

SUPERIOR COURT
(Commercial Division)

C A N A D A
PROVINCE OF QUÉBEC
DISTRICT OF MONTRÉAL
NO.: 500-11-057985-208

DATE: December 12, 2020

PRESIDING: THE HONOURABLE MICHEL A. PINSONNAULT, J.S.C.

IN THE MATTER OF THE PLAN OF COMPROMISE OR ARRANGEMENT OF:

STOKES INC.

Debtor
and

RICHTER ADVISORY GROUP INC.

Monitor
and

BODUM USA INC.

PI-DESIGN AG

Applicants

ORDER PARTIALLY LIFTING THE STAY OF PROCEEDINGS

(Section 11 of the *Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act*, RSC 1985, c C-36)

- [1] **ON READING** Applicants' *Motion to Lift the Stay of Proceedings* and the affidavit filed in support thereof (the "**Motion**") and relying upon the submissions of counsel;
- [2] **SEEING** the service of the Motion;
- [3] **GIVEN** that Richter Advisory Group Inc., in its capacity as court-appointed monitor (the "**Monitor**"), supports the Motion as it will allow for the settlement agreement reached between the Applicants and the Debtor dated November 20, 2020 (**R-2**) (the "**Settlement Agreement**") to be fully implemented;
- [4] **GIVEN** the particular nature of the Settlement Agreement (**R-2**);
- [5] **GIVEN** the limited scope sought by the parties with respect to the present partial lift Order;
- [6] **GIVEN** the consents of the Debtor and of the Monitor that the present Order be issued;

WHEREFORE THE COURT:

- [7] **GRANTS** the Motion.
- [8] **LIFTS** the stay of proceedings for the sole purpose of permitting the continuation of proceedings in case no. T-1979-18 before the Federal Court of Canada in accordance with the Settlement Agreement (**R-2**).
- [9] **DECLARES** that sufficient prior notice of the presentation of this Motion has been given by the Applicants to interested parties.
- [10] **ORDERS** that Exhibit **R-2** filed in support of the Motion shall be kept under seal until further order from this Court.
- [11] **ORDERS** the provisional execution of the Order notwithstanding any appeal.

THE WHOLE, WITHOUT COSTS.

MICHEL A. PINSONNAULT, J.S.C.
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