cs creditors (.3).	2.10
04/05/03	FSH	0002	Email w/M. Masella re Committee organizational issues (.1). Examine G. Meyerhoff email to Committee (.1). Examine court docket (.1).	0.30
04/07/03	FSH	0002	Examine miscellaneous pleadings.	0.10
04/07/03	MM	0002	Calls w/creditors (.5); review docket (.3).	0.80
04/07/03	JAD	0002	T/C D. Stratton re 2002 service list (.1); e-mails re same (.1); o/c P. Sprofera re same (.1); o/c M. Masella re same (.2); e-mails re same (.1).	0.60
04/08/03	FSH	0002	Examine memo re European procedures (.2). Confer w/Committee chair and further follow up from issues raised on Committee call (.4). Respond to creditor call (.1).	0.70
04/08/03	MM	0002	t/cs Committee members re: various matters (.3); follow up with new committee members re: historic information (.4); calls w/ creditors re:various inquiries (.4); follow up re: fee examiner (.3)	1.40
04/09/03	FSH	0002	Respond to call of interested party re public information (.2). Examine misc. pleadings (.2). Follow up on research (.1). Review various documents and updated files (.3).	0.80
04/09/03	MM	0002	O/c Hodara re: status of various matters (.3).	0.30
04/10/03	FG	0002	Retrieved docket for M. Masella and J. Doughty.	0.10
04/11/03	FSH	0002	Emails w/M. Masella re pending matters.	0.10
04/11/03	MM	0002	Revise summaries of pending motions (.7); circulate to Committee members (.2); t/cs creditors re: status of case (.3); t/cs Debtors counsel re: fee examiner nomination (.4); emails Hodara re: same (.1).	1.70
04/11/03	FG	0002	Retrieved docket for M. Masella and J. Doughty.	0.20
04/14/03	MM	0002	Follow up w/Committee re: pending matters (.5).	0.50
04/15/03	FSH	0002	Examine Committee emails re pending court proceedings (.2). Review miscellaneous pleadings (.2).	0.40
04/15/03	MM	0002	T/cs Committee members re: concerns re: various pending matters (.9); t/cs creditors re: status of case (.4).	1.30
04/16/03	MM	0002	Follow up on pending matters (.4).	0.40
04/17/03	FSH	0002	Consider shareholder request.	0.10
04/17/03	MM	0002	O/c Hodara re: response to various pleadings (.4); prep for hearing on 4/22 (.2).	0.60
04/18/03	FSH	0002	Examine court docket (.1). Examine agenda letter (.1).	0.20
04/21/03	FSH	0002	TC M. Warren of Shearman re pending issues (.1). Email w/M. Kleiman re pending matters (.1). Emails w/Jefco and Company re meeting agenda (.2).	0.40
04/21/03	CJ	0002	Retrieved documents for M. Masella for hearing.	1.10
04/21/03	MM	0002	T/cs creditors (.3).	0.30
04/22/03	FSH	0002	Email D. Stratton re pending matter (.1). Review amended agenda letter (.1). Confer w/Sonnenschein re preparation of info for Committee (.1). Email w/Jefco re timeline (.1).	0.40
04/22/03	MM	0002	Review docket (.3).	0.30

Date	Tkpr	Task		Hours
04/23/03	FSH	0002	Follow up re shareholder issues w/D. Stratton (.1). Follow up from court hearing w/documents (.1). Call w/L. Donahue and email Jefco re agenda (.1). Review emails from P. Sprofera, Jefco, Co-counsel and further email to Committee (.4); return call of creditor (.1). Examine court docket (.1).	0.90
04/23/03	MM	0002	T/cs creditors (.5); follow up on pending matters (.3).	0.80
04/25/03	FSH	0002	Examine published report.	0.10
04/25/03	MM	0002	Attend to Committee admin. matters (.1); t/cs Committee members re: 4/30 meeting (.2); t/cs creditors (.2).	0.50
04/27/03	FSH	0002	Emails w/Akin attorneys re pending research and other issues.	0.20
04/28/03	FSH	0002	Examine asset sale notice and provide to Jefco (.1). Examine further emails from K&E and other correspondence (.2).	0.30
04/28/03	MM	0002	Review docket (.1); t/cs Committee members (.2).	0.30
04/01/03	CJ	0003	Reviewed and prepared documents for Monthly Fee Application.	0.40
04/01/03	JAD	0003	Review of Fee Applications (.2); 3 t/c C. Jung re same (.3); o/c M. Masella re same and changes (.2); draft of application re same (.5); o/c C. Jung re same (.3); revisions to same (.5).	2.00
04/02/03	CJ	0003	Reviewed and prepared documents for Monthly Fee Statement.	1.20
04/02/03	JAD	0003	Revisions to Fee Applications (1.5); o/c M. Masella re same (.2); 3 o/cs C. Jung re same (.4); 2 t/cs C. Jung re same (.2).	2.30
04/03/03	CJ	0003	Reviewed and prepared documents for Monthly Fee Statement.	1.10
04/04/03	CJ	0003	Reviewed and prepared documents for Monthly Fee Application.	1.00
04/04/03	MM	0003	Review Feb invoice (.4).	0.40
04/04/03	JAD	0003	Revisions to fee application (2.1); review of fee application (.5); o/cs C. Jung re same (.4).	3.00
04/05/03	FSH	0003	Finalization of Ninth Fee Application.	0.30
04/07/03	MM	0003	Review revised fee app (.8).	0.80
04/07/03	JAD	0003	O/C M. Masella re supplemental affidavit filing (.1); o/c P. Sprofera re same (.2); review of rejection of Yuasa trademark motion (.1); draft of motion summary re same (.2); revisions to same (.2); review of motion by the Debtors to reject letter agreement (.2); draft of motion summary re same (.3); revisions to same (.1); review of motion by the Debtors to enter into a lease (.2); draft of motion summary re same (.1); revisions to same (.2).	1.90
04/08/03	MM	0003	Review feb invoice, fee apps	0.50
04/16/03	JAD	0003	Review of supplemental fee application revisions.	0.90
04/17/03	JAD	0003	Review of supplemental fee application revisions (.2); revisions to same (.2); o/c M. Masella re same (.2); additional revisions to same (.1).	0.70
04/18/03	JAD	0003	Review of fee applications (.2); o/c C. Jung re same (.2); review of supplemental fee application revisions (.2); revisions to same (.3).	0.90
04/21/03	FSH	0003	Emails w/Pepper re quarterly fee hearing.	0.10
04/21/03	MM	0003	Follow up on quarterly fee app/hearing (.4).	0.40
04/24/03	FSH	0003	Follow up re Exide fee issues of Akin and Jefferies.	0.20
04/25/03	MM	0003	Review March invoice (.7).	0.70
04/28/03	CJ	0003	Reviewed and prepared documents for Monthly Fee Statement.	0.70
04/28/03	JAD	0003	E-mails M. Masella re March fee application (.2); e-mails C. Jung re same (.2); o/cs C. Jung re same (.2); review of supplemental affidavit (.1); e-mails F. Hodara re same (.1); o/c M. Masella re same (.1); o/c F. Hodara re same (.1).	1.00
04/29/03	CJ	0003	Reviewed and prepared documents for Monthly Fee Statement.	0.80
04/29/03	MM	0003	Review March fee app (.5).	0.50
04/29/03	JAD	0003	O/Cs M. Masella re March fee app. (.3); review of same (1.1); revisions to same (1.9).	3.30
04/30/03	MM	0003	Follow up on March fee app (.4).	0.40
04/07/03	FG	0004	Retrieved Kirkland & Ellis Supplemental Affidavits for M. Masella (0.4); Reviewed docket re: same (0.2); Reviewed email from M. Masella re: same (0.1).	0.70

