



ORDERED in the Southern District of Florida on May 28, 2014.

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**Paul G. Hyman, Chief Judge
United States Bankruptcy Court**

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
PALM BEACH DIVISION
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In re:

Chapter 11

PALM BEACH FINANCE PARTNERS, L.P.,
PALM BEACH FINANCE II, L.P.,

Case No.: 09-36379-PGH
Case No.: 09-36396-PGH
(Jointly Administered)

Debtors.

**ORDER AUTHORIZING THE EMPLOYMENT AND
RETENTION OF MARC HURWITZ AND CROSSROADS
INVESTIGATIONS, INC., NUNC PRO TUNC TO APRIL 28, 2014**

THIS CAUSE came before the Court on May 28, 2014 at 9:30 a.m. upon the Liquidating Trustee's *Application to Employ Marc Hurwitz and Crossroads Investigations, Inc.* (collectively, the "**Applicant**") *nunc pro tunc to April 28, 2014* [ECF No. 2281] (the "**Application**"). Upon the representations that the Applicant (i) the Applicant is (a) duly qualified, (b) holds no interest adverse to the Liquidating Trustee, the Liquidating Trusts, the above-captioned Debtors or the Debtors' estates in the matters upon which it is to be engaged, (c) is disinterested as required by 11 U.S.C. § 327(a), (d) has disclosed any connections with parties set forth in *Fed. R. Bankr. P.*

2014, and (ii) the Applicant's employment is necessary and is in the best interests of the Liquidating Trusts and their creditors, it is

ORDERED as follows:

1. The Application is **GRANTED**, *nunc pro tunc* to April 28, 2014.
2. The Liquidating Trustee is authorized to retain the Applicant as a private investigator/asset investigator pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §§ 327, 330 and 331, and the terms set forth in the Application.
3. The Applicant will charge the Liquidating Trustee its ordinary and customary rates for services as requested by the Liquidating Trustee in accordance with the Fee Schedule attached as Exhibit 3 to the Application¹.
4. Provided that the fees and costs charged for the services are as set forth in the Fee Schedule and do not total more than \$5,000.00 in any given month, the Applicant will not be required to file fee applications for approval of such fees and costs.

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¹ All capitalized terms utilized but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed to such terms in the Application.

5. The “Pro Rata Allocation Formula” is the proper methodology to allocate Applicant’s fees and expenses between the two estates.

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Jessica L. Wasserstrom, Esquire, is directed to serve copies of this Order on all parties in interest and to file a Certificate of Service.