IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

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| In re: | ) | Chapter 11 |
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| EXIDE TECHNOLOGIES, et al.,[1] | ) | Case No. 02-11125 (KJC) |
| | ) | (Jointly Administered) |
| Debtors. | ) | |

**Objection Deadline: 2/17/04 at 4:00 p.m.**

**NOTICE OF TWENTY FIRST MONTHLY FEE AND EXPENSE INVOICE FOR DECEMBER 1, 2003 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2003**

TO: The Notice Parties

Name of Applicant: Gavin Anderson & Company

Authorized to Provide Professional Services to: Debtors

Date of Retention: May 10, 2002

Period for which compensation and/or reimbursement is sought: December 1, 2003 through December 31, 2003

Summary of Monthly Fee and Expense Invoice Statements for Compensation Period:

| | | Requested | | Paid | |
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| Date Filed | Period Covered | Fees | Expenses | Fees | Expenses |
| 1/27/04 | December 1-31, 2003 | $12,930.00 | $502.33 | 0 | 0 |

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Gavin Anderson & Company (the "Applicant") has today filed this Notice of Twenty First Monthly Fee and Expense Invoice for December 1, 2003 through December 31, 2003 ("Monthly Fee Statement") pursuant to the Order Appointing Examiner and Establishing Related Procedures Concerning the Allowance and Payment of

[1] The Debtors in these proceedings are: Exide Technologies f/k/a Exide Corporation; Exide Delaware, L.L.C.; Exide Illinois, Inc. and RBD Liquidation, L.L.C.

Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses of Applicants and Consideration of Fee Applications (the "Fee Examiner Order").

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that responses or objections to this Monthly Fee Statement, if any, must be filed on or before **February 17, 2004 at 4:00 pm. (prevailing Eastern Time)** (the "Objection Deadline") with the United State Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware, Marine Midland Plaza, 824 Market Street, 3rd Floor, Wilmington, Delaware 19801.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that you must also serve a copy of any such response or objection upon the Notice Parties so as to be received by the Notice Parties on or before the Objection Deadline.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that upon the expiration of the Objection Deadline, the Applicant shall certify in writing to the Debtors and Counsel to the Debtors that no objection, or an objection, has been filed with the Court relative to this Notice, whichever is applicable, after with the Debtors shall pay to the Professional an amount equal to the lesser of (i) 80 percent of the fees and 100 percent of the expenses requested in this Monthly Fee Statement or (ii) 80 percent of the fees and 100 percent of the expenses not subject to an objection. All fees and expenses in this Monthly Fee Statement will be included in the next

interim application for compensation and reimbursement of expenses to be filed and served by the Applicant at a later date, and will be subject to objection at such time.

New York, NY

Date: January 23, 2004

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