Date	Tkpr	Task		Hours
04/08/03	FSH	0004	Emails re fee examiner and confer w/M. Masella re same.	0.30
04/08/03	MM	0004	review fee apps	0.50
04/08/03	JAD	0004	O/C M. Masella re fee app. summary (.2); o/c P. Sprofera re 2002 list and conflicts check (.1).	0.30
04/14/03	CJ	0004	Reviewed and updated Other Professionals' Fee Applications Chart.	1.30
04/14/03	JAD	0004	T/cs C. Jung re fee application chart updates (.1); o/c P. Sprofera re 2002 list and conflicts check (.1); o/c M. Masella re same (.1); revisions to same (.1).	0.40
04/15/03	CJ	0004	Reviewed and updated Other Professionals' Fee Applications Chart.	0.50
04/15/03	MM	0004	Review fee apps (.7).	0.70
04/15/03	JAD	0004	T/C C. Jung re fee application chart updates (.1); o/c C. Jung re same (.2); e-mails M. Masella re same (.4); e-mails C. Jung re same (.2); review of fee apps (.2).	1.10
04/22/03	JAD	0004	O/C T. Jung re Fee Charts.	0.20
04/24/03	MM	0004	T/cs UST re: fee apps (.2).	0.20
04/03/03	JMA	0005	Research regarding impact of claims classification dispute on confirming plan of reorganization.	1.50
04/07/03	JMA	0005	Research regarding claims classification.	5.00
04/08/03	JMA	0005	Finalize research and memo on claims classification issues and plan confirmation.	1.50
04/01/03	JAD	0006	Supplemental Affidavit revisions (.3); t/c M. Touma re same (.2).	0.50
04/02/03	JAD	0006	Supplemental Affidavit revisions (.3); 4 o/cs M. Masella re same (.4); o/c P. Sprofera re same (.1); 3 t/cs P. Fischer re same (.4); 2 e-mails re same (.2).	1.40
04/03/03	JAD	0006	Supplemental Affidavit revisions (.3); 2 o/cs M. Masella re same (.2); 2 o/cs P. Sprofera re same (.2); 2 o/cs C. Jung re same (.4).	1.10
04/04/03	PS	0006	Office conference JD re supplemental disclosure (.1); review documents re same (.3).	0.40
04/05/03	FSH	0006	Examine supplemental affidavit and follow up re same.	0.30
04/07/03	MM	0006	Review supp'l affidavit (.4).	0.40
04/08/03	PS	0006	Review and prepare documents re supplemental disclosure.	0.90
04/09/03	JAD	0006	Revisions to supplemental affidavit (.2); o/c M. Masella re fee app. summary (.1); t/c P. Sprofera re 2002 list and conflicts check (.1).	0.40
04/10/03	JAD	0006	O/C P. Sprofera re 2002 list and conflicts check.	0.10
04/11/03	JAD	0006	O/C P. Sprofera re 2002 list and conflicts check.	0.10
04/14/03	PS	0006	Review and prepare documents re supplemental conflict check re 2002 list.	2.30
04/14/03	MM	0006	Follow up re: supp. affidavit (.1).	0.10
04/21/03	JAD	0006	O/C M. Masella re supplemental affidavit (.1); revisions to same (.1).	0.20
04/22/03	MM	0006	Follow up on supp. affidavit (.2).	0.20
04/23/03	MM	0006	Follow up on Supplemental Aff.	0.30
04/23/03	JAD	0006	O/cs P. Sprofera re supplemental affidavit (.3); multiple e-mails M. Masella re same (.4); work on supplemental affidavit (1.0); review of DIP lender list (.1).	1.90
04/24/03	JAD	0006	Continue work on supplemental affidavit.	0.60
04/24/03	JAD	0006	Review of employment affidavits.	0.40
04/25/03	PS	0006	Review and prepare documents re supplemental declaration.	1.70
04/25/03	JAD	0006	T/C P. Sprofera re supplemental affidavit (.1); confer with M. Masella re same (.3); revisions to same (.4); o/c F. Hodara re same (.1); e-mails M. Masella re March Fee app. (.2).	1.10
04/25/03	JAD	0006	Review of employment affidavits.	0.20
04/29/03	FSH	0006	Work on supplemental affidavit.	0.30
04/29/03	MM	0006	Follow up on Supplemental Affidavit (.2).	0.20
04/30/03	JAD	0006	Review of supplemental affidavit (.2); e-mails F. Hodara re same (.1); o/cs M. Masella re same (.3); o/c D. Stratton re same (.2); o/cs F. Hodara re same (.1); revisions to same (.3); 2 o/cs w/C. Jung re same (.2); e-mails re same (.2).	1.60

