

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.,  
a Delaware limited partnership, *et al.*,<sup>1</sup>

Case No. 09-36379-BKC-PGH

Jointly Administered

Debtors.

**SUMMARY OF  
TWELFTH POST-CONFIRMATION APPLICATION FOR ALLOWANCE AND  
PAYMENT OF COMPENSATION AND REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES  
INCURRED BY LEVINE KELLOGG LEHMAN SCHNEIDER + GROSSMAN LLP,  
AS LOCAL COUNSEL FOR GEOFFREY VARGA, THE LIQUIDATING  
TRUST MONITOR FOR PALM BEACH FINANCE II, L.P. FOR THE  
PERIOD OF JULY 1, 2014 THROUGH OCTOBER 31, 2014**

1. Name of Applicant: LEVINE KELLOGG LEHMAN SCHNEIDER + GROSSMAN LLP (THE "APPLICANT")
2. Role of Applicant: Local Counsel for Geoffrey Varga, the Liquidating Trust Monitor for Palm Beach Finance II, L.P.
3. Name of Certifying Professional: Robin J. Rubens, Esq.
4. Date Case Filed: November 30, 2009
5. Date of application for employment: December 27, 2010
6. Date of Order Approving Professional Employment: January 27, 2011, *nunc pro tunc* to November 1, 2010
7. Date of Disclosure of Compensation (FRBP 2016): N/A
8. Date of this application: December 19, 2014
9. Dates of Services Reimbursement Sought: July 1, 2014 through October 31, 2014

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<sup>1</sup> 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).

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| 10. | Total fee requested for this period:   | <b><u>\$12,692.00</u></b>  |
| 11. | Balance remaining in fee retainer account, not yet awarded:  | \$ 0.00                    |
| 12. | Fees paid or advanced for this period, by other sources:   | N/A                        |
| 13. | <b><u>TOTAL "NET" AMOUNT OF REQUESTED PROFESSIONAL FEE: \$12,692.00</u></b>  |                            |
| 14. | Total expense reimbursement requested for this period:   | \$ <b><u>725.04</u></b>    |
| 15. | Balance remaining in expense retainer account, not yet received:   | N/A                        |
| 16. | Expenses paid or advanced for this period, by other sources:   | N/A                        |
| 17. | <b><u>TOTAL NET AMOUNT OF EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENTS REQUESTED FOR THIS PERIOD:</u></b>  |                            |
|     |  | <b><u>\$ 725.04</u></b>    |
| 18. | Total gross requested award (fees & costs) for this period (#10 + #14)   | <u>\$13,417.04</u>         |
| 19. | <b><u>TOTAL NET REQUESTED AWARD (Fees &amp; Costs) (#13 + #17):</u></b>  | <b><u>\$ 13,417.04</u></b> |
| 20. | If Final Fee Application, amounts of net awards requested in interim Applications but not previously awarded (total from History of Fees and Expenses, following pages): |                            |
| 21. | Final fee and expense award requested (#19 + #20)  |                            |

#### History of Fees and Expenses

1. Dates, sources, and amounts of retainers received: N/A
2. Dates, sources and amounts of third party payments received:

<u>Dates</u>	<u>Sources</u>	<u>Amounts</u>	<u>For fees or costs?</u>
2/7/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$1,973.08 <sup>2</sup>	Fees and Costs
2/7/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$8,988.47 <sup>3</sup>	Fees and Costs

<sup>2</sup> This figure comprises the 18% due by Palm Beach Finance Partners, L.P. for the November 2010 and December 2010 fees and costs incurred by the Applicant.

<sup>3</sup> This figure comprises the 82% due by Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. for the November 2010 and December 2010

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3/9/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 3,127.84 <sup>4</sup>	Fees and Costs
3/9/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$14,249.06 <sup>5</sup>	Fees and Costs
4/11/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,311.29 <sup>6</sup>	Fees and Costs
4/11/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 5,973.64 <sup>7</sup>	Fees and Costs
5/10/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,800.48 <sup>8</sup>	Fees and Costs
5/10/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 8,202.21 <sup>9</sup>	Fees and Costs
6/13/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,546.13 <sup>10</sup>	Fees and Costs
6/13/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 7,043.46 <sup>11</sup>	Fees and Costs
7/14/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,704.73 <sup>12</sup>	Fees and Costs
7/14/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 7,765.98 <sup>13</sup>	Fees and Costs

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<sup>10</sup> This figure comprises the 18% due by Palm Beach Finance Partners, L.P. for the April 2011 fees and costs incurred by the Applicant.

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<sup>12</sup> This figure comprises the 18% due by Palm Beach Finance Partners, L.P. for the May 2011 fees and costs incurred by the Applicant.

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8/15/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,956.97 <sup>14</sup>	Fees and Costs
8/15/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 8,915.06 <sup>15</sup>	Fees and Costs
9/16/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,676.18 <sup>16</sup>	Fees and Costs
9/16/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 7,635.95 <sup>17</sup>	Fees and Costs
9/30/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 2,115.18 <sup>18</sup>	Fees and Costs
9/30/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 9,635.82 <sup>19</sup>	Fees and Costs
11/3/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 3,374.97 <sup>20</sup>	Fees and Costs
11/3/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$15,374.85 <sup>21</sup>	Fees and Costs
12/5/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,627.90 <sup>22</sup>	Fees and Costs
12/5/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 7,415.97 <sup>23</sup>	Fees and Costs

<sup>14</sup> This figure comprises the 18% due by Palm Beach Finance Partners, L.P. for the June 2011 fees and costs incurred by the Applicant.

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12/29/11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 3,777.36 <sup>24</sup>	Fees and Costs
12/29 /11	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 17,207.97 <sup>25</sup>	Fees and Costs
2/ 9/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 965.18 <sup>26</sup>	Fees and Costs
2/ 9/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 4,396.93 <sup>27</sup>	Fees and Costs
3/12/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,589.45 <sup>28</sup>	Fees and Costs
3/12/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 7,240.83 <sup>29</sup>	Fees and Costs
4/2/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 3,084.12 <sup>30</sup>	Fees and Costs
4/2/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 14,049.89 <sup>31</sup>	Fees and Costs
5/14/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,824.84 <sup>32</sup>	Fees and Costs
5/14/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 8,313.16 <sup>33</sup>	Fees and Costs
6/15/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 2,115.72 <sup>34</sup>	Fees and Costs

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6/15/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 9,638.29 <sup>35</sup>	Fees and Costs
7/11/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 2,230.77 <sup>36</sup>	Fees and Costs
7/11/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$10,162.41 <sup>37</sup>	Fees and Costs
8/13/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,227.21 <sup>38</sup>	Fees and Costs
8/13/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 5,590.63 <sup>39</sup>	Fees and Costs
9/6/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,047.61 <sup>40</sup>	Fees and Costs
9/6/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 4,772.43 <sup>41</sup>	Fees and Costs
10/10/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,373.82 <sup>42</sup>	Fees and Costs
10/10/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 6,258.54 <sup>43</sup>	Fees and Costs
11/21/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,375.92 <sup>44</sup>	Fees and Costs

