



ORDERED in the Southern District of Florida on October 4, 2013.

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

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

Chapter 11

PALM BEACH FINANCE PARTNERS, L.P.,
PAL BEACH FINANCE II, L.P.¹,

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

Debtors.

**ORDER AWARDING SEVENTH INTERIM POST CONFIRMATION
FEES AND EXPENSES OF BARRY E. MUKAMAL AS THE LIQUIDATING TRUSTEE**

THIS CAUSE came before the Court on October 1, 2013 at 10:00 a.m., upon the Seventh Interim Post Confirmation Application for Compensation of Barry E. Mukamal, as Liquidating Trustee [ECF No. 1929] (the "*Application*").

The Court, having reviewed the Application, having heard from all parties in interest who had an opportunity to be heard, having taken into consideration 11 U.S.C. § 331 and each of the

¹ The address and last four digits of the taxpayer identification number for each of the Debtors follows in parenthesis: (i) Palm Beach Finance Partners, L.P., 3601 PGA Blvd. Suite 301, Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33410 (TIN 9943); and (ii) Palm Beach Finance II, L.P., 3601 PGA Blvd. Suite 301, Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33410 (TIN 0680).

factors that govern the reasonableness of fees as set forth in *In re First Colonial Corp. of America*, 544 F.2d 1291 (5th Cir. 1977) and *Johnson v. Georgia Highway Express*, 488 F.2d 714 (5th Cir. 1974), having heard the argument of counsel, and based on the record, it is

ORDERED that:

1. The Application is **APPROVED**.
2. Barry E. Mukamal, Liquidating Trustee², is awarded compensation in the amount of **\$52,626.37** (representing 100% of the fees requested) and **\$109.33** (representing 100% of expenses requested) (“*Fee and Cost Award*”).
3. The awarded fees and costs shall be paid by the particular Trust as follows: (a) PBF Liquidating Trust: fees in the amount of **\$10,388.49** and expenses in the amount of **\$19.68** and (b) PBFII Liquidating Trust: fees in the amount of **\$42,237.88** and expenses in the amount of **\$89.65**.
4. Pursuant to Section 7.1.11 of the Plan, the Court ratifies payments previously made to the Liquidating Trustee with respect to the Fee and Cost Award.

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Michael S. Budwick, Esquire, is directed to serve copies of this Order on all parties in interest and to file a Certificate of Service.

² All capitalized terms not defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed to such term as set forth in the Application.