Date	Tkpr	Task		Hours
04/02/03	FSH	0007	Communications re meeting planning and Committee issues.	0.70
04/03/03	MM	0007	Prep for call on 4/8 (.5).	0.50
04/07/03	MM	0007	Prep for call on 4/8 (.2); t/cs Jefco re: same (.3); review Jefco's materials (.3).	0.80
04/08/03	FSH	0007	Emails w/Jefco to prepare for Committee meeting and further preparation for same (.6). Participate in same (1.0).	1.60
04/08/03	SC	0007	Committee conference call (1.0)	1.00
04/08/03	KEB	0007	T. call with Creditors committee re: Jeffries due diligence and exclusivity issues.	1.00
04/08/03	KEB	0007	Meeting with Hodara/Doughty/Masella re: research issues.	0.30
04/08/03	KEB	0007	T. call with J. Dobbs, Hodara, Doughty, Masella.	0.20
04/08/03	MM	0007	Committe call (.9); prep for same (.4); follow up to same (.8)	2.10
04/08/03	JAD	0007	Creditors Committee call (1.1); prep. re same including review of Jefco memorandum (.3); t/c Jeff Dobbs re same (.3).	1.70
04/09/03	MM	0007	Prep for meeting on 4/14 w/Jefco (.5).	0.50
04/11/03	MM	0007	T/cs New Committee Members re: meeting on 4/14 (.4); t/cs Jefco re: same (.4); prep for same (.8).	1.60
04/14/03	SC	0007	Meeting with Akin team, Jefferies team and counsel for lead plaintiffs. (2.5)	2.50
04/14/03	KEB	0007	Participate in meeting with New Committee members; (Lead plaintiffs) Jeffries, Akin team.	2.90
04/14/03	JSC	0007	Prepare for and attend meeting with lead plaintiff's counsel (4.5).	4.50
04/14/03	PKW	0007	Conference with J. Cowan regarding lead plaintiff lawsuits (.4); review of correspondence from S. Kortanek and D. Patrick regarding nature of tort claims (1.0); conference regarding tort claims and committee issues (3.2).	4.60
04/14/03	MM	0007	Prep for meeting w/new Committee members (1.0); meeting (4.0); follow up to same (.5).	5.50
04/14/03	JAD	0007	Prep for call with Lead Committee members (1.7); 2 t/cs R. Miller re same (.2); t/c M. Weissman re same (.1); Meeting with lead Committee members (3.5).	5.50
04/15/03	JSC	0007	E-mail correspondence with M. Masalla and F. Hodara regarding meeting with lead claimants' counsel and further investigation.	0.50
04/15/03	MM	0007	Follow up from meeting w/new committee members (.6).	0.60
04/16/03	MM	0007	Prep for Committee meeting on 4/30 (.3).	0.30
04/16/03	JAD	0007	T/C M. Masella re committee meeting 4/30/03 (.2); preparation re same (.7); e-mails re same (.2); t/c J. Dobbs re same (.2).	1.20
04/17/03	JAD	0007	O/C M. Masella re committee meeting 04/30/03 (.1); prep re same (.2); e-mails re same (.2); 2 t/cs J. Dobbs re same (.2).	0.00
04/21/03	MM	0007	Prep for meeting on 4/30 (.5); t/cs Jefco re: same (.2).	0.70
04/22/03	FSH	0007	Email w/M. Masella re meeting plans.	0.10
04/22/03	FSH	0007	Meet with representative of Equity Committee (.4). Memo re same to Committee reps (.2). Emails w/Company re meeting agenda and confer w/M. Masella re items for meeting (.3).	0.90
04/24/03	MM	0007	Prep for meeting on 4/30 (.2).	0.20
04/25/03	FSH	0007	Communications w/Akin attorneys and Jefco re items for upcoming meeting.	0.50
04/25/03	JAD	0007	Prep. for Committee meeting.	0.30
04/27/03	FSH	0007	Confer w/M. Masella re issues for meeting.	0.20
04/27/03	MM	0007	Prep for meeting on 4/30 (.6).	0.60
04/28/03	FSH	0007	Confer w/Committee chair re upcoming meeting (.2). Review agenda and consider meeting items (.3).	0.50
04/28/03	JAD	0007	Prep. For Committee meeting (.5); t/c R. Miller re same (.2); review of agenda re same (.2); o/c M. Masella re same (.1); draft of master list re same (.3).	1.30
04/29/03	FSH	0007	Preparations for Committee meeting.	1.10
04/29/03	MM	0007	Prep for meeting on 4/30 (2.0).	2.00