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11/21/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 6,268.08 <sup>45</sup> Fees and Costs
12/6/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,533.01 <sup>46</sup> Fees and Costs
12/ 6/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 6,983.72 <sup>47</sup> Fees and Costs
12/21/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,351.44 <sup>48</sup> Fees
12/21/12	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 6,156.56 <sup>49</sup> Fees
2/11/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,109.97 <sup>50</sup> Fees and Costs
2/11/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 5,056.53 <sup>51</sup> Fees and Costs
4/18/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,784.22 <sup>52</sup> Fees and Costs
4/18/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 8,128.14 <sup>53</sup> Fees and Costs
4/18/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,610.96 <sup>54</sup> Fees and Costs
4/18/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 7,338.81 <sup>55</sup> Fees and Costs

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5/13/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,866.33 <sup>56</sup>	Fees and Costs
5/13/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 8,502.17 <sup>57</sup>	Fees and Costs
6/13/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,746.19 <sup>58</sup>	Fees and Costs
6/13/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 8,091.51 <sup>59</sup>	Fees and Costs
7/18/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,319.61 <sup>60</sup>	Fees and Costs
7/18/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 5,874.89 <sup>61</sup>	Fees and Costs
8/5/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 799.18 <sup>62</sup>	Fees and Costs
8/5/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 3,640.72 <sup>63</sup>	Fees and Costs
9/4/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 834.73 <sup>64</sup>	Fees and Costs
9/4/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 3,802.69 <sup>65</sup>	Fees and Costs

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<sup>58</sup> This figure comprises the 18% due by Palm Beach Finance Partners, L.P. for the April 2013 fees and costs incurred by the Applicant.

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10/7/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,475.09 <sup>66</sup>	Fees and Costs
10/7/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 6,719.84 <sup>67</sup>	Fees and Costs
11/14/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 851.70 <sup>68</sup>	Fees and Costs
11/14/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 3,879.95 <sup>69</sup>	Fees and Costs
12/31/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 3,276.20 <sup>70</sup>	Fees and Costs
12/31/13	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 719.16 <sup>71</sup>	Fees and Costs
1/9/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,277.15 <sup>72</sup>	Fees
1/9/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 280.35 <sup>73</sup>	Fees
2/10/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,162.08 <sup>74</sup>	Fees
2/10/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 5,293.92 <sup>75</sup>	Fees
3/12/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 2,277.35 <sup>76</sup>	Fees and Costs

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3/12/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 10,374.60 <sup>77</sup>	Fees and Costs
3/31/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 430.58 <sup>78</sup>	Fees and Costs
3/31/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,961.55 <sup>79</sup>	Fees and Costs
5/27/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 400.50 <sup>80</sup>	Fees
5/27/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,824.50 <sup>81</sup>	Fees
6/13/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 1,324.03 <sup>82</sup>	Fees and Costs
6/13/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 6,031.67 <sup>83</sup>	Fees and Costs
7/7/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 637.84 <sup>84</sup>	Fees and Costs
7/7/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$ 2,905.71 <sup>85</sup>	Fees and Costs

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8/7/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$	823.86 <sup>86</sup>	Fees and Costs
8/7/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$	3,752.31 <sup>87</sup>	Fees and Costs
8/27/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$	633.25 <sup>88</sup>	Fees and Costs
8/27/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$	2,884.81 <sup>89</sup>	Fees and Costs
10/6/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$	842.73 <sup>90</sup>	Fees
10/6/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$	3,839.09 <sup>91</sup>	Fees
11/17/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$	453.96 <sup>92</sup>	Fees and Costs
11/17/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$	2,068.04 <sup>93</sup>	Fees and Costs
12/16/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$	501.12 <sup>94</sup>	Fees and Costs
12/16/14	Barry E. Mukamal, as Liq. Trustee	\$	2,282.86 <sup>95</sup>	Fees and Costs

### 3. Prior fee and expense awards:

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<sup>86</sup> This figure comprises the 18% due by Palm Beach Finance Partners, L.P. for the June 2014 fees and costs incurred by the Applicant.

<sup>87</sup> This figure comprises the 82% due by Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. for the June 2014 fees and costs incurred by the Applicant.

<sup>88</sup> This figure comprises the 18% due by Palm Beach Finance Partners, L.P. for the July 2014 fees and costs incurred by the Applicant.

<sup>89</sup> This figure comprises the 82% due by Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. for the July 2014 fees and costs incurred by the Applicant.

<sup>90</sup> This figure comprises the 18% due by Palm Beach Finance Partners, L.P. for the August 2014 fees and costs incurred by the Applicant.

<sup>91</sup> This figure comprises the 82% due by Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. for the August 2014 fees and costs incurred by the Applicant.

<sup>92</sup> This figure comprises the 18% due by Palm Beach Finance Partners, L.P. for the September 2014 fees and costs incurred by the Applicant.

<sup>93</sup> This figure comprises the 82% due by Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. for the September 2014 fees and costs incurred by the Applicant.

<sup>94</sup> This figure comprises the 18% due by Palm Beach Finance Partners, L.P. for the October 2014 fees and costs incurred by the Applicant.

<sup>95</sup> This figure comprises the 82% due by Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. for the October 2014 fees and costs incurred by the Applicant.

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Order Approving Second Post-Confirmation Application And Awarding Compensation And Reimbursement Of Expenses Incurred By Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of February 1, 2011 Through June 30, 2011 [ECF No. 733] dated September 1, 2011.

Order Approving Third Post-Confirmation Application And Awarding Compensation And Reimbursement Of Expenses Incurred By Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of July 1, 2011 Through October 31, 2011 [ECF No. 1090] dated February 14, 2012.

Order Approving Fourth Post-Confirmation Application And Awarding Compensation And Reimbursement Of Expenses Incurred By Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of November 1, 2011 Through February 29, 2012 [ECF No. 1259] dated June 1, 2012.

Order Approving Fifth Post-Confirmation Application And Awarding Compensation And Reimbursement Of Expenses Incurred By Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of March 1, 2012 Through June 30, 2012 [ECF No. 1428] dated September 26, 2012.

Order Approving Sixth Post-Confirmation Application And Awarding Compensation And Reimbursement Of Expenses Incurred By Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of July 1, 2012 Through October 31, 2012 [ECF No. 1692] dated January 30, 2013.

Order Approving Seventh Post-Confirmation Application And Awarding Compensation And Reimbursement Of Expenses Incurred By Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of November 1, 2012 Through February 28, 2013 [ECF No. 1862] dated June 5, 2013.

