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## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA OAKLAND DIVISION

IN RE:

FOX ORTEGA ENTERPRISES INC

Case No. 16-40050 WJL

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S REQUEST FOR AUTHORITY TO PAY ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSE CLAIMS OF THE FRANCHISE TAX BOARD

Debtor(s)

TO: ALL CREDITORS, THE UNITED STATES TRUSTEE AND OTHER PARTIES IN INTEREST:

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT** Michael G. Kasolas, trustee, ("Trustee") of the above-captioned bankruptcy estate seeks authority from the Bankruptcy Court to pay the Franchise Tax Board ("FTB") the sum of \$800.00 for the 2017 tax year due on or before April 18, 2017 on account of administrative expenses owed to the FTB, and until the case is closed.

The Trustee seeks bankruptcy authority to pay these administrative expenses in accordance with the Ninth Circuit decision entitled *In re Cloobeck*, 788 Fl3d 1243 (9<sup>th</sup> Cir.2015). *Cloobeck* requires a trustee, pursuant to Bankruptcy Code Section 503 to provide notice to creditors before paying administrative taxes incurred by the bankruptcy estate.

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that this matter is governed by Bankruptcy Local Rule 9014-1(b)(3), which provides that:

Any objection to the requested relief, or a request for hearing on the matter, must be filed and served upon the initiating (undersigned) party within twenty-one (21) days of mailing the notice;

Any objection or a request for a hearing must be accompanied by any declarations or memoranda of law any requesting party wishes to present in support of its position;

If there is no timely objection to the requested relief or a request for hearing, the court may enter an order granting the relief by default;

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The initiating party will give at least seven (7) days written notice of the hearing to the objecting or requesting party, and to any trustee or committee appointed in the case. Any objection or request for hearing should be served on the undersigned and filed with the Clerk of the United States Bankruptcy Court, Northern District of California, Oakland Division, 1300 Clay St Rm 300, Oakland California 94612. DATED: March 21, 2017 /s/ Michael G. Kasolas Michael G. Kasolas, Trustee 

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