## IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

IN RE:

\$ CASE NO. 15-35615

RAAM GLOBAL ENERGY COMPANY, \$ (Chapter 11)

\$ JOINTLY ADMINISTERED

DEBTORS.

ORDER GRANTING FINAL APPLICATION OF GORDON, ARATA, MCCOLLAM, DUPLANTIS & EAGAN, LLC FOR ALLOWANCE OF FEES AND EXPENSES AS DEBTORS' LOUISIANA COUNSEL FOR THE PERIOD OF DECEMBER 16, 2015 THROUGH MARCH 1, 2016

Upon consideration of the *Final Application of Gordon, Arata, McCollam, Duplantis & Eagan, LLC for Allowance of Fees and Expenses as Debtors' Louisiana Counsel for the Period of December 16, 2015 Through February 1, 2016* [Docket No. 441] (the "Application") filed by Gordon, Arata, McCollam, Duplantis & Eagan, LLC ("GA"), the Debtors' Louisiana counsel, the Court finds that: (a) it has jurisdiction over the matters raised in the Application pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157 and 1334; (b) this is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b); (c) the fees and expenses requested are reasonable, necessary and beneficial to the Debtors' estates and should be allowed; (d) proper and adequate notice of the Application and hearing thereon has been given, no objections to the Application have been filed, and no other or further notice is required; and (e) good and sufficient cause exists for granting the relief herein, after due deliberation upon the Application and all relevant proceedings before the Court in connection with the Application. Therefore, it is hereby

**ORDERED** that, in consideration of the informal objection raised by the U.S. Trustee for the Southern District of Texas and the resolution thereof, GA shall be allowed final

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein have the meanings set forth in the Application.

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compensation of fees in the amount of \$58,000.00 and reimbursement of expenses in the amount

of \$287.79 for services rendered on behalf of the Debtors for the period of December 16, 2015

through March 1, 2016. It is further

**ORDERED** that GA is authorized to apply its retainer to GA's unpaid fees and expenses.

It is further

**ORDERED** that the Liquidating Trustee, as defined in the *Order Confirming Second* 

Amended Joint Plan of Liquidation Pursuant to Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code [Docket No.

376] (the "Confirmation Order"), is authorized and directed to pay immediately GA's remaining

outstanding fees and expenses (after application of GA's retainer) allowed herein from the

Debtor Professional Fee Reserve, as defined in the Debtors' Second Amended Joint Plan of

Liquidation Pursuant to Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, attached as Exhibit "A" to the

Confirmation Order. It is further

**ORDERED** that this Court shall retain jurisdiction to hear and determine all matters

arising from or related to the implementation, interpretation, or enforcement of this Order.

Dated: March \_\_\_\_\_, 2016

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND SUBSTANCE:

/s/ Nancy L. Holley,

Trial Attorney for the United States Trustee