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Order Approving Eighth Post-Confirmation Application And Awarding Compensation And Reimbursement Of Expenses Incurred By Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of March 1, 2013 Through June 30, 2013 [ECF No. 1978] dated October 2, 2013.

Order Approving Ninth Post-Confirmation Application And Awarding Compensation And Reimbursement Of Expenses Incurred By Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of July 1, 2013 Through October 31, 2013 [ECF No. 2149] dated January 29, 2014.

Order Approving Tenth Post-Confirmation Application And Awarding Compensation And Reimbursement Of Expenses Incurred By Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of November 1, 2013 Through February 28, 2014 [ECF No. 2322] dated June 4, 2014.

Order Approving Eleventh Post-Confirmation Application And Awarding Compensation And Reimbursement Of Expenses Incurred By Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of March 1, 2014 Through June 30, 2014 [ECF No. 2441] dated September 24, 2014.

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
WEST PALM BEACH DIVISION  
[www.flsb.uscourts.gov](http://www.flsb.uscourts.gov)

In re:

Chapter 11

PALM BEACH FINANCE PARTNERS, L.P.,  
a Delaware limited partnership, *et al.*,<sup>1</sup>

Case No. 09-36379-BKC-PGH

Jointly Administered

Debtors.

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**TWELFTH POST-CONFIRMATION APPLICATION FOR ALLOWANCE AND  
PAYMENT OF COMPENSATION AND REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES  
INCURRED BY LEVINE KELLOGG LEHMAN SCHNEIDER + GROSSMAN LLP,  
AS LOCAL COUNSEL FOR GEOFFREY VARGA, THE LIQUIDATING  
TRUST MONITOR FOR PALM BEACH FINANCE II, L.P. FOR THE  
PERIOD OF JULY 1, 2014 THROUGH OCTOBER 31, 2014**

Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP (the "Firm," or "Applicant"), as local counsel for Geoffrey Varga, in his capacity as the Liquidating Trust Monitor for Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. (the "Monitor"), respectfully requests the entry of an order, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §330, 331, 503(b)(2), the Confirmation Order and the Liquidating Trust Agreements for the Palm Beach Finance Partners and Palm Beach Finance II Liquidating Trusts, allowing and awarding to the Firm, as an administrative expense, the total amount of \$13,417.04, consisting of fees in the amount of \$12,692.00<sup>2</sup> and reimbursement for actual and necessary expenses incurred in the amount of

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<sup>1</sup> 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).

<sup>2</sup> Although \$12,692.00 in fees were billed during the period covered by this Application, the Firm reduced its August 2014 invoice by eighteen (18) cents to credit the Liquidating Trustee for his inadvertent overpayment in the same amount on the Firm's June 2014 invoice. Accordingly, although the hours billed during the period covered by this Application total \$12,692.00, the actual fees sought for final approval total 18 cents less or \$12,691.82.



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\$725.04 during the period of July 1, 2014 through October 31, 2014. In this twelfth post-confirmation application (“Application”), a total of 31.10 hours were expended by the Firm in its representation of the Monitor, for an average hourly rate of \$408.10 during the time period for which fees and expenses are requested in this Application.

Pursuant to Section 7.1.11 of the *Second Amended Joint Plan of Liquidation of Barry Mukamal, as Chapter 11 Trustee of Palm Beach Finance Partners, L.P. and Palm Beach Finance II, L.P., and Geoffrey Varga, as Joint Official Liquidator for Palm Beach Offshore, Ltd. and Palm Beach Offshore II, Ltd.* (the “Plan”)<sup>3</sup>, and the PBF II Liquidating Trust Agreement authorized thereunder, professionals retained by the Liquidating Trustee and Monitor are authorized to receive monthly interim compensation for fees and expenses incurred in carrying out their duties consistent with the Plan and Liquidating Trust Agreements from Trust Assets of the Liquidating Trusts, as long as: (i) notice of the fees and expenses are provided on a monthly basis to the Liquidating Trustee and U.S. Trustee; (ii) no written objections to the fees and expenses sought are received within 10 business days (if objections to the fees and expenses are timely made and cannot be resolved amicably, the Court is to hear and resolve the objections); and (iii) professionals submit applications to the Court for final approval of reimbursement of fees and expenses previously paid to them, no less than once every four (4) months. The Firm has already received payment from the Liquidating Trustee for costs incurred and services rendered to the Monitor during the period from July 1, 2014 through October 31, 2014 and makes this Application to obtain final allowance of those fees and expenses.

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<sup>3</sup> Capitalized terms not defined herein shall have the meaning given such terms in the Plan.



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## **I. JURISDICTION**

This Court has jurisdiction over this Application pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334, and the Court's retained jurisdiction pursuant to the Confirmation Order. Venue is proper pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409. This matter is core pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §157(b)(2). The statutory predicate for the relief sought herein is sections 330, 331 and 503(b)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code.

## **II. INTRODUCTION**

### **A. Allocation of Request For Attorneys' Fees And Reimbursement of Expenses**

In this Application, the Firm has divided its request for reimbursement of expenses and compensation into the following categories:

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|----|---|-------------|---|
| 1. | <b><u>Expenses</u></b><br>(91904.001)   | \$ 725.04   |   |
| 2. | <b><u>Trust Administration</u></b><br>Total Attorneys' Fees:<br>(91904.002)       | \$ 9,834.50 | Total Hrs: 22.10<br>Avg. Hr. Rate: \$445.00 |
| 3. | <b><u>Litigation against M&amp;I</u></b><br>Total Attorney's Fees:<br>(91904.004) | \$ 445.00   | Total Hrs: .50<br>Avg. Hr. Rate: \$445.00   |
| 4. | <b><u>Fee Applications</u></b><br>Total Attorneys' Fees:<br>(91904.007)           | \$ 2,635.00 | Total Hrs: 8.50<br>Avg. Hr. Rate: \$310.00  |

### **A. Retainer Paid To The Firm**

None.

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**B. The Exhibits To This Fee Application**

There are a total number of 5 exhibits attached to this Application. The exhibits are as follows:

**EXHIBIT NO.**

Exhibit 1-A	Summary of Professional and Paraprofessional Time
Exhibit 1-B	Summary of Professional and Paraprofessional Time by Activity Code Category
Exhibit 2	Summary of Requested Reimbursement of Expenses and Disbursements
Exhibit 3	Certification
Composite Exhibit 4	Contemporaneous Expense and Time Records

**III. BACKGROUND**

1. On November 30, 2009 (the “Petition Date”), Palm Beach Finance Partners, L.P. and Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. (the “Debtors”) commenced these bankruptcy cases by each filing a voluntary petition for relief under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Florida, West Palm Beach Division.