Date	Tkpr	Task		Hours
04/29/03	JAD	0007	Prep. For Committee meeting (.8); o/cs M. Masella re same (.2); draft of master list re same (.5); revisions to same (.3).	1.80
04/30/03	FSH	0007	Final preparations for Committee meeting and attend same (4.2). Follow up re issues raised at meeting (.8).	5.00
04/30/03	MM	0007	Committee meeting (4.5); prep for same (.5); follow up to same (1.3).	6.30
04/30/03	JAD	0007	Prep. for Committee meeting (.5); t/c R. Miller re same (.1); e-mails M. Masella re same (.1); committee meeting with company (4.3); meeting w/F. Hodara and M. Masella re same (.5); fax to D. Stratton re same (.1).	5.60
04/02/03	JAD	0008	revisions to hearing updates for 4/26/03.	0.60
04/04/03	JAD	0008	Revisions re hearing dates 4/22/03.	0.40
04/07/03	JAD	0008	Hearing summary updates for 04/22/03 and changes re same.	0.20
04/08/03	JAD	0008	Hearing summary updates for 4/22/03 and changes re same.	0.30
04/09/03	JAD	0008	Hearing summary updates for 04/22/03 and changes re same (.5); o/c M. Masella re same (.2).	0.70
04/14/03	JAD	0008	Hearing updates for 4/26/02.	0.20
04/16/03	JAD	0008	Revise hearing updates for 4/26/03.	0.20
04/18/03	FSH	0008	Hearing arrangements.	0.10
04/18/03	JAD	0008	Review of hearing agenda for 4/22/03 (.2); e-mails F. Hodara re same (.1); updates re 4/22/03 re same (.9).	1.20
04/19/03	JAD	0008	Review and revise hearing updates for 4/22/03.	0.70
04/21/03	FSH	0008	Confer w/co-counsel to prepare for court hearing (.5). Gather documents for hearing (.3).	0.80
04/21/03	MM	0008	Prep for hearing (1.4).	1.40
04/21/03	JAD	0008	E-mail F. Hodara re hearing on 4/22/03 (.1); e-mails M. Masella re hearing updates for 4/22/03 (.1); revisions and review of same (.2).	0.40
04/22/03	FSH	0008	Attend court hearing.	2.80
04/22/03	MM	0008	Attend hearing (2.8); follow up to same (.8); emails, t/c Committee re: same (.5); t/c Jefco re: same (.3).	4.40
04/22/03	JAD	0008	O/C M. Masella re hearing on 4/22/03.	0.20
04/23/03	JAD	0008	O/C M. Masella re hearing updates 05/26/03 (.2); revisions to same (.4).	0.60
04/24/03	JAD	0008	Review and revisions to hearing updates for 5/26/03.	0.20
04/25/03	JAD	0008	Review and revisions to hearing updates for 5/26/03.	0.30
04/28/03	JAD	0008	Review and revisions to hearing updates for 5/20/03 (.3); t/c C. Jung re same (.2).	0.50
04/29/03	JAD	0008	Review and revisions to hearing updates for 5/20/03 (.7); t/c C. Jung re same (.1); o/c M. Masella re same (.1).	0.90
04/01/03	MM	0009	review recent financial reports (.6)	0.60
04/03/03	MM	0009	Review Jefco report on industry issues (.3).	0.30
04/07/03	KEB	0009	Read weekly reports from Jeffries.	0.50
04/08/03	FSH	0009	Examine report re securitization.	0.20
04/14/03	KEB	0009	Review Exide materials prepared by Jefferies.	1.00
04/15/03	KEB	0009	Review Monthly Financial Reports and MD&A for February.	1.30
04/16/03	MM	0009	Review Feb results and other financial updates (.5).	0.50
04/18/03	FSH	0009	Review January and February MDAs. Inquiry re UK loss.	0.30
04/22/03	MM	0009	Review recent financial reports (1.5); t/c Jefco re: same (.3).	1.80
04/24/03	MM	0009	Follow up on Jan-Feb. financial reports w/Jefco (.5).	0.50
04/29/03	FSH	0009	Examine report re Europe progress.	0.10
04/02/03	MM	0010	Follow up w/Jefco re: DIP collateral issues (.3).	0.30
04/11/03	FSH	0010	Review proposed Fifth Amendment and motion and inquiries re same (.3). Emails w/S. Dombrowski re same (.1).	0.40
04/15/03	MM	0010	Follow up re: DIP related matters (.3).	0.30
04/17/03	SD	0010	Analyze amendment and cofer with with M. Masella re same.	0.80
04/17/03	MM	0010	Review Amendment to DIP (.4); t/cs Hodara, Dombrowski re: same (.2).	0.60
04/18/03	SD	0010	Review amendment drafts and background docs.	6.60
04/18/03	KMK	0010	Conference with S. Dombrowski regarding pre-petition credit facilities.	0.10
04/21/03	PS	0010	Review court docket and SEC documents re DIP amendments.	0.60
04/21/03	SD	0010	Review amendments for purposes of preparing reports; discuss with M.	6.20

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			Masella.	
04/21/03	KMK	0010	Assisted S. Dombrowski in reviewing certain pre-petition credit facility documents.	0.20
04/21/03	MM	0010	Follow up on DIP Amendment (.5); email Kleiman re: same (.1).	0.60
04/23/03	SD	0010	Review drafts; due diligence backup.	0.60
04/24/03	FSH	0010	Follow up re DIP amendment.	0.10
04/24/03	KEB	0010	Review Standstill Agreement.	0.50
04/24/03	SD	0010	Review draft of amendments; discuss w/M. Masella.	3.10
04/24/03	MM	0010	Follow up on DIP (.7); email Kleiman re: same (.2); t/cs Jefco re: same (.3).	1.20
04/25/03	SD	0010	Review Amendment and Transaction List; draft memo; exchange emails w/M. Masella.	7.60
04/25/03	MM	0010	Further review of DIP docs (.5); follow up w/Dombrowski (.3); Jefco (.3) re: same.	1.10
04/26/03	SD	0010	Draft memo on review of Amendment.	3.70
04/28/03	SD	0010	Revise memo; review changes to memorandum and underlying agreements.	6.40
04/28/03	MM	0010	Further review of DIP docs (.5).	0.50
04/29/03	KEB	0010	Review Bank summaries.	1.60
04/29/03	SD	0010	Review matters w/K. Kalaher; rev. schedule.	0.60
04/29/03	KMK	0010	Reviewed memo and related transaction list and confer with S. Dombrowski; Revised transaction list to conform to descriptions in DIP agreements and for use with memo.	2.50
04/30/03	SD	0010	Review issues w/K. Kalaher re concerns arising from pre-petition loan.	0.80
04/30/03	KMK	0010	Phone conference with F. Hodara and M. Masella regarding questions related to Standstill Agreement; Conference with M. Masella and J. Doughty regarding same; Conference with S. Dombrowski regarding same.	0.80
04/01/03	MM	0011	follow up on Yuasa matters (.4); t/cs Jefco re: same (.5); review summary of same (.2)	1.10
04/01/03	JAD	0011	Draft of summary re Notice to Reject the Asset Purchase Agreement and Administrative Services Agreement between Exide Corp. and Yuasa-Exide, Inc. and changes re same (.2); draft of summary re Notice to Reject Miscellaneous Services Agreement between Exide Corporation and yuasa-Exide, Inc. and changes re same (.7).	0.90
04/02/03	JAD	0011	Review of summary re Notice to Reject the Asset Purchase Agreement at Services Agreement between Exide Corp. and Yuasa-Exide, Inc.; draft of summary re Notice to Reject the Asset Purchase Agreement between Exide Corp. and Yuasa-Exide, Inc. and changes re same; revisions to same.	3.10
04/04/03	JAD	0011	O/C M. Masella re rejected contract matrix (.1); e-mail M. Masella re same (.2); review of rejection of Yuasa trademark motion (.4); o/c M. Masella re same (.1); review of director motion to reject contract (.4); o/c M. Masella re same (.1); e-mail R. Miller re rejected contract matrix (.1); review of motion by the Debtors to enter into a lease (.3).	1.70
04/06/03	JAD	0011	Review of rejection of Yuasa trademark motion (.2); draft of motion summary re same (.1); review of motion by the Debtors to reject letter agreement (.2); draft of motion summary re same (.1); review of motion by the Debtors to enter into a lease (.2); draft of motion summary re same (.4); revisions to same (.2).	1.40
04/08/03	MM	0011	review contract rejection summary (.1); t/cs Jefco re: same (.2)	0.30
04/09/03	MM	0011	Review de min sale notice (.2); t/cs Jefco re: rejected contracts (.2).	0.40
04/15/03	KEB	0011	Review objection, Certificate of Service; Enersys.	0.30
04/15/03	MM	0011	Review objection to contract rejections (.2); follow up on same (.2).	0.40
04/22/03	FSH	0011	Follow up on Yusa matters raised at hearing and confer w/M. Masella re same.	0.30
04/22/03	JAD	0011	E-mails M. Masella re Yuasa Contract rejections.	0.30

