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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

In re

BK Case No.:

Chapter 13
**INITIAL APPLICATION FOR
COMPENSATION**

Debtor(s).

Applicant _____ (“Applicant”) hereby submits this *Initial Application for Compensation* (the “Application”) and requests approval of attorney’s fees in the amount of \$ _____ pursuant to the *Guidelines for Payment of Attorney’s Fees in Chapter 13 Case* in the above-captioned matter.

Applicant filed the *Rights and Responsibilities of Chapter 13 Debtors and Their Attorneys*, which was executed by both Applicant and Debtor. See Dkt. No. _____.

Prior to filing this case, Applicant was paid \$ _____, and Applicant requests that additional fees of \$ _____ be paid through and in accordance Debtor’s Chapter 13 Plan, upon approval by this Court.

In addition to the base fee of \$4,500, Applicant requests approval of the following fees:

- \$2,500 Operating business
- \$1,500 Real property with secured claim(s) (first parcel)

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- \$800 Additional real property with secured claim(s) greater than \$10,000
- \$800 Tax claims
- \$300 More than 25 creditors
- \$800 Vehicle loans or leases
- \$800 Domestic support arrears
- \$800 Motion to extend or impose automatic stay
- \$1,500 Motion to avoid judicial lien on real property (11 U.S.C. §522(f))
- \$1,500 Motion or Adversary Proceeding to value and/or avoid lien on real property, including obtaining final order (11 U.S.C. § 506)
- \$500 Motion or Adversary Proceeding to value and/or avoid lien on real property, including obtaining final order (11 U.S.C. § 506) [additional lien on same property]
- \$1,100 Motion to sell, refinance, convey title, purchase real property
- \$2,600 Entry into and completion of the Mortgage Modification Mediation Program [\$2,500 fees + \$100 costs]

Applicant hereby attests under penalty of perjury that the fees requested are reasonable and necessary to representation of the interests of the debtor in connection with the bankruptcy case, and the fees requested comply with the *Guidelines for Payment of Attorney’s Fees in Chapter 13 Cases* and with the *Rights and Responsibilities of Chapter 13 Debtors and Their Attorneys*.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests that the Court enter an order approving the Application and for such other and further relief as the Court deems just and proper.

Dated: _____

Respectfully Submitted,

By: _____