2. On January 28, 2010, in connection with motions filed by the U.S. Trustee for the Southern District of Florida (the “U.S. Trustee”) and Geoffrey Varga, as Joint Official Liquidator of Palm Beach Offshore, Ltd. and Palm Beach Offshore II, Ltd. (the “JOL”), the Court entered an order granting the motion to appoint a Chapter 11 trustee and directed the U.S. Trustee to appoint a Chapter 11 trustee. On or about January 29, 2010, the U.S. Trustee selected Barry Mukamal as

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the Chapter 11 trustee of the Debtors (the "Chapter 11 Trustee"). This selection was approved on February 2, 2010 by Order of the Court.

3. On August 27, 2010, the Chapter 11 Trustee and the JOL, as co-plan proponents, filed their Amended Disclosure Statement and First Amended Plan, and, on September 3, 2010, the Plan Proponents filed their Second Amended Disclosure Statement and the Second Amended Plan (the "Plan").

4. On October 21, 2010, following a hearing on October 19, 2010, the Court entered an order confirming the Plan.

5. Pursuant to the Plan, on the Effective Date of the Plan, the Chapter 11 Trustee, on behalf of the Debtors and the Beneficiaries, executed the Liquidating Trust Agreements thereby establishing the Liquidating Trusts for the estates of each of the Debtors.

6. Pursuant to the Plan, Barry Mukamal was appointed the Liquidating Trustee with the power and authority set forth in the Liquidating Trust Agreements, subject only (in the case of the PBF II Liquidating Trust Agreement) to the power and authority granted to the Monitor in the Plan and the PBF II Liquidating Trust Agreement. Pursuant to the Plan, Geoffrey Varga, as JOL was appointed the Monitor with the power and authority set forth in the PBF II Liquidating Trust Agreement.

7. The PBF II Liquidating Trust Agreement authorizes the Monitor to employ and pay reasonable compensation to attorneys, accountants, appraisers, expert witnesses, insurance adjusters or other persons whose services, in the sole judgment of the Monitor, may be

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reasonably necessary or advisable to advise or assist him in the discharge of his duties, or otherwise in the exercise of any powers vested in the Monitor.

8. The Plan provides that the Monitor's general counsel is Reed Smith LLP and Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider & Grossman LLP is his local counsel. Further, the professionals at those firms shall be compensated at 75% as to Reed Smith and 100% as to Levine Kellogg of the firms' respective standard billing rates.<sup>4</sup>

9. On December 27, 2010, the Monitor filed the Application to Employ Robin J. Rubens of Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP (the "Firm") as Local Counsel for Liquidating Trust Monitor (the "Retention Application") [ECF. No. 506]. On January 27, 2011, the Court entered an order approving the employment of Robin J. Rubens, Esq. and the Firm, *nunc pro tunc* to November 1, 2010, pursuant to the terms of the Retention Application [ECF No. 557].

10. Pursuant to Section 7.1.11 of the Plan, professionals retained by the Liquidating Trustee and Monitor are authorized to receive monthly interim compensation for fees and expenses incurred in carrying out their duties consistent with the Plan and Liquidating Trust Agreements from Trust Assets of the Liquidating Trusts, as long as: (i) notice of the fees and expenses are provided on a monthly basis to the Liquidating Trustee and U.S. Trustee; (ii) no written objections to the fees and expenses sought are received within 10 business days (if objections to the fees and expenses are timely made and cannot be resolved amicably, the Court is to hear and resolve the objections); and (iii) professionals submit applications to the Court for

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<sup>4</sup> Reed Smith is no longer providing services to the Monitor.

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final approval of reimbursement of fees and expenses previously paid to them, no less than once every four (4) months.

11. On March 15, 2011, the Firm filed its *First Post-Confirmation Application for Allowance and Payment Of Compensation And Reimbursement of Expenses Incurred by Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of November 1, 2010 Through January 31, 2011* seeking allowance and payment of fees in the amount of \$28,084.50 and costs in the amount of \$253.95 for a total of \$28,338.45 (the “First Post-Confirmation Application”) [ECF No. 612]. On April 13, 2011, the Court entered an Order granting the First Post-Confirmation Application [ECF No. 634].

12. On July 28, 2011, the Firm filed its *Second Post-Confirmation Application for Allowance and Payment Of Compensation And Reimbursement of Expenses Incurred by Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of February 1, 2011 Through June 30, 2011* seeking allowance and payment of fees in the amount of \$41,582.00 and costs in the amount of \$4,637.95 for a total of \$46,219.95 (the “Second Post-Confirmation Application”) [ECF No. 674]. On September 1, 2011, the Court entered an Order granting the Second Post-Confirmation Application [ECF No. 733].

13. On December 28, 2011, the Firm filed its *Third Post-Confirmation Application for Allowance and Payment Of Compensation And Reimbursement of Expenses Incurred by Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The*

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*Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of July 1, 2011 Through October 31, 2011* seeking allowance and payment of fees in the amount of \$46,980.00 and costs in the amount of \$1,876.82 for a total of \$48,856.82 (the “Third Post-Confirmation Application”) [ECF No. 1026]. On February 14, 2012, the Court entered an Order granting the Third Post-Confirmation Application [ECF No. 1090].

14. On April 30, 2012, the Firm filed its *Fourth Post-Confirmation Application for Allowance and Payment Of Compensation And Reimbursement of Expenses Incurred by Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of November 1, 2011 Through February 29, 2012* seeking allowance and payment of fees in the amount of \$51,629.00 and costs in the amount of \$682.73 for a total of \$52,311.73 (the “Fourth Post-Confirmation Application”) [ECF No. 1220]. On June 1, 2012, the Court entered an Order granting the Fourth Post-Confirmation Application [ECF No. 1259].

15. On August 30, 2012, the Firm filed its *Fifth Post-Confirmation Application for Allowance and Payment Of Compensation And Reimbursement of Expenses Incurred by Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of March 1, 2012 Through June 30, 2012* seeking allowance and payment of fees in the amount of \$40,307.50 and costs in the amount of \$795.53 for a total of \$41,103.03 (the “Fifth Post-Confirmation Application”) [ECF No. 1379]. On September 26, 2012, the Court entered an Order granting the Fifth Post-Confirmation Application [ECF No. 1428].

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16. On December 28, 2012, the Firm filed its *Sixth Post-Confirmation Application for Allowance and Payment Of Compensation And Reimbursement of Expenses Incurred by Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of July 1, 2012 Through October 31, 2012* seeking allowance and payment of fees in the amount of \$28,442.50 and costs in the amount of \$1,170.63 for a total of \$29,613.13 (the “Sixth Post-Confirmation Application”) [ECF No. 1586]. On January 30, 2013, the Court entered an Order granting the Sixth Post-Confirmation Application [ECF No. 1692].

