

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE**

IN RE:)	Chapter 11
)	
BUILDING MATERIALS HOLDING CORPORATION, et al.,¹)	Case No. 09-12074 (KJC)
)	
Debtors.)	Jointly Administered
)	
)	

VERIFIED STATEMENTS OF CONNECTIONS

I, Kristan B. Blanford, declare under penalty of perjury:

1. I am a Partner with the law firm of Hermes Sargent Bates, LLP, located at 901 Main Street, Suite 5200, Dallas Texas 75202 (the "Firm").
2. Building Materials Holding Corporation and its affiliates, as debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the "Debtors") have requested that the Firm provide collection and litigation services to the Debtors, and the Firm has consented to provide such services.
3. If the Firm is a law firm, I state that the firm did represent the Debtors prior to their bankruptcy filings.
4. The Firm may have performed services in the past, may currently perform services and may perform services in the future, in matters unrelated to these chapter 11 cases, for persons that are parties in interest in these chapter 11 cases. The Firm does not perform services for any such person in connection with these chapter 11 cases, or have any relationship

¹ The Debtors, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's tax identification number, are as follows: Building Materials Holding Corporation (4269), BMC West Corporation (0454), SelectBuild Construction, Inc. (1340), SelectBuild Northern California, Inc. (7579), Illinois Framing, Inc. (4451), C Construction, Inc. (8206), TWF Construction, Inc. (3334), H.N.R. Framing Systems, Inc. (4329), SelectBuild Southern California, Inc. (9378), SelectBuild Nevada, Inc. (8912), SelectBuild Arizona, LLC (0036), and SelectBuild Illinois, LLC (0792). The mailing address for the Debtors is 720 Park Boulevard, Suite 200, Boise, Idaho 83712.

with any such person, their attorneys or accountants that would be adverse to the Debtors or their estates. Furthermore, if the Firm is either (i) not a law firm or (ii) a law firm that did not represent the Debtors prior to their bankruptcy filings, the Firm is a "disinterested person" under 11 U.S.C. § 101(14), such that the Firm:

- (a) is not a creditor, an equity security holder, or an insider of any of the Debtors;
- (b) is not and was not, within 2 years before the date of the filing of the petition, a director, officer, or employee of any of the Debtors; and
- (c) does not have an interest materially adverse to the interest of the estate or of any class of creditors or equity security holders, by reason of any direct or indirect relationship to, connection with, or interest in, the Debtors, or for any other reason.

5. As part of its customary practice, the Firm is retained in cases, proceedings, and transactions involving many different parties, some of whom may represent or be employed by the Debtors, claimants, and parties-in-interest in the Debtors' chapter 11 cases.

6. Neither I nor any principal, partner, director, officer, etc. of, or professional employed by, the Firm has agreed to share or will share any portion of the compensation to be received from the Debtors with any other person other than the principal and regular employees of the Firm.

7. In the ordinary course of its business, the Firm maintains a database for purposes of performing "conflicts checks." The Firm's database contains information regarding the Firm's present and past representations. Pursuant to Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 2014(a), I obtained a list of the entities identified in Rule 2014(a) from counsel to the Debtors for purposes of searching the aforementioned database and determining the connection(s) which the

Firm has with such entities. The Firm's search of the database identified the following connections:

8. At one time or other, the Firm has represented the following entities listed below (however the Firm does not represent any entity that would be adverse to the Debtors in their bankruptcy case):

(i) pre-petition and/or post-petition secured bank lenders of the Debtors:

- Wells Fargo;

(ii) the Debtors' fifty (50) largest unsecured creditors on a consolidate basis as identified in the Debtors' chapter 11 petitions:

- Atrium Companies, Inc.

(iii) the Debtors' insurers and insurance brokers:

- Lexington Insurance Company, UKB
- American Insurers Specialty Lines Insurance Company
- XL Specialty Insurance Company
- National Fire Insurance Company
- Zurich American Insurance Company
- Chubb Group of Insurance Companies

(iv) Other significant parties:

- GE Capital Corp.

9. Neither I nor any partner of or professional employed by, the Firm, insofar as I have been able to ascertain, holds or represents any interest adverse to the Debtors or their estates with respect to the matter(s) upon which this Firm is to be employed. Furthermore, if the Firm is either (i) not a law firm or (ii) a law firm that did not represent the Debtors prior to their

bankruptcy filings, I state that neither I nor any partner or professional employed by, the Firm, insofar as I have been able to ascertain, holds or represents any interest adverse to the Debtors.

10. The Debtors owe the Firm \$ 23,017.56 for prepetition services, the payment of which is subject to limitations contained in the United States Bankruptcy Code, 11 I/S/C/ §§ 101-1532. If the Firm is either (i) not a law firm or (ii) a law firm that did not represent the Debtors prior to their bankruptcy filings, my signature below acknowledges that the Firm understands that any and all pre-petition claims that it has against the Debtors will be deemed waived if the Firm's employment is authorized.

11. As of June 16, 2009, which was the date on which the Debtors commenced these chapter 11 cases, the Firm was party to three engagement or services agreement with the Debtors. Copies of such agreements are attached as *Exhibit A* to this Declaration.

12. As of June 16, 2009, the Firm was not party to an agreement for indemnification with certain of the Debtors.

13. If the Firm is not a law firm, the following is a list of all payments which the Firm received from the Debtors during the year prior to the Debtors' bankruptcy filings: not applicable.

14. The Firm is conducting further inquiries regarding its retention by any creditors of the Debtors, and upon conclusion of that inquiry, or at any time during the period of its employment, if the Firm should discover any facts bearing on the matters described herein, the Firm will supplement the information contained in this Declaration.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: August 11,, 2009.

Kristen Blanford
Kristan B. Blanford

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May 2, 2008

Rosey Leary
Paralegal
BMC West Corporation
10351 Home Road
Frisco, TX 75034

RE: White Rock Property
Our File No. 1035/16

Dear Rosey:

In connection with the above-referenced matter, this letter will acknowledge receipt of the above-captioned file. Thank you for allowing us to represent BMC West Corporation in this matter. Kristen Blanford will be assisting me on this file.

This will also confirm our firm's billing rates on this file as follows:

Partner	\$245.00
Associate	\$195.00
Legal Assistant	\$125.00

My hourly rate, as well as Kristen Blanford's, is \$245.00.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us. Thank you again for referring this matter to Hermes Sargent Bates, L.L.P.

Very truly yours,


Dwayne J. Hermes

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cc: Kristen Blanford (Firm)



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June 4, 2008

VIA EMAIL

Rosey Leary
Paralegal
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Frisco, TX 75034

Re: *Post Uptown, L.L.C., et al. v. Royal Door, et al.*
Cause No. 2008-13691; in the 333rd Judicial District Court, Harris County, Texas
Our File No. 1035/18

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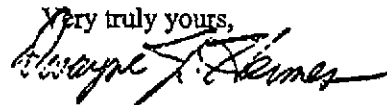
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June 13, 2008

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RE: Newton Avenue Townhomes
Our File No. 1035/

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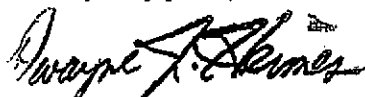
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