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04/24/03	JAD	0011	3 e-mails R. Miller re Exide contract rejections docket # 1759 and 1741 (.2); review of contract rejections re same (.2); review of Yuasa contract rejections (6) (.5); t/c R. Miller re same (.2).	1.10
04/25/03	JAD	0011	3 e-mails R. Miller re Exide contract rejections docket #1759 and 1741.	0.20
04/28/03	EML	0011	Review notices of rejection re: YUASA (EMERSYS).	0.80
04/28/03	MM	0011	Review de min. sale notices (.2); follow up on Yuasa (.3).	0.50
04/29/03	EML	0011	Attention to background facts re: Yuasa (.30).	0.30
04/29/03	MM	0011	Follow up on Yuasa issues w/Leflamme (.5); email Kleiman re: doc request (.2); t/c Jefco re: same (.5).	1.20
04/29/03	JAD	0011	Review of docket # 1789 to reject contracts (.1); e-mail R. Miller re same (.2).	0.30
04/30/03	EML	0011	Attention to 365 rejection of Yuasa 1991 transaction.	1.50
04/01/03	PKW	0012	Conference with M. Masella regarding consolidation and environmental issues (.5).	0.50
04/02/03	FSH	0012	Consider lead claimant issues and confer w/M. Masella re same (.3). Confer w/J. Cowan re same (.3).	0.60
04/02/03	DMZ	0012	Telephone call with M. Masella (.10); memos to team (.10); review bankruptcy case update for support for possible new claims (1.0).	1.20
04/03/03	DMZ	0012	Memo to team; memo from and to F. Hodara (.50).	0.50
04/03/03	MM	0012	Research re: possible D&O related issues (2.5); t/cs Zensky, Hodara re: same (.3).	2.80
04/07/03	JSC	0012	Review materials on five-year plan and lead claimants' letter to Trustee.	1.00
04/07/03	MM	0012	Review environmental research (.8).	0.80
04/08/03	FSH	0012	Review information regarding DM Notes.	0.20
04/08/03	DMZ	0012	Review new article on possible claims against the directors.	1.00
04/08/03	JAD	0012	O/c F. Hodara re environmental research (.2); research re extension of exclusivity (.5); e-mail P. Wahl re superfund site (.2); e-mail Jefco re same (.2).	1.10
04/09/03	DMZ	0012	Continue review of articles respecting director claims.	0.30
04/09/03	JSC	0012	Review Chapter 11 of Bankruptcy Code to prepare for meeting with lead claimants' counsel.	1.00
04/09/03	MM	0012	Research on 506A issues (2.3).	2.30
04/10/03	JSC	0012	Review law articles and other materials on dealing with mass torts in bankruptcy; conference with A. Exall regarding background on environmental and toxic tort issues in Exide bankruptcy; conference with P. Wahl regarding same.	4.90
04/11/03	JSC	0012	Review articles on mass torts and bankruptcy; review 5-year plan and lead plaintiffs counsel's letter to trustee regarding nature of claims.	3.60
04/13/03	FSH	0012	Examine information re pension claims at foreign subs (.1).	0.10
04/14/03	MM	0012	Follow up on insurance related matters (1.3).	1.30
04/15/03	FSH	0012	Follow up re lead meeting.	0.20
04/16/03	MM	0012	Review research memo on enviro issues (.5).	0.50
04/17/03	FSH	0012	Work on insurance issues and conferences w/M. Masella, J. Anapolsky, D. Zensky re same (1.2).	1.20
04/17/03	MM	0012	Research re: insurance related matters (1.5); t/c Anapolsky re: same (.5); research 506 issues (.6).	2.60
04/17/03	JAD	0012	T/C P. Wahl re environmental stipulation (.5); t/c J. Anapolski re D&O issues (.5); o/c M. Masella re reservation of rights filing (.2).	1.20
04/17/03	JMA	0012	Telephone conference with M. Masella and J. Doughty regarding D&O insurance claims.	0.50
04/18/03	JAD	0012	Review of Lead plaintiffs submission to the Committee (.2).	0.20
04/21/03	MM	0012	Follow up on insurance issues.	0.30
04/22/03	JMA	0012	Research D&O insurance (3.7); telephone call to M. Masella regarding D&O insurance (.1).	3.80
04/23/03	DMZ	0012	Memo to/from Masella (0.1); review article on D&O insurance bankruptcy issue (.40); begin draft memo (.30); telephone call with Masella (.20); telephone call with Hodara (.10).	1.10

