IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

IN RE:)) Ch	apter 11
BUILDING MATERIALS HOLDING CORPORATION, et al.,)) Ca	se No. 09-12074 (KJC)
Debtors.) J o:	intly Administered

VERIFIED STATEMENTS OF CONNECTIONS

- I, Gordon Asbury III, declare under penalty of perjury:
- 1. I am an attorney/partner of the Asbury Law Firm, LLP, located at 534 Pine Street, Suite 102, Abilene, Texas 79601. (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 debt collection services (Collection Attorney) 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 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 business, the Firm confirms conflicts by reviewing its client base. 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 purpose of searching the aforementioned database and determining the connection(s) which the Firm has with such entities. The Firm's review identified the following connections:
 - 8. None.
- 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 filing, I state that 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.
- 10. The Debtors owe the Firm \$152.49 for pre-petition services, the payment of which is subject to limitations contained in the United States Bankruptcy Code, 11 U.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 Debtor 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 part to an engagement or services agreement with the Debtors. A copy of such agreement is 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. 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

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