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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

v.

AUTOMATORS LLC, et al.,

Defendants.

PEREGRINE WORLDWIDE, LLC, a
Delaware limited liability company,

Relief Defendant.

Case No.: 3:23-cv-01444-DMS-BGS

**ORDER GRANTING MOTION
OF RECEIVER FOR:**

**(A) APPROVAL OF
EMPLOYMENT OF RAINES
FELDMAN LITTRELL LLP AS
GENERAL COUNSEL; AND**

**(B) APPROVAL AND PAYMENT
OF FEES AND EXPENSES FOR
SEPTEMBER 8, 2023 THROUGH
OCTOBER 31, 2023 OF:**

**(1) RECEIVER STAPLETON
GROUP, INC.**

**(2) RAINES FELDMAN
LITTRELL LLP; AND**

**(C) FOR APPROVAL OF FORM
AND/OR LIMITATION OF
NOTICE**

Date: December 15, 2023
Time: 1:30 p.m.
Dept: Ctrm 13A
Place: United States District Court
333 West Broadway
San Diego, CA 92101

1 The Motion of Receiver for: (A) Approval of Employment of Raines
2 Feldman Littrell LLP as General Counsel; (B) Approval and Payment of Fees
3 and Costs incurred by the Receiver and Raines Feldman Littrell LLP for the
4 period from September 8, 2023 through October 31, 2023; and (C) Approving
5 Form and/or Limitation of Notice Under Local Civil Rule 66-7 (the “Motion”)
6 (Docket No. 69) came on for hearing at the above-referenced date, time, and place
7 before the Honorable Dana M. Sabraw, United States District Judge presiding.
8 Appearances were as noted on the record. The Court, having reviewed and
9 considered the Motion and all pleadings and papers filed in support thereof, and
10 oppositions or responses to the Motion, if any, and good cause appearing therefor,

11 IT IS ORDERED that:

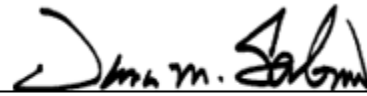
- 12 1. The Motion and the relief sought therein is granted;
- 13 2. The Receiver is authorized to employ Raines Feldman Littrell LLP
14 as his general counsel, effective as of September 8, 2023, on the terms set forth
15 in the Motion;
- 16 3. The Receiver’s fees in the amount of \$84,180.00 and expenses of
17 \$40.89 are approved, and the Receiver is authorized to pay the allowed fees and
18 expenses;
- 19 4. Raines Feldman Littrell LLP’s fees in the amount of \$32,365.45 and
20 expenses of \$1,134.65 are approved, and the Receiver is authorized to pay the
21 allowed fees and expenses;
- 22 5. The form of notice on the Motion provided to interested parties,
23 creditors, and investors, who are potential creditors of the estate, by the Receiver
24 (a) serving the Motion and related moving papers on all parties to the action; (b)
25 serving by mail a notice of hearing on the Motion to all known creditors; (c)
26 serving an electronic notice of hearing on all known consumers at their last
27 known email address; and (d) posting a copy of the Motion on the Receiver’s
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1 website for the case at [https://www.automators-empire-onyx-](https://www.automators-empire-onyx-receivership.com/case-documents.aspx)
2 [receivership.com/case-documents.aspx](https://www.automators-empire-onyx-receivership.com/case-documents.aspx), is hereby approved and deemed
3 sufficient notice and opportunity for hearing on the Motion under the
4 circumstances.

5 6. Pursuant to the parties' agreement, these fees and costs shall not be
6 paid until such time as the principal Property in this case is sold and sufficient
7 funds are available.

8 IT IS SO ORDERED.

9 Dated: December 15, 2023



10 Hon. Dana M. Sabraw, Chief Judge
11 United States District Court
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