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04/23/03	JMA	0012	Research D&O insurance.	4.00
04/24/03	FSH	0012	Examine insurance analysis.	0.10
04/24/03	DMZ	0012	Work on insurance memo (1.5); telephone call with J. Anapolsky and M. Masella (.50); meet with Hyongsoon Kim (.20).	2.20
04/24/03	MM	0012	Follow up on D&O issues w/Zensky, Anapolsky (1.5); review final DIP re: same (.3); follow up re: receivables issues (.4).	2.20
04/24/03	JMA	0012	Phone calls and e-mails with M. Masella nd D. Zensky regarding D&O insurance, causes of action and fiduciary responsibilities (2.1); research D&O insurance (.9).	3.00
04/25/03	GR	0012	Pull various cases from research memo per DZ (1.0); assist with London doc. prod. (1.0).	2.00
04/25/03	JMA	0012	Identify and review "zone of insolvency" and D&O insurance cases and e-mails from D. Zensky, R. Stark, M. Masella regarding same (1.0); further D&O insurance, "zone of insolvency" and fiduciary duty research (4.4).	5.40
04/27/03	MM	0012	T/cs Anapolsky re: investigation of insurance related issues (.4); follow up to same (1.0).	1.40
04/27/03	JMA	0012	Further D&O insurance, "zone of insolvency" and fiduciary duty resesarch (1.1); telephone conference with M. Masella regarding research and outline (.9); organize research into outline of causes of action, distribution of D&O insurance proceeds, bank liens (5.1).	7.10
04/28/03	DMZ	0012	Work on memo to client, review case, telephone call with G. Ruge.	2.00
04/28/03	MM	0012	Further research on D&O issues (2.4); emails w/Stratton re: same (.2); follow up w/Zensky (.2); follow up w/Hodara (.1).	2.90
04/28/03	JMA	0012	Telephone conference with M. Masella regarding outline of complaint.	0.80
04/29/03	MM	0012	Further research on D&O issues (3.4); follow up and Zensky re: same (.5).	3.90
04/29/03	JMA	0012	Review addendum from D. Zensky regarding claims analysis (.3); e-mails with Pepper Hamilton regarding pleadings in related case (.2).	0.50
04/30/03	PKW	0012	Research regarding estimation of environmental claims (1.2); correspondence regarding same to M. Masella and J. Doughty (.4); conference with F. Hodara and M. Masella regarding same and Hamburg Stipulation (.4); research regarding claims register and filed claims (.6).	2.60
04/30/03	MM	0012	Follow up on analysis of D&O issues (.4).	0.40
04/30/03	JMA	0012	Review pleadings and call to plaintiff's counsel.	1.20
04/30/03	JMA	0012	Additional research regarding lender liability, fiduciary responsibility.	2.50
04/01/03	MM	0013	follow up on various due diligence matters (.5)	0.50
04/02/03	MM	0013	Follow up w/Jefco re: various pending diligence matters (.5).	0.50
04/04/03	MM	0013	T/cs Jefco, Cohen re: securitization and other due dili matters (.7).	0.70
04/08/03	MM	0013	follow up with Cohen re: securitization and related due diligence issues	0.50
04/09/03	MM	0013	T/cs Jefco, Cohen re: securitization and related matters (.5); follow up on other due dili matters (.3).	0.80
04/11/03	MM	0013	T/cs Jefco re: follow up on due dili matters (.3).	0.30
04/23/03	KEB	0013	Review emails re: litigation reports.	0.30
04/23/03	MM	0013	T/c Kupinsky re: insurance related matters (.2); follow up on same (.6).	0.80
04/25/03	KEB	0013	Participate Exide call - Due Diligence update.	0.50
04/25/03	RL	0013	Meeting w/ K. Berchem re/ corporate aspects of matter and upcoming transactions (.2); file review and analysis (1.2); attend conf. call (.5); calls and corresp. re/ same (.3); follow-up file work/review (.3).	2.50
04/25/03	MM	0013	Conf. call w/Jefco re: due dili matters (.7); follow up Berchem, Lennon re: same (.3); further research re: insurance issues (.5); follow up on accounts receivable issues (.7).	2.20
04/25/03	JAD	0013	Due diligence meeting with Jefco.	1.30
04/28/03	RL	0013	Review of background information on Exide via SEC filings, financial results; Jeffries presentations, corresp. between parties, press releases and other file materials (1.5); reviews of corresp. w/ parties (.5); calls	2.60

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			internally and corresp. re/ same (.5); review of sale proposals/letters, etc. (.6).	
04/29/03	RL	0013	Receipt of and review of due dil status report and other related file materials in prep. for meeting (April 30) w/ Committee and Co. (1.5); review of recent SEC filings/pull same from EDGAR (1.0).	2.50
04/02/03	JAD	0017	Note from M. Masella re Complaint against Keystone (.1).	0.10
04/08/03	JAD	0017	O/cs M. Masella re motion for stipulation regarding superfund site (.2); review of same (.2); draft of motion summary re same (.4).	0.80
04/09/03	PKW	0017	Review of Hamburg Superfund site Motion and Stipulation (.5); conference with M. Masella and R. Miller (Jefferies) regarding same (.5); research regarding Hamburg Lead Superfund site (1.2).	2.20
04/09/03	JAD	0017	2 o/cs M. Masella re motion for stipulation regarding superfund site (.1); review of same (.1); draft of motion summary re same (.2); 2 t/cs R. Miller re same (.5); e-mail P. Wahl re superfund site (.2); e-mail Jefco re same (.1).	1.20
04/10/03	PKW	0017	Research regarding and review of Hamburg Site stipulation and motion (.8); conferences with M. Grummer regarding same (.7); conference with R. Collings regarding stipulation (.8); conference with J. Doughty regarding stipulation and environmental liability outline (.4).	2.70
04/10/03	JAD	0017	E-mails M. Masella re motion for stipulation regarding superfund site (.2); 3 t/cs P. Wahl re same (.6); review of documents re same (.3).	1.10
04/10/03	JAD	0017	Adversary proceedings research and revisions (.8); 2 t/c F. Grese re same (.2).	1.00
04/11/03	PKW	0017	Review of Exide stipulation (.2); conference call regarding stipulation bankruptcy issues with M. Masella, J. Doughty, and R. Miller (Jefferies) (.6); phone call to M. Grummer regarding status (.2).	1.00
04/11/03	MM	0017	Follow up on Hamburg stip w/Jefco (.3); Wahl (.5); email K&E re: same (.1); emails Hodara re: same (.1).	1.00
04/11/03	JAD	0017	E-mails M. Masella re motion for stipulation regarding superfund site (.3); 2 o/cs re same (.2); conference call with R. Miller and P. Wahl (.7).	1.20
04/14/03	PKW	0017	Correspondence with M. Grummer and M. Masella regarding proposed stipulation (.2).	0.20
04/14/03	MM	0017	Follow up on Hamburg stip (.4).	0.40
04/14/03	JAD	0017	E-mails M. Masella re motion for stipulation regarding superfund site (.2); e-mails R. Miller and P. Wahl re same (.2).	0.50
04/15/03	PKW	0017	Conferences with M. Grummer regarding proposed Hamburg Site stipulation (1.3); conference with M. Masella regarding same (.8).	2.10
04/15/03	CJ	0017	Chancery court research for J. Doughty.	0.40
04/15/03	MM	0017	Review Equity Complaint (.4); circulate summary to Committee (.2); t/cs Committee re: same (.3); t/c Doughty re: research on same (.2).	1.10
04/15/03	JAD	0017	Review of the complaint by State of Wisconsin (.2); revisions to same (.2); review of the motion to expedite proceedings (.2); draft of motion summary re proceedings (.2); draft of motion summary re same (.1); revisions to same (.1).	1.00
04/16/03	JAD	0017	Review of docket for 3rd circuit appeal (.3); t/c F. Grese re same (.1).	0.40
04/17/03	FSH	0017	Review 2004 pleadings re foreign sub. info.	0.20
04/17/03	PKW	0017	Review of proposed Hamburg Site stipulation (0.2); phone call to M. Grummer regarding same (0.2); conference with M. Grummer and B. Collings regarding proposed Hamburg Site stipulation (0.7); conference with M. Masella and J. Doughty regarding same (1.0).	2.10
04/17/03	MM	0017	Follow up on super fund stipulation w/Wahl (1.0); draft reservation of rights (.3).	1.30
04/17/03	MM	0017	T/c Levine re: 2004 motion (.3); o/c Doughty re: case law research (.3); review Debtors motion re: equity complaint (.4); t/cs K&E re: same (.3).	1.30
04/17/03	JAD	0017	Review of equity committee litigation and research of same (2.1); o/c M. Masella re same (.2); review of 3rd circuit appeal (.2); 2 o/cs C. Jung re same (.5); o/c M. Masella re same (.1); e-mail M. Masella re same (.1);	3.80

