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**REPLY TO TAMPA**

January 24, 2020

Honorable Scott Stephens  
Edgecomb Courthouse  
800 E. Twiggs St., Room 503  
Tampa, FL 33602

Re: Laser Spine Institute, LLC, Consolidated Case No. 2019-CA-2762

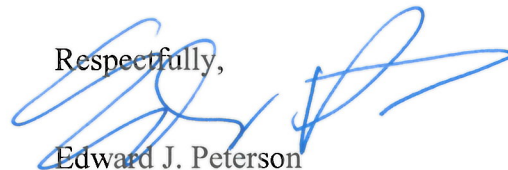
Dear Judge Stephens:

Our firm represents Soneet Kapila, the Assignee in the assignment for the benefit of creditors cases of Laser Spine Institute, LLC and 15 related entities, now consolidated under the above-referenced case. Enclosed for your consideration is an Order Granting Assignee's Motion to Employ Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP as Special Litigation Counsel and to Pay Fees on a Contingency Fee Basis.

The motion was filed, and appropriate notice of the motion was given to all creditors, lessors, and parties in interest in accordance with this Court's *Order Granting Assignee's Motion to Limit Notice* dated April 8, 2019. No responses were timely filed.

Should Your Honor have any questions or require anything further, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Respectfully,



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Enclosures

cc: All Counsel of Record via electronic filing

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
IN AND FOR HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY, FLORIDA  
CIVIL DIVISION

In re:

Laser Spine Institute, LLC. <sup>1</sup>	Case No. 2019-CA-2762
CLM Aviation, LLC	Case No. 2019-CA-2764
LSI HoldCo, LLC	Case No. 2019-CA-2765
LSI Management Company, LLC	Case No. 2019-CA-2766
Laser Spine Surgery Center of Arizona, LLC	Case No. 2019-CA-2767
Laser Spine Surgery Center of Cincinnati, LLC	Case No. 2019-CA-2768
Laser Spine Surgery Center of Cleveland, LLC	Case No. 2019-CA-2769
Laser Spine Surgical Center, LLC	Case No. 2019-CA-2770
Laser Spine Surgery Center of Pennsylvania, LLC	Case No. 2019-CA-2771
Laser Spine Surgery Center of St. Louis, LLC	Case No. 2019-CA-2772
Laser Spine Surgery Center of Warwick, LLC	Case No. 2019-CA-2773
Medical Care Management Services, LLC	Case No. 2019-CA-2774
Spine DME Solutions, LLC	Case No. 2019-CA-2775
Total Spine Care, LLC	Case No. 2019-CA-2776
Laser Spine Institute Consulting, LLC	Case No. 2019-CA-2777
Laser Spine Surgery Center of Oklahoma, LLC	Case No. 2019-CA-2780

Assignors,

Consolidated Case No:  
2019-CA-2762

To:

Soneet Kapila,

Division L

Assignee.

**ORDER GRANTING ASSIGNEE'S MOTION TO EMPLOY PILLSBURY  
WINTHROP SHAW PITTMAN LLP AS SPECIAL LITIGATION  
COUNSEL AND TO PAY FEES ON A CONTINGENCY FEE BASIS**

THIS CASE came on for hearing on December 20, 2019 at 3:30 p.m. upon the Motion of the assignee, Soneet Kapila (the "Assignee"), for an order approving the employment of Pillsbury

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<sup>1</sup> On April 8, 2019, the Court entered an order administratively consolidating this case with the assignment cases of the following entities: LSI Management Company, LLC; Laser Spine Institute Consulting, LLC; CLM Aviation, LLC; Medical Care Management Services, LLC; LSI HoldCo, LLC; Laser Spine Surgical Center, LLC; Laser Spine Surgery Center of Arizona, LLC; Laser Spine Surgery Center of Cincinnati, LLC; Laser Spine Surgery Center of St. Louis, LLC; Laser Spine Surgery Center of Pennsylvania, LLC; Laser Spine Surgery Center of Oklahoma, LLC; Laser Spine Surgery Center of Warwick, LLC; Laser Spine Surgery Center of Cleveland, LLC; Total Spine Care, LLC; and Spine DME Solutions, LLC.

Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP as special litigation counsel for the Assignee (the “**Motion**”).<sup>2</sup> The Court, having considered the motion, the statements of counsel and being fully advised of the record, finds that the Motion is well taken and should be granted. Accordingly, it is

ORDERED:

1. The Motion is granted.
2. The Assignee is hereby authorized to retain Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP under Fla. Stat. § 727.108(7) to assist him with the Claims (as defined in the Motion) pursuant to the terms of the Engagement Letter attached to the Motion as Exhibit A.
3. Counsel for the Assignee shall serve this Order upon the Limited Notice Parties List.

DONE AND ORDERED in Hillsborough County, Florida this \_\_\_\_\_ day of January, 2020.

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Steven Scott Stephens  
Circuit Court Judge

Copy to:  
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<sup>2</sup>Unless otherwise defined herein, capitalized terms have the same meanings ascribed to them in the Motion.