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IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA (Johnstown)

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SOMERSET REGIONAL WATER RESOURCES, LLC.	Bankruptcy No. 15-70766-JAD	Date of Service: <u>November 11, 2015</u>	/s/ Robert O Lampl ROBERT O LAMPL
Debtor. SOMERSET REGIONAL WATER RESOURCES, LLC,	Chapter 11		PA I.D. #19809 JOHN P. LACHER
	Document No.		PA I.D. #62297 DAVID L. FUCHS
	Related to Doc. No. 6		PA I.D. #205694 Counsel for the Debtor
Movant,	Hearing Date and Time: December 3, 2015 at 1:30 p.m.		960 Penn Avenue, Suite 1200 Pittsburgh, PA 15222
vs.			(412) 392-0330 (phone) (412) 392-0335 (facsimile)
NO RESPONDENT.			Email: <u>rlampl@lampllaw.com</u>

NOTICE OF HEARING WITH RESPONSE DEADLINE REGARDING APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF ATTORNEYS

TO THE RESPONDENT(S):

You are hereby notified that the above Movant seeks an order affecting your rights or property.

You are further notified to file with the Clerk and serve upon the undersigned attorney for the Moyant a response to the Motion no later than November 30, 2015, i.e., seventeen (17) days after the date of service below, in accordance with the Federal Rules Of Bankruptcy Procedure, Local Rules And Procedures of this Court, and the procedure of the Presiding Judge as found on the Judge's web page at www.pawb.uscourts.gov. If you fail to timely respond, the Motion may be granted by the Court by default without a hearing. Please refer to the Judge's calendar posted on the website at www.pawb.uscourts.gov to verify if a default order was signed or if the hearing will go forward as scheduled.

You should take this to your lawyer at once.

A hearing will be held on December 3, 2015, at 1:30 p.m. before Judge Jeffery A. Deller in Courtroom B, First Floor Penn Traffic Building, 319 Washington Street, Johnstown, Pennsylvania 15901*. Only a limited time of 10 minutes is being provided on the calendar. No witnesses will be heard. If there is an issue of fact, an evidentiary hearing will be scheduled at a later date by the Court. An order granting the relief sought may be * NOTE: Video Conferencing equipment has been installed in Courtroom B in Johnstown, Pennsylvania and also in Courtroom D in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Attorneys may appear at either Courtroom B in Johnstown, or Courtroom D in Pittsburgh.

entered and the hearing may not be held if you do not timely file and serve a written



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AND NOW comes Somerset Regional Water Resources, LLC, by and through its Counsel, Robert O Lampl, John P. Lacher, David L. Fuchs and Ryan J. Cooney, and files the following APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF ATTORNEYS, as follows:

 The Movant is Somerset Regional Water Resources, LLC, the Debtor in this Chapter 11 Case.

2. This Case was commenced on November 9; 2015.

3. The Debtor is in need of services of legal counsel to assist in, among other things, the administration of its Estate and to represent the Debtor on matters involving legal issues that are present or are likely to arise in the case, to prepare any legal documentation on behalf of the Debtor, to review reports for legal sufficiency, to furnish information on legal matters regarding legal actions and consequences and for Case 15-70766-JAD Doc 6 Filed 11/11/15 Entered 11/11/15 11:17:05 Desc Main Document Page 2 of 3

all necessary legal services connected with Chapter 11 proceedings including the prosecution and/or defense of any adversary proceedings.

4. The Debtor believes that Robert O Lampi and his law firm are experienced in these matters and are well qualified to perform all of the legal services necessary and required by the Debtor.

5. The Debtor wishes to retain Robert O Lampl and his firm at hourly rates as follows: a. Robert O Lampl \$400.00

 b.
 John P. Lacher
 \$375.00

 c.
 David L. Fuchs
 \$350.00

 d.
 Ryan J. Cooney
 \$250.00

 e.
 Paralegal
 \$150.00

6. Neither Robert O Lampl, nor anyone from his firm have any connection

with the Debtor, nor represent any interest adverse to the Debtor or any other parties-ininterest.