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			e-mail C. Jung re same (.1); review of 2004 documentation (.2); o/c F. Hodara re same (.1); o/c M. Masella re same (.1).	
04/18/03	FSH	0017	Review Hamburg stip and inquiries re same (.2). Exchange emails w/P. Wahl re same and consider issues (.2). Conferences w/Pepper, J. Doughty re pleading (.2). TC M. Kleiman re Hamburg (.1). Follow up communications re same (.3).	1.00
04/18/03	PKW	0017	Correspondence with and phone calls to and from F. Hodara and M. Masella regarding Hamburg Site proposed Stipulation (1.3); phone call to M. Grummer regarding same (0.2).	1.50
04/18/03	MM	0017	Follow up on stipulation and filing of reservation of rights (.4); follow up re: 2004 motion, banks objection (.3).	0.70
04/18/03	JAD	0017	Review of equity committee litigation and research of same (.4); review of interim scheduling order for 2004 motion (.1); review of adversary proceedings and revisions re same (.3).	0.80
04/18/03	JAD	0017	Correspondence re same (.2); e-mail M. Masella re reservation of rights filing (.1); review of motion re same (.2); e-mail F. Hodara re same (.1); 2 o/cs F. Hodara re same (.3); 3 t/cs D. Stratton re same (.4); revisions to same (.1); t/c F. Hodara and M. Kleinman re same (.2); 4 emails re same (.4); review of DE filing re same (.2).	2.20
04/19/03	JAD	0017	Research of Equity Committee litigation and review of same.	1.30
04/21/03	FSH	0017	Examine email re derivative action (.1).	0.10
04/21/03	FSH	0017	Confer w/P. Wahl re Hamburg and follow up re same and adjournment.	0.30
04/21/03	PKW	0017	Conferences with M. Masella and F. Hodara regarding proposed Hamburg stipulation and plant agreed order (.8); conferences with M. Grummer regarding stipulation hearing and proposed plant agreed order (.5); preliminary review of proposed Hamburg agreed order (.5).	1.80
04/21/03	MM	0017	T/cs BRBI, SNR re: 2004 motion/objection (1.4); follow up on stip re: Hamburg and related issues (.8); t/cs S&S re: same (.3); t/cs Committee members re: same (.3); follow up on complaint re: annual meeting (.6).	3.40
04/21/03	JAD	0017	Review of equity committee litigation and research of same.	0.60
04/22/03	MM	0017	Follow up w/SNR, BRBI re: 2004 issues (.9); review Debtors adversary papers against equity (.3); follow up on same (.3).	1.50
04/22/03	JAD	0017	Review of equity committee litigation and research of same.	0.40
04/23/03	MM	0017	T/cs Levine (.4), K&E (.2) re: 2004 motions and related matters; review related papers (.3); t/cs Jefco re: Eq. Complaint (.3); emails SNR, BRBI re: 2004 (.2).	1.40
04/24/03	MM	0017	Follow up w/SNR, BRBI re: 2004 and related matters (1.4).	1.40
04/25/03	MM	0017	Follow up on 2004 related issues (1.6).	1.60
04/28/03	FSH	0017	Confer w/M. Masella re equity litigation.	0.20
04/28/03	CJ	0017	P/c to 3rd Cir. Court re: Oral Arugments Schedule for M. Masella.	0.30
04/28/03	MM	0017	T/cs K&E re: injunction (.3); follow up to same (.2); o/c Hodara re: same (.1); follow up w/Levine re: 2004 related matters (.3); t/c Kleiman re: same (.1); review list (.2); follow up w/Jefco re: same (.2); follow up w/corporate team re: same (.2); follow up on recharacterization issues w/Jefco (.4). Follow up on Equity appeal (.5).	2.50
04/28/03	JAD	0017	Review of discovery motion (.2); t/c T. Jung re same (.2); e-mails T. Jung re same (.1).	0.50
04/29/03	FSH	0017	Examine article re shareholder meeting suit (.1). Examine other equityholder pleadings (.2).	0.30
04/29/03	KEB	0017	Review Equity pleading.	0.40
04/29/03	JAD	0017	Review of discovery motion equity Committee reply brief (.3); review of interrogatories re same (.2).	0.50
04/30/03	FSH	0017	Examine info re SWIB action, Ds & Os (.2).	0.20
04/30/03	KEB	0017	T. call with Hodara/Lennon re: Proxy Control.	0.40
04/30/03	RL	0017	Calls and meetings w/ working group re/ possible proxy contest (.5); conduct research re/ same (2.5).	3.00
04/30/03	MM	0017	Review various pleadings in Debtors' adversary matter (.5); t/c K&E re:	2.10