17. On April 29, 2013, the Firm filed its *Seventh Post-Confirmation Application for Allowance and Payment Of Compensation And Reimbursement of Expenses Incurred by Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of November 1, 2012 Through February 28, 2013* seeking allowance and payment of fees in the amount of \$31,957.50 and costs in the amount of \$579.13 for a total of \$32,536.63 (the “Seventh Post-Confirmation Application”) [ECF No. 1822]. On June 5, 2013, the Court entered an Order granting the Seventh Post-Confirmation Application [ECF No. 1862].

18. On August 29, 2013, the Firm filed its *Eighth Post-Confirmation Application for Allowance and Payment Of Compensation And Reimbursement of Expenses Incurred by Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of March 1, 2013 Through June 30, 2013* seeking allowance and payment of fees in the amount of \$31,071.50 and



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costs in the amount of \$769.10 for a total of \$31,840.60 (the “Eighth Post-Confirmation Application”) [ECF No. 1933]. On October 2, 2013, the Court entered an Order granting the Eighth Post-Confirmation Application [ECF No. 1978].

19. On December 27, 2013, the Firm filed its *Ninth Post-Confirmation Application for Allowance and Payment Of Compensation And Reimbursement of Expenses Incurred by Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of July 1, 2013 Through October 31, 2013* seeking allowance and payment of fees in the amount of \$20,251.00 and costs in the amount of \$1,308.36 for a total of \$21,559.36 (the “Ninth Post-Confirmation Application”) [ECF No. 2078]. On January 29, 2014, the Court entered an Order granting the Ninth Post-Confirmation Application [ECF No. 2149].

20. On April 25, 2014, the Firm filed its *Tenth Post-Confirmation Application for Allowance and Payment Of Compensation And Reimbursement of Expenses Incurred by Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of November 1, 2013 Through February 28, 2014* seeking allowance and payment of fees in the amount of \$22,164.50 and costs in the amount of \$893.08 for a total of \$23,057.58 (the “Tenth Post-Confirmation Application”) [ECF No. 2255]. On June 4, 2014, the Court entered an Order granting the Tenth Post-Confirmation Application [ECF No. 2322].

21. On August 26, 2014, the Firm filed its *Eleventh Post-Confirmation Application for Allowance and Payment of Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses Incurred by*

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*Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP, As Local Counsel For Geoffrey Varga, The Liquidating Trust Monitor For Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. For The Period Of March 1, 2014 Through June 30, 2014* seeking allowance and payment of fees in the amount of \$17,275.50 and costs in the amount of \$424.75 for a total of \$17,700.25 (the “Eleventh Post Confirmation Application”) [ECF No. 2408]. On September 24, 2014, the Court entered an Order granting the Eleventh Post Confirmation Application [ECF No. 2441].

22. Pursuant to Section 7.1.11 of the Plan, on August 7, 2014, the Firm submitted to the Liquidating Trustee and the U.S. Trustee its invoice for services rendered to the Monitor for the period July 1, 2014 through July 31, 2014 in the amount of \$3,518.06 (\$3,026.00 for fees and \$492.06 for costs). No objection to the requested fees was made. Accordingly, \$3,518.06 was paid to the Firm for services rendered to the Monitor from July 1, 2014 through July 31, 2014.

23. Pursuant to Section 7.1.11 of the Plan, on September 10, 2014, the Firm submitted to the Liquidating Trustee and the U.S. Trustee its invoice for services rendered to, and costs incurred by, the Monitor for the period August 1, 2014 through August 31, 2014 in the amount of \$4,681.82 (\$4,681.82 for fees and \$0 for costs). No objection to the requested fees or costs was made. Accordingly, \$4,681.82 was paid to the Firm for services rendered to, and costs incurred by, the Monitor from August 1, 2014 through August 31, 2014.

24. Pursuant to Section 7.1.11 of the Plan, on October 13, 2014, the Firm submitted to the Liquidating Trustee and the U.S. Trustee its invoice for services rendered to, and costs incurred by, the Monitor for the period September 1, 2014 through September 30, 2014 in the amount of \$2,522.00 (\$2,492.00 for fees and \$30.00 for costs). No objection to the requested

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fees or costs was made. Accordingly, \$2,522.00 was paid to the Firm for services rendered to, and costs incurred by, the Monitor from September 1, 2014 through September 30, 2014.

25. Pursuant to Section 7.1.11 of the Plan, on November 11, 2014, the Firm submitted to the Liquidating Trustee and the U.S. Trustee its invoice for services rendered to, and costs incurred by, the Monitor for the period October 1, 2014 through October 31, 2014 in the amount of \$2,783.98 (\$2,581.00 for fees and \$202.98 for costs). No objection to the requested fees or costs was made. Accordingly, \$2,783.98 was paid to the Firm for services rendered to, and costs incurred by, the Monitor from October 1, 2014 through October 31, 2014.

26. By this Application, the Firm seeks final allowance of the foregoing fees and costs, spanning July 1, 2014 through October 31, 2014, which total \$13,417.04.

#### **IV. SERVICES RENDERED BY THE FIRM TO THE ESTATE**

The Firm's efforts during the time period covered by this Application concentrated on three (3) areas of legal work, described below.

**1. Trust Administration**

Total Attorneys' Fees:	\$9,834.50	Total Hrs: 22.10
(91904.002)		Avg. Hr. Rate: \$445.00

During the period of time covered by this Application, the Firm participated in conference calls with the Monitor, the Liquidating Trustee and their respective counsel to discuss pending issues, strategy and litigation claims. The Firm also reviewed, analyzed and summarized court filings docketed in the main case and adversary cases for the Monitor.

**2. Litigation against M&I**

Total Attorneys' Fees:	\$ 445.00	Total Hrs: .50
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(91904.004)

Avg. Hr. Rate: \$445.00

During the period of time covered by this Application, the Firm participated by telephone at a hearing on the Liquidating Trustee's motion to amend complaint, which the Court granted.

**3. Fee Applications/Procedures**

Total Attorneys' Fees:  
(91904.007)

\$2,635.00

Total Hrs: 8.50

Avg. Hr. Rate: \$310.00

During the time period covered by this Application, the Firm drafted and filed its eleventh post confirmation fee application and assisted the Monitor's consultant (Kinetic Partners (Cayman) Ltd.) with finalizing and filing its eleventh post confirmation fee application. The Firm also attended by telephone, the hearings on the Firm's and Kinetic's eleventh post confirmation fee applications and drafted orders granting final awards to the Firm and Kinetic, which the Court signed.

**V. ALLOWANCE AND EVALUATION OF SERVICES RENDERED BY THE FIRM**

Section 330(a) of the Bankruptcy Code provides, in relevant part:

(a)(1) After notice to the parties in interest and the United States trustee and a hearing, and subject to sections 326, 328, and 329, the court may award to a trustee, an examiner, a professional person employed under Section 327 or 1103—

(A) reasonable compensation for actual, necessary services rendered by the trustee, examiner, professional person, or attorney and by any paraprofessional person employed by any such person; and

(B) reimbursement for actual, necessary expenses.

