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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA

IN RE:

ORDER REGARDING CERTAIN DEADLINES

GENERAL ORDER

In response to the spread of the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19), all in-person section 341 meetings scheduled to be held between March 16, 2020 and April 3, 2020 have been rescheduled.

Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 105, in order to carry out the provisions of the Bankruptcy Code and to implement appropriately certain deadlines in the Bankruptcy Code and in the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure (the "Bankruptcy Rules") during this time of national emergency, it is

ORDERED as follows:

- 1. The "first date set for the meeting of creditors under 11 U.S.C. § 341(a)" as used in the Bankruptcy Rules shall be the rescheduled date of all meetings of creditors originally scheduled to be held between March 16, 2020 and April 3, 2020 continued as a result of COVID-19 (the "Rescheduled First Meeting Date").
- 2. The deadlines set under Bankruptcy Rules 1007(c), 1017(e)(1), 2002(h), 2015.3(b), 4004(a), 4007(c) and 4008(a) shall be calculated from the Rescheduled First Meeting Date.
- 3. "[T]he date on which the meeting of creditors is first scheduled to be held" pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 1308(a) shall be the Rescheduled First Meeting Date for all chapter 13 § 341 meetings continued between March 16, 2020 and April 3, 2020 as a result of COVID-19.
- 4. The deadlines under Bankruptcy Rule 2003(c) for holding § 341 meetings are

extended to the extent necessary to accommodate the postponement of the § 341 meetings by the trustee, Bankruptcy Administrator, or order of this Court.

SO ORDERED, this 31st day of March, 2020.

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Stephani W. Humrickhouse, Chief Judge

David M. Warren, Judge

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