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			equity claims (.2); o/c Doughty re: same (.8); follow up w/Wahl re: Hamburg stip (.2); follow up on 2004 matters (.4).	
04/30/03	JAD	0017	Review of complaint against Hawkins (.5); o/c M. Masella re equity committee litigation and research re same (1.0); review of same (.1); t/c K. Birchem re same (.1); e-mails M. Masella re same (.1); review of summary re same (.1).	1.90
04/04/03	JAD	0021	Review of Debtor's motion to extend period of exclusivity (.4); o/c M. Masella re same (.1).	0.50
04/05/03	FSH	0021	Review exclusivity motion and outline response.	0.60
04/05/03	KEB	0021	Review email from Hodara re: exclusivity motion.	0.20
04/06/03	JAD	0021	Draft of motion summary re same (.5); revisions to same (.2).	0.70
04/07/03	MM	0021	Follow up on Exclusivity and related issues (.3).	0.30
04/07/03	JAD	0021	Revisions to same.	0.30
04/09/03	FSH	0021	Work on exclusivity Response.	0.40
04/09/03	MM	0021	Draft and revise response to exclusivity (.8); o/c Hodara re: same (.3).	1.10
04/10/03	MM	0021	Summarize Exclusivity Extension and circulate to committee (.4); t/cs emails Jefco re: same (.3), emails Hodara re: same (.2); revise draft response (.2).	1.10
04/11/03	FSH	0021	Communications w/M. Masella re Committee comments on exclusivity and analyze next steps.	0.20
04/11/03	MM	0021	Follow up re: Response to Exclusivity Extension (.6); t/cs Jefco (.2); committee re: same (.5); emails Hodara re: same (.1).	1.40
04/11/03	JAD	0021	E-mails M. Masella re exclusivity.	0.20
04/14/03	MM	0021	T/cs Committee members re: exclusivity (1.2)' revise Response (.4).	1.60
04/15/03	FSH	0021	Completion of exclusivity response.	0.30
04/15/03	MM	0021	Follow up re: Response to Exclusivity Extension (.2); t/cs Committee re: same (.8); coordinate filing response (.3).	1.30
04/16/03	KEB	0021	Review Committee Response/Motion for continued exclusivity.	0.30
04/22/03	FSH	0021	Review exclusivity pleadings.	0.20
04/03/03	FSH	0022	Examine emails re bid process.	0.10
04/04/03	FSH	0022	Outline concepts related to restructuring and emails w/Jefco re same.	0.20
04/13/03	FSH	0022	Monitor status of litigation in connection with plan process.	0.30
04/24/03	FSH	0022	Examine info from Jefferies re plan issue.	0.10
04/28/03	FSH	0022	Confer w/Committee member re plan concepts (.2).	0.20
04/01/03	JAD	0024	T/C R. Miller re potential sale (.2); e-mail M. Masella re same (.1).	0.30
04/02/03	MM	0024	Follow up re: sale process (.5); t/cs Jefco re: same (.2).	0.70
04/04/03	MM	0024	Follow up on status of private equity process (1.3).	1.30
04/24/03	KEB	0024	Review private equity emails.	0.50
04/24/03	MM	0024	Follow up on private equity process (.7).	0.70
04/29/03	FSH	0024	Confer w/M. Masella re party interested in assets.	0.10
04/29/03	MM	0024	T/c creditor re: possible transaction (.3); follow up w/Jefco re: same (.4); o/c Hodara re: same (.1).	0.80
04/30/03	MM	0024	Follow up on private equity related issues (.5).	0.50
04/11/03	JSC	0025	Travel to New York for meeting with lead plaintiffs (actual time 5.4).	2.70
04/14/03	JSC	0025	Travel to Houston (actual time - 9.0).	4.50
04/22/03	FSH	0025	Travel to and from Court hearing (actual time - 1.5).	0.75
04/22/03	MM	0025	Travel to/from Wilmington (actual time - 2.7).	1.35
			Total Hours	414.50

EXHIBIT C

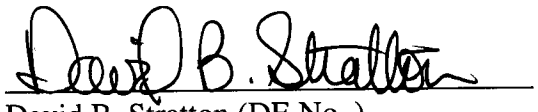
EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES DISBURSEMENTS SUMMARY APRIL 1, 2003 THROUGH APRIL 30, 2003	
Courier/Messenger/Postage	$13.14
Long Distance Telephone/Conference Calls	$1,396.95
Duplicating Costs	$825.80
Meals	$486.60
Committee Meeting Expenses – Meals	$880.92
Telecopy/Fax	$229.50
Computerized Research Expenses	$580.39
Travel Expenses – Airfare	$2,014.00
Travel Expenses – Lodging	$137.82
Travel Expenses – Meals	$12.42
Travel Expenses – Ground Transportation (Out of Town)	$77.07
Travel Expenses – Ground transportation (Local)	$461.70
Travel Expenses – Parking	$54.00
Totals	**$7,170.31**

EXHIBIT D

EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES FEE SUMMARY APRIL 1, 2003 THROUGH APRIL 30, 2003			
PARTNERS	**HOURS**	**RATE**	**AMOUNT**
BERCHEM, K.	12.20	$460	$5,612.00
COHEN, S.	3.50	$500	$1,750.00
HODARA, F.	31.45	$675	$21,228.75
LA FLAMME, E.	2.60	$475	$1,235.00
ZENSKY, D.	8.30	$525	$4,357.50
COUNSEL			
COWAN, J.	22.70	$410	$9,307.00
DOMBROWSKI, S.	36.40	$450	$16,380.00
LENNON, R.	10.60	$420	$4,452.00
ASSOCIATES			
ANAPOLSKY, J.	36.80	$225	$8,280.00
DOUGHTY, J.	87.30	$275	$24,007.50
KALAHER, K.	3.60	$315	$1,134.00
MASELLA, M.	120.05	$400	$48,020.00
WAHL, P.	21.30	$250	$5,325.00
LEGAL ASSISTANTS			
GRESE, F.	1.00	$150	$150.00
JUNG, C.	8.80	$160	$1,408.00
RUGE, G.	2.00	$160	$320.00
SPROFERA, P.	5.90	$175	$1,032.50
TOTAL	**414.50**		**$153,999.25**

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, David B. Stratton, hereby certify that on the 4th day of June, 2003, I did serve a copy of the foregoing *Twelfth Interim Application of Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP, co-counsel for the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors, for Interim Compensation and Reimbursement of Costs for the Period April 1, 2003 Through April 30, 2003* by causing a copy thereof to be served upon those parties and in the manner indicated on the service list attached hereto.



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