(2) The court may, on its own motion or on the motion of the United States Trustee, the United States Trustee for the District or Region, the trustee for the estate, or any other party in interest, award

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compensation that is less than the amount of compensation that is requested.

(3)(A) In determining the amount of reasonable compensation to be awarded, the court shall consider the nature, the extent, and the value of such services, taking into account all relevant factors, including—

- (A) the time spent on such services;
- (B) the rates charged for such services;
- (C) whether the services were necessary to the administration of, or beneficial at the time at which the service was rendered toward the completion of, a case under this title;
- (D) whether the services were performed within a reasonable amount of time commensurate with the complexity, importance, and nature of the problem, issue, or task addressed; and
- (E) whether the compensation is reasonable based on the customary compensation charged by comparably skilled practitioners in cases other than cases under this title.

(4)(A) Except as provided in subparagraph (B), the court shall not allow compensation for —

- (i) unnecessary duplication of services; or
- (ii) services that were not —
  - (I) reasonably likely to benefit the Debtors' estate; or
  - (II) necessary to the administration of the case.

(B) In a chapter 12 or chapter 13 case in which the Debtors is an individual, the court may allow reasonable compensation to the Debtors' attorney for representing the interests of the Debtors in connection with the bankruptcy case based on a consideration of the benefit and necessity of such services to the Debtors and the other factors set forth in this section.

(5) The court shall reduce the amount of compensation awarded under this section by the amount of any final compensation awarded under

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§331, and, if the amount of such final compensation exceeds the amount of compensation awarded under this section, may order the return of the excess to the estate.

- (6) Any compensation awarded for the preparation of a fee application shall be based on the level and skill reasonably required to prepare the application.

The Applicant believes that the requested fee of \$12,692.00 for 31.10 hours worked is reasonable considering the factors to be applied under 11 U.S.C. §330(a)(1) and the factors enumerated in *Johnson v. Georgia Highway Express, Inc.*, 488 F.2d 714 (5th Cir. 1974), made applicable to bankruptcy proceedings by *In re First Colonial Corp. of America*, 544 F.2d 1291 (5th Cir. 1977) as follows:

- a. The time and labor required;
- b. The novelty and difficulty of the questions presented;
- c. The skill required to perform the legal services properly;
- d. The preclusion of other employment by the attorney due to acceptance of the case;
- e. The customary fee for similar work in the community;
- f. Whether the fee is fixed or contingent;
- g. Time limitations imposed by the client or by the circumstances;
- h. The amount involved and the results obtained;
- i. The experience, reputation and ability of the attorneys;
- j. The undesirability of the case;
- k. The nature and length of the professional relationship with the client;
- l. Awards in similar cases;

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- m. Whether the services were necessary to the administration of, or beneficial at the time at which the service was rendered toward the completion of, a case under this title; and
- n. Whether the services were performed within a reasonable amount of time commensurate with the complexity, importance, and nature of the problem, issue, or task addressed.

**A. Consideration Of Section 330(a) and The First Colonial Factors**

The foregoing description of the services rendered by the Firm to the Monitor, together with the more detailed description of time expended and services rendered set forth in the attached exhibits, describe the nature and extent of the professional services rendered by the Firm to the Monitor for the benefit of the bankruptcy estate during the period of time from July 1, 2014 through October 31, 2014.

Robin J. Rubens is the Partner at the Firm with principal responsibility for the representation of the Monitor as local counsel in these cases and for supervision of legal services rendered to the Monitor. Ms. Rubens concentrates her practice in the areas of bankruptcy litigation, creditor's rights, bankruptcy reorganizations, and commercial litigation and has been licensed to practice law since 1992. Ms. Rubens' hourly billing rate in this Application is \$445.00.<sup>5</sup>

Whenever possible, the Firm delegated work on the Monitor's legal matters to Associates and Paralegals of the Firm who have lower billing rates than Partners of the Firm. Elsa Fresco, a Paralegal at the Firm with more than 20 years of experience in bankruptcy matters, worked on these cases on behalf of the Monitor at the hourly billing rate of \$190.00. Given the foregoing, the

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<sup>5</sup> Ms. Rubens' hourly billing rate at the Firm during calendar year 2012 was \$445.00 and, as a courtesy, she continues to use that hourly rate. The Firm reserves the right at a future time to increase Ms. Rubens' hourly rate to the standard hourly rate charged by the Firm.



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average billing rate for the Firm's legal services to the Monitor during the Application period is \$408.10 per hour.

The Monitor's legal matters demanded considerable legal skills in the areas of bankruptcy, creditor's rights, litigation and business law. The Firm's attorneys enjoy a good reputation for their abilities in the areas of bankruptcy, creditor's rights, and complex commercial litigation in the South Florida legal community, and the Firm's billing rates reflect customary billing rates in the South Florida legal community for legal services similar to the services rendered by the Firm to the Monitor in these cases.

With respect to additional factors enumerated in section 330(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, the legal services rendered by the Firm were necessary to achieve the Monitor's goals and legal obligations at the time the services were rendered. Moreover, the legal services performed by the Firm were performed within a reasonable amount of time commensurate with the complexity, importance, and nature of the problem, issue, or task addressed.

With regard to the remaining *First Colonial* factors, the Firm's fees were fixed; the Firm was not precluded from other employment due to the acceptance of representation on behalf of the Monitor in these cases; the cases were not undesirable; and the Firm did not have a relationship with the Monitor prior to the commencement of these cases, except that the Firm served as local counsel for Geoffrey Varga prior to confirmation of second amended joint plan of liquidation ("Plan") in his capacity as the Joint Official Liquidator of Palm Beach Offshore, Ltd. and Palm Beach Offshore II, Ltd. (the "JOL") (upon confirmation of the Plan, Mr. Varga was appointed as the Monitor) and still represents him as the JOL. Finally, the award requested by the Firm in this Application is similar to

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awards made by this bankruptcy court in similar cases.

**VI. CONCLUSION**

For the foregoing reasons, the Firm respectfully requests that the Court enter an Order allowing and awarding the Firm, as an administrative expense, \$12,692.00 for legal services rendered by the Firm in connection with representation of the Monitor for the period of time from July 1, 2014 through October 31, 2014 and \$725.04 for reimbursement of actual and necessary expenses incurred by the Firm, for a total of \$13,417.04.

Dated: December 19, 2014.

