1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION 11 COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING Case No. 19-cv-07284-EC COMMISSION, 12 [PROPOSED] ORDER APPROVING Plaintiff, ADMINISTRATIVE MOTION FOR AN 13 ORDER PURSUANT TO LOCAL RULE 7v. 11 FOR THE APPROVAL OF FEES AND 14 DENARI CAPITAL LLC, TRAVIS EXPENSES FOR THE RECEIVER AND 15 CAPSON, and ARNAB SARKAR, **COUNSEL FROM DECEMBER 4, 2019 THROUGH MARCH 31, 2020** 16 Defendants, No Hearing Set Date: 17 Time: No Hearing Set Edward M. Chen 18 Judge: 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

The temporary receiver in this matter appointed pursuant to the Court's Order dated December 4, 2019 (Dkt. No. 37), Kathy Bazoian Phelps (the "Receiver"), requests that the Court grant her *Administrative Motion for an Order Pursuant to Local Rule 7-11 for the Approval of Fees and Expenses for the Receiver and Counsel From December 4, 2019 Through March 31, 2020* (the "Motion"). The Motion is supported by the Declaration of the Receiver, in which she states that the fees and expenses requested by the Receiver and her counsel are true and correct and that that the fees charged are reasonable, necessary, and commensurate with the skills and experience required for the activities performed.

The Motion is also supported by the Declaration of counsel to the Receiver, Sheryl P. Giugliano of the firm Diamond McCarthy LLP ("Diamond McCarthy"). In her declaration, Ms. Giugliano states that the fees and expenses requested by Diamond McCarthy are true and correct, and that the fees charged by Diamond McCarthy are reasonable, necessary, and commensurate with the skills and experience required for the activities performed.

The Receiver has also represented that she has conferred with counsel for the CFTC, and counsel for the Defendants, who have each confirmed that they do not oppose the Motion.

## GOOD CAUSE APPEARING, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1. The Motion is GRANTED;
- 2. The Receiver's fees in the amount of \$59,580.10 and reimbursement of expenses in the amount of \$1,358.27 for services rendered and costs incurred from December 4, 2019 through March 31, 2020 are approved, and the Receiver is authorized to pay herself those amounts from assets of the receivership estate.
- 3. Diamond McCarthy's fees in the amount of \$22,090.00 for services rendered and reimbursement of expenses in the amount of \$2,347.95 incurred from December 4, 2019 through March 31, 2020 are approved, and the Receiver is authorized to pay Diamond McCarthy LLP those amounts from assets of the receivership estate.

27 Dated: May 6, 2020

Honorable Edward M. Chen United States District Court