WHEREFORE, the Debtor respectfully requests that this Honorable Court

approve Robert O Lampl and his firm as Counsel for the Debtor.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Date: November 11, 2015

<u>/s/ Robert O Lampl</u> ROBERT O LAMPL PA 1,D, #19809 JOHN P, LACHER PA 1.D. #62297 DAVID L, FUCHS PA 1.D. #205694 RYAN J, COONEY PA 1.D. #319213 960 Penn Avenue, Suite 1200 Pittsburgh, PA 15222 (412) 392-0330 (phone) (412) 392-0335 (facsimile) –Email:-rlampl@lamplaw.com–

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Robert O Lampl, hereby certify, that on the 11th day of November, 2015, a true

and correct copy of the foregoing APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF ATTORNEYS

was served upon the following (via electronic service):

Office of the U.S. Trustee 970 Liberty Center 1001 Liberty Avenue Pittsburgh, PA 15222

Date: November 11, 2015

<u>/s/ Robert O Lampl</u> ROBERT O LAMPL PA I.D. #19809 JOHN P. LACHER PA I.D. #62297 DAVID L. FUCHS PA I.D. #205694 RYAN J. COONEY PA I.D. #319213 960 Penn Avenue, Suite 1200 Pittsburgh, PA 15222 (412) 392-0330 (phone) (412) 392-0335 (facsimile) Email: <u>rtampl@tampllaw.com</u> Case 15-70766-JAD Doc 6-1 Filed 11/11/15 Entered 11/11/15 11:17:05 Desc Verification Page 1 of 2

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VERIFICATION STATEMENT PURSUANT TO BANKRUPTCY RULE 2014

I, Robert O Lampl, declare that I have read the aforesaid averments set forth in the attached Application for Approval of Attorneys and that said averments are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, including the averment in Paragraph 6 of said Application that neither Robert O Lampl, nor anyone in his law firm, has any connection with the Debtor other than as representing it as attorneys in *cannectian with Bankruptcy Case No.* 15-70766-JAS. Further, Robert O Lampl Law Offices represented the principal of the Debtor, Larry Mostoller in the defense of several civil matters (Somerset Trust Company v. Geiger Development Corporation, et. al.) in the Court of Common Pleas of Somerset County, Pennsylvania at Nos. 1249 of 2007, 1250 of 2007 and 898 of 2008. We are not owed fees from these prior representations. Further, neither Robert O Lampl, nor anyone in his law firm has any connection with any creditor or any party in interest, their respective attorneys and accountants, the United

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States Trustee, or any person employed in the office of the United States Trustee. This

Verification is made under penalty of periury.

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Date: November 11, 2015

/s/ Robert O Lampl ROBERT O LAMPL

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ORDER APPROVING DEBTOR'S COUNSEL

APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF ATTORNEYS, it is ORDERED, ADJUDGED and **DECREED** as follows:

The above referenced Application is hereby approved as of the date the 1. Application was filed.

Robert O Lampl Law Office, 960 Penn Avenue, Suite 1200, Pittsburgh, PA 2. 15222 is hereby appointed as Attorney for the Debtor in this bankruptcy proceeding for the reasons set forth in the Application.

Professional persons or entities performing services in the above case are 3. advised that approval of fees for professional services will be based not only on the amount involved and the results accomplished, but other factors as well, including: the time and labor reasonably required by counsel, the novelty and difficulty of the issues

presented, the skill requisite to perform the legal service properly, the preclusion of other employment due to acceptance of this case, the customary fee, whether the fee is fixed or contingent, the time limitations imposed by the client or the circumstances, the experience, reputation and ability of the attorneys involved, the undesirability of the case, the nature and length of the professional relationship with the client, and, awards in similar cases.

4. Approval of any application for appointment of counsel in which certain hourly rates/compensation terms are stated for various professionals is not an agreement by the Court to allow such fees at the requested hourly rates or compensation terms. Final compensation awarded only after notice and hearing, may be more or less than the requested hourly rates/compensation terms based on application of the above-mentioned factors in granting approval by the Court Order.

5. Applicant shall serve the within Order on all interested parties and file a certificate of service.

DATE: ____

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JEFFERY A. DELLER United States Bankruptcy Judge

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cc: Office of the U.S. Trustee Debtor Counsel Robert O Lampl Law Office 960 Penn Avenue, Suite 1200 Pittsburgh, PA 15222



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