Respectfully submitted,

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EXHIBIT 1-ASummary of Professional and Paraprofessional Time  
July 1, 2014 through October 31, 2014

<b>Name of Professional</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Year Licensed</b>	<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>Published Rates</b>	<b>Blended Hourly Rate</b>	<b>Total Fee</b>
Robin J. Rubens	Partner	1992	26.60	445.00	\$ 445.00	\$ 11,837.00
<b>Subtotals:</b>			<b>26.60</b>		<b>\$ 445.00</b>	<b>\$ 11,837.00</b>
<b>Name of Paraprofessional</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Year Licensed</b>	<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>Published Rates</b>	<b>Blended Hourly Rate</b>	<b>Total Fee</b>
Elsa S. Fresco	Paralegal	2005	4.50	190.00	\$ 190.00	\$ 855.00
<b>Subtotals:</b>			<b>4.50</b>		<b>\$ 190.00</b>	<b>\$ 855.00</b>
<b>TOTALS:</b>			<b>31.10</b>		<b>\$ 408.10</b>	<b>\$ 12,692.00</b>

Total Hours by Professionals and Paraprofessionals: **31.10**

"Blended" Hourly Rate: **\$408.10**

Total\* Professional and Paraprofessional Fees: **\$12,692.00**

\*Total fees are 18 cents less due to 18 cent credit given for Liquidating Trustee's inadvertent 18 cent overpayment.

**EXHIBIT 1-B**  
**Summary of Professional And**  
**Paraprofessional Time By**  
**Activity Code Category**  
**July 1, 2014 through October 31, 2014**

**ACTIVITY CODE CATEGORY:** Trust Administration

	<u>Name</u>	<u>PublishedRate</u>	<u>Blended Rate</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Total Fees*</u>
Partner:	Robin J. Rubens	445.00	445.00	22.10	9,834.50
	<b>MATTER TOTALS</b>		<b>445.00</b>	<b>22.10</b>	<b>9,834.50</b>

**ACTIVITY CODE CATEGORY:** Litigation Against M&I

	<u>Name</u>	<u>PublishedRate</u>	<u>Blended Rate</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Total Fees</u>
Partner:	Robin J. Rubens	445.00	445.00	0.50	222.50
	<b>MATTER TOTALS</b>		<b>445.00</b>	<b>0.50</b>	<b>222.50</b>

**ACTIVITY CODE CATEGORY:** Fee Applications

		<u>Published Rate</u>	<u>Blended Rate</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Total Fees</u>
Partner:	Robin J. Rubens	445.00	445.00	4.00	1,780.00
Paralegal:	Elsa S. Fresco	190.00	190.00	4.50	855.00
	<b>MATTER TOTALS:</b>		<b>310.00</b>	<b>8.50</b>	<b>2,635.00</b>

\*Total fees are 18 cents less due to 18 cent credit given for Liquidating Trustee's inadvertent 18 cent overpayment.  
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**EXHIBIT 2**

**Summary of Requested Reimbursement of Expenses and Disbursements  
July 1, 2014 through October 31, 2014**

Outside Duplicating	\$409.34
Searches	\$285.70
Court Fees (Court Call Fees)	\$30.00
<b>TOTAL "GROSS" AMOUNT OF REQUESTED DISBURSEMENTS</b>	<b>\$725.04</b>

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**EXHIBIT 3**

Certification

I have been designated by Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP (the "Applicant") as the professional with responsibility in this case for compliance with the "Guidelines for Fee Applications for Professionals in the Southern District of Florida in Bankruptcy Cases" (the "Guidelines").

I have read the Applicant's application for compensation and reimbursement of expenses (the "Application"). The application complies with the Guidelines, and the fees and expenses sought fall within the Guidelines, except as specifically noted in this certification and described in the application.

The fees and expenses sought are billed at rates and in accordance with practices customarily employed by the Applicant and generally accepted by the Applicant's clients.

In seeking reimbursement for the expenditures described on Exhibit 2, the Applicant is seeking reimbursement only for the actual expenditure and has not marked up the actual cost to provide a profit or to recover the amortized cost of investment in staff time or equipment or capital outlay (except to the extent that the Applicant has elected to charge for in-house photocopies and outgoing facsimile transmissions at the maximum rates permitted by the Guidelines).

In seeking reimbursement for any service provided by a third party, the Applicant is seeking reimbursement only for the amount actually paid by the Applicant to the third party.

The following are the variances with the provisions of the Guidelines, the date of each court order approving the variance, and the justification for the variance: Not applicable.

Dated: December 19, 2014.

**/s/ Robin J. Rubens**

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August 1, 2014  
Bill # 9536

Re: 91904-001  
Expenses

Costs

Expenses	Amount
Outside Duplicating	206.36
Searches	285.70
Total Costs	<u>\$492.06</u>

Current Bill Total Amount Due

\$492.06



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August 1, 2014  
 Bill # 9537

Re: 91904-002  
 Trusts Administration

## Professional Fees

	Atty	Description	Hours	Amount
07/03/14	RJR	Conference call with Liquidating Trustee and Monitor regarding pending issues and strategy (.8).	0.80	356.00
07/04/14	RJR	Review filings and memo to client regarding same (1.4) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	1.40	623.00
07/08/14	RJR	Review filings for status (.2) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	0.20	89.00
07/10/14	RJR	Review invoices and draft letters to Heidi Feinman and Barry Mukamal regarding Kinetic's and LKLSG's June 2014 fees and costs incurred on behalf of the Monitor (.4).	0.40	178.00
07/16/14	RJR	Review filings and memo to client regarding same (.8) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	0.80	356.00
07/18/14	RJR	Review filings for status (.9) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL]. Conference call with the Liquidating Trustee, his counsel and the Monitor regarding pending issues and strategy (1.3).	2.20	979.00
07/28/14	RJR	Review filings and memo to client regarding same (.3) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	0.30	133.50

## Fee Summary

Name	Hours	Amount
Robin J. Rubens	6.10	2,714.50
<b>Total Fees</b>	<b>6.10</b>	<b>\$2,714.50</b>

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Current Bill Total Amount Due

\$2,714.50

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August 1, 2014  
 Bill # 9538

Re: 91904-004  
 Litigation against M&I

## Professional Fees

	Atty	Description	Hours	Amount
07/22/14	RJR	Prepare for and attend by telephone, hearing on Liquidating Trustee's motion to amend complaint (.5).	0.50	222.50

## Fee Summary

Name	Hours	Amount
Robin J. Rubens	0.50	222.50
Total Fees	0.50	\$222.50
Current Bill Total Amount Due		\$222.50

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September 1, 2014  
 Bill # 9730

