UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

In re DEWEY RANCH HOCKEY, LLC, COYOTES HOLDINGS, LLC, COYOTES HOCKEY, LLC, and ARENA MANAGEMENT GROUP, LLC, Debtors.	Case No. 2:09-bk-_____ (Jointly Administered) Chapter 11 **INTERIM ORDER UNDER 11 U.S.C. § 327(a) AUTHORIZING RETENTION AND EMPLOYMENT OF SQUIRE, SANDERS & DEMPSEY L.L.P., AS ATTORNEYS FOR THE DEBTORS**
This Filing Applies to: ■ All Debtors ❒ Specified Debtors	

This matter came before the Court on the "Application for an Order Under 11 U.S.C. § 327(a) Authorizing the Retention and Employment of Squire, Sanders & Dempsey L.L.P. as Attorneys for the Debtors" dated May 5, 2009 (the "**Application**")[1] of the above-captioned debtors-in-possession (the "**Debtors**") for an order authorizing the retention and employment of Squire Sanders as attorneys for the Debtors, the "Verified Statement of Thomas J. Salerno in Support of Application for an Order Under 11 U.S.C. § 327(a) Authorizing the Retention and Employment of Squire, Sanders & Dempsey, LLP as Attorneys for the Debtors" (the "**Verified**

[1] Capitalized terms not defined in this Order have the meanings given to them in the Application.

Statement"), and the "Declaration of Michael Nealy in Support of Chapter 11 Petitions and First Day Motions" (the "**Declaration**").

Having reviewed the Application, the Verified Statement, and the Declaration, this Court finds and concludes that: (i) it has jurisdiction over the matters raised in the Application under 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334; (ii) venue of this matter is proper under 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409; (iii) this matter is a core proceeding under 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(2); (iv) the relief requested in the Application is in the best interests of the Debtors, their estates, their creditors, and other parties in interest; (v) adequate and proper notice of the Application and the hearing on it has been given and no other or further notice is necessary; and (vi) good and sufficient cause exists for granting the relief requested in the Application. In light of the foregoing,

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Application is GRANTED on an interim basis.

2. A final hearing on the Application is scheduled for _____, 2009 at __:__ _.m. prevailing Arizona Time before this Court (the "**Final Hearing**"). Any party in interest may file an objection (an "**Objection**") to the relief sought in the Application on or within 10 days from entry of this Interim Order (the "**Objection Deadline**"); provided, however, that such party shall file and serve written objections upon (i) Squire, Sanders & Dempsey L.L.P., Two Renaissance Square, 40 North Central Avenue, Suite 2700, Phoenix, AZ 85004 (Attn: Kelly Singer, Esq.); (ii) the Office of the United States Trustee for the District of Arizona, 230 North First Avenue, Suite 204, Phoenix, AZ 85003; (iii) the entities listed on the Consolidated List of Creditors Holding the 40 Largest Unsecured Claims filed pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 1007(d); (iv) counsel for any statutory committee appointed under Bankruptcy Code § 1102; (v) counsel to the proposed buyer of the Coyotes Hockey's assets, Lewis and Roca LLP, 40 North Central Avenue, Suite 1900,

Phoenix, AZ 85004 (Attn: Susan Freeman, Esq.); and (vi) counsel to the proposed debtor-in-possession lender (collectively, the "**Notice Parties**"), and shall be filed with the Clerk of the United States Bankruptcy Court, District of Arizona, in each case to allow actual receipt by the foregoing no later than ____, 2009, at noon prevailing Arizona Time.

3. Under 11 U.S.C. § 327(a), the Debtors, as debtors-in-possession, are authorized to retain and employ Squire Sanders as their attorneys as of the Petition Date, to perform the services set forth in the Application.

4. Squire Sanders will be compensated in accordance with the procedures set forth in the Application, and in accordance with Bankruptcy Code §§ 330 and 331 and all applicable Bankruptcy Rules, Local Rules, and Orders of this Court.

5. Squire Sanders is authorized to apply the Retainer to pay any fees, charges and disbursements relating to services rendered to the Debtors before the Petition Date that remain unpaid as of such date and will hold the remaining portion of the Retainer, if any, in trust for application to fees, charges and disbursements relating to services rendered after the Petition Date as may be further ordered by the Court.

6. In the event that the Application is not granted on a final basis, Squire Sanders is authorized to submit a fee application to this Court for compensation for services rendered and expenses incurred during the period between the Petition Date and the date of any final hearing on this Application. Any party may object to the fee application, provided, however, that such party must file such objection with the Court and serve a copy of the objection on the Notice Parties.

7. The requirements set forth in Bankruptcy Rule 6003(b) are satisfied by the contents of the Application or are otherwise deemed waived.

8. The Debtors are authorized to take all actions necessary to effectuate the relief granted by this Order in accordance with the Application.

9. Notwithstanding the possible applicability of Bankruptcy Rules 6004, 7062 or 9014, the terms and conditions of this Interim Order shall be immediately effective and enforceable upon its entry.

10. Entry of this Interim Order is without prejudice to the rights of any party-in-interest to object to the Application at any final hearing on the Application.

11. All time periods set forth in this Interim Order shall be calculated in accordance with Rule 9006(a) of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure.

12. This Court retains jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or related to the implementation of this Interim Order.

DATED AND SIGNED ABOVE