



ORDERED in the Southern District of Florida on May 14, 2018.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Erik P. Kimball".

Erik P. Kimball, 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.,
PALM BEACH FINANCE II, L.P.,

Case No. 09-36379-EPK
Case No. 09-36396-EPK
(Jointly Administered)

Debtors.

**ORDER GRANTING LIQUIDATING TRUSTEE'S MOTION
(1) TO APPROVE SETTLEMENT WITH PAUL TAUNTON;
AND (2) PAYMENT OF CONTINGENCY FEE**

THIS CAUSE came before the Court upon the Liquidating Trustee's Motion (1) to Approve Settlement with Paul Taunton; and (2) to Approve Payment of Contingency Fee [ECF No. 3450] ("**Motion**").¹ The Court, having reviewed the Motion and the movant by submitting this form of order having represented that the motion was served on all parties required by Local Rule 9013-1(D), that the 21-day response time provided by that rule has expired, that no one has

¹ All capitalized terms not defined in this Order shall have the meaning ascribed to such term as set forth in the Motion.

filed, or served on the movant, a response to the motion, and that a similar form of order was attached as an exhibit to the motion, accordingly, it is:

ORDERED as follows:

1. The Motion is **GRANTED**.
2. The Settlement is **APPROVED**.
3. The Settlement Payment will be allocated and apportioned among the Debtors as follows: 18% to Palm Beach Finance Partners, L.P. Liquidating Trust and 82% to Palm Beach Finance II, L.P. Liquidating Trust (the "*Pro Rata Allocation Formula*").
4. The Contingency Fee is approved. The Liquidating Trustee is authorized and directed to make payment of the Contingency Fee from each of the Trusts without the need of further Court Order, in accordance with the Pro Rata Allocation Formula, promptly upon receipt of the Settlement Payment.
5. The Court retains jurisdiction to enforce or interpret this Order.

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Zachary N. James, Esquire, is directed to serve copies of this Order on all parties in interest and to file a Certificate of Service.