Re: 91904-002  
 Trusts Administration

## Professional Fees

	Atty	Description	Hours	Amount
08/01/14	RJR	Telephone call with Liquidating Trustee's counsel regarding case issue (.1).	0.10	44.50
08/02/14	RJR	Memo to client regarding information requested by the Liquidating Trustee (.2).	0.20	89.00
08/04/14	RJR	Review filings for status (.2) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	0.20	89.00
08/06/14	RJR	Review filings and memo to client regarding same (2.0) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL]. Review Kinetic's and LKLSG's July 2014 invoices for fees and costs incurred on behalf of the Monitor and draft letters to Heidi Feinman and Barry Mukamal regarding same (.4).	2.40	1,068.00
08/15/14	RJR	Review and respond to memo from Liquidating Trustee's counsel regarding motion to file under seal and limit public disclosure of employment of certain professionals and consultants (.2).	0.20	89.00
08/18/14	RJR	Review filings and memo to client regarding same (.2) [50% of this entry was charged to the JOL].	0.20	89.00
08/21/14	RJR	Review filings for status (.2) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	0.20	89.00
08/22/14	RJR	Conference call with Liquidating Trustee's counsel and Monitor regarding pending issues and strategy (.7).	0.70	311.50
08/26/14	RJR	Review filings and memo to client regarding same (.2) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	0.20	89.00
08/28/14	RJR	Review filings and memo to client regarding same (.9) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	0.90	400.50

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Fee Summary

Name	Hours	Amount
Robin J. Rubens	5.30	2,358.50
Total Fees	<u>5.30</u>	<u>\$2,358.50</u>
Sub Total		<u>\$2,358.50</u>
Prepaid Funds Applied		-0.18
Current Bill Total Amount Due		<u><u>\$2,358.32</u></u>

Prepaid Funds Balance: -\$0.18

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September 1, 2014  
 Bill # 9728

Re: 91904-007  
 Fee Applications

## Professional Fees

	Atty	Description	Hours	Amount
08/11/14	RJR	Review invoices and information to prepare LKLSG's 11th post confirmation fee application and memo to Kinetic regarding the upcoming deadline for filing of fee applications (.3).	0.30	133.50
08/15/14	ESF	Prepare LKLSG's 11 Post confirmation fee application and exhibits thereto, for the period of March 1, 2014 through June 30, 2014 (4.5).	4.50	855.00
08/21/14	RJR	Review and revise LKLSG's 11th post confirmation fee application and exhibits thereto and memo to client regarding same (1.9).	1.90	845.50
08/25/14	RJR	Review Kinetic's 11th post confirmation fee application and exhibits thereto and memo to Jenna O'Brien regarding revisions to make (.6). Review and respond to memos from Patricia Hornia regarding breakdown of fees and costs for notice of fee applications (.2).	0.80	356.00
08/26/14	RJR	Finalize LKLSG's and Kinetic's 11th post confirmation fee applications for filing and memos with Patricia Hornia and telephone call to Vivian Corrales regarding scheduling a hearing date and time for the fee applications (.3).	0.30	133.50

## Fee Summary

Name	Hours	Amount
Elsa S. Fresco	4.50	855.00
Robin J. Rubens	3.30	1,468.50
Total Fees	7.80	\$2,323.50

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Current Bill Total Amount Due

\$2,323.50

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October 1, 2014  
Bill # 10006

Re: 91904-001  
Expenses

Costs

Expenses	Amount
Court Fees (Court Call Fees)	30.00
Total Costs	\$30.00

Current Bill Total Amount Due

\$30.00



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October 1, 2014  
 Bill # 10007

Re: 91904-002  
 Trusts Administration

## Professional Fees

	Atty	Description	Hours	Amount
09/03/14	RJR	Review and respond to memo from Kate Latti regarding particular filings (.4).	0.40	178.00
09/04/14	RJR	Review filings and memo to client regarding same (.1) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	0.10	44.50
09/08/14	RJR	Review status letter from Liquidating Trustee's counsel and memo to client regarding same (.3). Review Kinetic's and LKLSG's August 2014 invoices for the Monitor and draft letter to Heidi Feinman and Barry Mukamal regarding the fees and costs incurred (.4).	0.70	311.50
09/22/14	RJR	Review filings and memo to client regarding same (1.5) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	1.50	667.50
09/23/14	RJR	Review filings and memo to client regarding same (1.8) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	1.80	801.00
09/30/14	RJR	Review filings and memo to client regarding same (.4) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	0.40	178.00

## Fee Summary

Name	Hours	Amount
Robin J. Rubens	4.90	2,180.50
Total Fees	4.90	\$2,180.50
Current Bill Total Amount Due		<u>\$2,180.50</u>

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October 1, 2014  
 Bill # 10008

Re: 91904-007  
 Fee Applications

## Professional Fees

	Atty	Description	Hours	Amount
09/23/14	RJR	Prepare for and appear by telephone at hearing on Kinetic's and LKLSG's 11th post confirmation fee applications (.4). Draft orders approving Kinetic's and LKLSG's 11th post confirmation fee applications, memos with Kinetic regarding same and upload the orders (.3).	0.70	311.50

## Fee Summary

Name	Hours	Amount
Robin J. Rubens	0.70	311.50
Total Fees	0.70	\$311.50
Current Bill Total Amount Due		\$311.50

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November 1, 2014  
Bill # 10328

Re: 91904-001  
Expenses

	Costs	
Expenses		Amount
Outside Duplicating		202.98
Total Costs		<u>\$202.98</u>
Current Bill Total Amount Due		<u><u>\$202.98</u></u>

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November 1, 2014  
 Bill # 10329

Re: 91904-002  
 Trusts Administration

## Professional Fees

	Atty	Description	Hours	Amount
10/01/14	RJR	Review filings for status (.8) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	0.80	356.00
10/06/14	RJR	Review filings and memo to client regarding same (1.1) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	1.10	489.50
10/13/14	RJR	Review invoices and draft LKLSG's and Kinetic's letters to Barry Mukamal and Heidi Feinman regarding September 2014 fees and expenses incurred on behalf of the Trust Monitor (.4). Review filings for status (.2) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL]. Conference call with the Liquidating Trustee, Monitor and counsel regarding pending issues and strategy (.8).	1.40	623.00
10/16/14	RJR	Review filings for status (.1) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	0.10	44.50
10/20/14	RJR	Review filings and memo to client regarding same (.3) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	0.30	133.50
10/24/14	RJR	Review filings for status (.4) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	0.40	178.00
10/27/14	RJR	Memo to client regarding recent filings (.2) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	0.20	89.00
10/30/14	RJR	Review filings and memo to client regarding same (.9) [50% of this entry was billed to the JOL].	0.90	400.50
10/31/14	RJR	Conference call with the Liquidating Trustee, Monitor and counsel regarding pending issues and strategy (.5). Review updated recoveries and fees chart forwarded by the Liquidating Trustee's counsel (.1).	0.60	267.00

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Fee Summary

Name	Hours	Amount
Robin J. Rubens	5.80	2,581.00
Total Fees	<u>5.80</u>	<u>\$2,581.00</u>
Current Bill Total Amount Due		<u><u>\$2,581.00</u></u>