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7. That, pursuant to and in compliance with Rhode Island Supreme Court Executive Order No. 95-01, this Court finds that the designation of the aforescribed person for appointment as Receiver herein is warranted and required because of the Receiver's specialized expertise and experience in operating businesses in Receivership and in administrating non-routine Receiverships which involve unusual or complex legal, financial, or business issues.

8. That Respondent shall have twenty-one (21) days from entry of this Order to file a petition with this Court for the conversion of this Receivership to a non-liquidating receivership pursuant to and in compliance with Rhode Island Superior Court Administrative Order No. 2020-04.

9. Except as provided in paragraph 10 below, that the commencement, prosecution, or continuance of the prosecution, of any action, suit, arbitration proceeding, hearing, or any foreclosure, reclamation or repossession proceeding, both judicial and non-judicial, or any other proceeding, in law, or in equity or under any statute, or otherwise, against said Respondent or any of its property, in any Court, agency, tribunal, or elsewhere, or before any arbitrator, or otherwise by any creditor, stockholder, corporation, partnership or any other person, or the levy of any attachment, execution or other process upon or against any property of said Respondent, or the taking or attempting to take into possession any property in the possession of the Respondent or of which the Respondent has the right to possession, or the cancellation at any time during the Receivership proceeding herein of any insurance policy, lease or other contract with Respondent, by any of such parties as aforesaid, other than the Receiver designated as aforesaid, or the termination of telephone, electric, gas or other utility service to Respondent, by any public utility, without prior approval thereof from this Honorable Court, in which connection said Receiver shall be entitled to prior notice and an opportunity to be heard, are hereby restrained and enjoined until further Order of this Court.

10. The foregoing paragraph does not stay the exercise of rights of a party to a swap agreement, securities contract, repurchase agreement, commodity contract, forward contract or master netting agreement, as those terms are defined in the federal Bankruptcy Code, to the extent that a court would not have the power to stay the exercise if Defendant were a debtor under the Bankruptcy Code.

11. That a Citation be issued to said Respondent, returnable to the Superior Court sitting at Providence, Rhode Island on November 30, 2020 at 9:30 a.m., at which time and place this cause is set down for Hearing on the prayer for the Appointment of a Permanent Receiver; that the Clerk of this Court shall give Notice of the pendency of the Petition herein by publishing this Order Appointing Temporary Receiver once in The Providence Journal on or before November 16, 2020 so long as the Receiver's Bond has been filed, and the Receiver shall give further notice by mailing, on or before November 16, 2020, a copy of said Order Appointing Temporary Receiver to each of Respondent's creditors and stockholders whose address is known or may become known to the Receiver.

12. This Order is entered by virtue of and pursuant to this Court's equity powers and pursuant to its powers as authorized by the laws and statutes of the State of Rhode Island.

ENTERED as an Order of this Court this 30<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

BY ORDER:

*Brian P. Stern, J.*  
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Associate Justice

ENTER:

/s/ Carin Miley  
Deputy Clerk I  
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Clerk, Superior Court  
October 30, 2020