

The following constitutes the order of the Court.

Signed December 20, 2005

United States Bankruptcy Judge

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS DALLAS DIVISION

In re: **§** § § §

VARTEC TELECOM, INC, et al., Case No. 04-81694-HDH

Chapter 11

(Jointly Administered) Debtors.

ORDER GRANTING CARRINGTON, COLEMAN, SLOMAN & BLUMENTHAL L.L.P.'s THIRD APPLICATION FOR COMPENSATION AND REIMBURSEMENT OF **EXPENSES AND REQUEST FOR PAYMENT OF** THE TWENTY PERCENT HOLDBACK [Docket No. 2124]

On December 19, 2005 came on for consideration Carrington, Coleman, Sloman & Blumenthal, L.L.P.'s Third Interim Application for Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses and Request for Payment of the Twenty Percent Holdback (the "Application"). Based upon the Application and the record made at the hearing, the Court finds that the fees and expenses requested by Carrington, Coleman, Sloman & Blumenthal, L.L.P. ("CCSB") are reasonable, actual, and necessary and that good cause exists for the payment of CCSB's fees and expenses as set forth in this Order. The Court further finds that notice of the Application was

proper and that no other or further notice is necessary; that this Court has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334; that this proceeding is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(2); and upon the record herein; and after due deliberation thereon; and good and sufficient cause appearing therefore, it is hereby:

ORDERED, that the Application is approved, and,

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that

- (1) the fees and expenses previously paid to CCSB during the application are allowed;
- (2) the 20% holdback in the amount of \$86,128.40 is allowed and Debtors are directed to promptly pay this amount; and
- (3) the fees and expenses for September and October 2005 in the amount of \$217,417.50 in fees and \$16,502.68 in expenses are allowed and Debtors are directed to promptly pay any unpaid amounts.

END OF ORDER

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