

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE**

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In re: : Chapter 11  
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FLEMING COMPANIES, : Case No. 03-10945 (MFW)  
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INC., et al., : Jointly Administered  
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: **Objection Deadline: May 28, 2003 at 4:00 p.m. EST**  
Debtors. : **Hearing Date: June 4, 2003 at 4:00 p.m.**  
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**OBJECTION OF THE OFFICIAL COMMITTEE OF UNSECURED CREDITORS TO  
APPLICATION OF THE DEBTORS FOR ENTRY OF AN ORDER PURSUANT TO 11  
U.S.C. §§327(a), 328(a) AND FED.R.BANKR.P. 2014(a), 2016 AND 5002 AUTHORIZING  
THE EMPLOYMENT AND RETENTION OF RETAIL CONSULTING SERVICES, INC.  
AND STAUBACH RETAIL SERVICES, LTD. AS VALUATION CONSULTANTS TO  
THE DEBTORS AND DEBTORS IN POSSESSION (Docket No. 942)**

The Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors of Fleming Companies, Inc., (the “Committee”), by its attorneys, Pepper Hamilton LLP and Milbank Tweed Hadley & McCloy LLP, files this objection (the “Objection”) to Debtors’ Application for Entry of an Order Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §§327(a), 328(a) and Fed.R.Bank.P. 2014(a), 2016 and 5002 Authorizing the Employment and Retention of Retail Consulting Services, Inc. (“RCS”) and Staubach Retail Services, Ltd. (“SRS”) as Valuation Consultants to the Debtors and Debtors in Possession (the “Application”) filed on May 17, 2003. In support of its Objection, the Committee respectfully states as follows:

The Motion proposes to employ RCS and SRS as leasehold and property valuation consultants. The Committee does not oppose the employment of SRS as they will provide crucial services related to the valuation of the lease portfolio.

However, the Committee is unfamiliar with RCS and is waiting to receive documentation from the Debtors indicating the need for hiring both RCS and SRC. Until the Committee is provided with this documentation and sufficient time to review it, it is unable to determine

whether to oppose or support the employment of RCS and therefore preserves its right to object to the retention of RCS by the Debtors.

WHEREFORE, the Committee respectfully requests that this Court grant the Committee's request to have additional time to review the relevant documentation related to this Motion so that it can make an appropriate determination as to the proposed retention of Retail Consulting Services, Inc.

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