

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

In re:)	Chapter 11
)	
J.L. FRENCH AUTOMOTIVE CASTINGS,)	Case No. 09-12445 (KG)
INC., <i>et al.</i>)	(Jointly Administered)
)	
Debtors. ¹)	

**ORDER PURSUANT TO 11 U.S.C. §§ 327(a) AND 328(a), FED. R. BANKR.
P. 2014(a) AND DEL. BANKR. L. R. 2014-1 AUTHORIZING
THE RETENTION OF GREAT AMERICAN ADVISORY & VALUATION
SERVICES, L.L.C. AS APPRAISER AND
NUNC PRO TUNC AUGUST 17, 2009**

Upon the application (the “Application”)² of the debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the “Debtors”) in the above-captioned chapter 11 cases, for an entry of an order, pursuant to sections 327(a) and 328(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rule 2014(a), and Local Rule 2014-1, authorizing the retention and employment of Great American Group Advisory & Valuation Services, L.L.C. (“Great American”), as the Debtors’ appraiser in these chapter 11 cases, *nunc pro tunc* to August 17, 2009; and this Court having considered the Declaration of Bill Soncini in support of the Application (the “Supporting Declaration”); and the Court being satisfied, based on the representations made in the Application and the Supporting Declaration, that Great American represents or holds no interest adverse to the Debtors or their

¹ The Debtors in these cases along with the last four digits of each of the Debtors’ federal tax identification numbers are: J.L. French Automotive Castings, Inc., (3670); French Holdings LLC, (0518); Nelson Metal Products LLC (4939); Allotech International LLC (5832); J.L. French LLC (8901); J.L. French Automotive, LLC (7075); Central Die, LLC (7793). The Debtors’ headquarters and mailing address is: 3101 South Taylor Drive, Sheboygan, WI 53082.

² Capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Application.

estates with respect to the matters upon which Great American is to be engaged and is a “disinterested person,” as that term is defined in section 101(14) of the Bankruptcy Code, as modified by section 1107(b) of the Bankruptcy Code; and the Court having jurisdiction to consider the Application and the relief requested therein pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1334; and consideration of the Application and the relief requested therein being a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b); and venue being proper in this district pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409; and due and proper notice of the Application having been provided; and it appearing that no other or further notice need be provided; and the relief requested in the Application being in the best interests of the Debtors, their creditors and all other parties in interest; and the Court having determined that the legal and factual bases set forth in the Application and at the hearing establish just cause for the relief granted herein; and upon all the proceedings had before the Court and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor, it is

ORDERED that the Application is granted *nunc pro tunc* to August 17, 2009; and it is further

ORDERED that, pursuant to sections 327(a) and 328(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rule 2014(a) and Local Rule 2014-1, the Debtors’ are authorized to employ and retain Great American as their appraiser in accordance with the terms set forth in the Engagement Letter and Supporting Declaration *nunc pro tunc* to the August 17, 2009; and it is further

ORDERED that Great American shall apply for compensation and reimbursement in accordance with the procedures set forth in sections 330 and 331 of the

Bankruptcy Code, applicable Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, Local Bankruptcy Rules for the District of Delaware, and Orders of the Court, guidelines established by the Office of the United States Trustee for the District of Delaware, and such other procedures as may be fixed by order of this Court; and it is further

ORDERED that the terms and conditions of this order shall be immediately effective and enforceable upon its entry; and it is further

ORDERED that the Debtors are hereby authorized and empowered to take such steps and perform such acts as may be necessary to implement and effectuate the terms of this Order; and it is further

ORDERED that this Court shall retain jurisdiction to hear and determine all matters arising from the implementation and/or interpretation of this Order.

Dated: _____, 2009
Wilmington, Delaware

HONORABLE KEVIN GROSS
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE