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In re:

Chapter 11

RITE AID CORPORATION, et al.,

Debtors. 1

(Jointly Administered)

INTERIM ORDER (I) AUTHORIZING AND APPROVING THE CONDUCT OF STORE CLOSING SALES, WITH SUCH SALES TO BE FREE AND CLEAR OF ALL LIENS, CLAIMS, AND ENCUMBRANCES, AND (II) GRANTING RELATED RELIEF

The relief set forth on the following pages, numbered three (3) through twenty-one (21), is **ORDERED.**

DATED: October 17, 2023

Honorable Michael B. Kaplan United States Bankruptcy Judge

The last four digits of Debtor Rite Aid Corporation's tax identification number are 4034. A complete list of the Debtors in these chapter 11 cases and each such Debtor's tax identification number may be obtained on the website of the Debtors' proposed claims and noticing agent at https://restructuring.ra.kroll.com/RiteAid. The location of Debtor Rite Aid Corporation's principal place of business and the Debtors' service address in these chapter 11 cases is 1200 Intrepid Avenue, 2nd Floor, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19112.

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Upon the Debtors' Motion for Entry of Interim and Final Orders (I) Authorizing and Approving the Conduct of Store Closing Sales, with Such Sales to Be Free and Clear of All Liens, Claims, and Encumbrances,, and (II) Granting Related Relief (the "Motion"),2 of the abovecaptioned debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the "Debtors"), for entry of an interim order (this "Interim Order"): (a) authorizing and approving the continuation or initiation of store closing or similar themed sales (the "Initial Store Closings") at the stores identified on **Schedule 1** attached hereto (collectively, the "Initial Closing Stores"); (b) authorizing and approving the Debtors to conduct store closings at additional stores (the "Additional Store Closings" and, together with the Initial Store Closings, the "Store Closings") at a later date or dates pursuant to the procedures set forth herein (collectively, the "Additional Closing Stores," if any, and together with the Initial Closing Stores, the "Closing Stores") with such sales to be free and clear of all liens, claims, and encumbrances (the "Sales"), in accordance with the terms of the store closing sale guidelines (the "Sale Guidelines"), attached as Schedule 2 hereto; (c) scheduling a final hearing to consider approval of the Motion on a final basis, and (d) granting related relief, all as more fully set forth in the Motion; and upon the First Day Declaration, the Liebman Declaration, and the Frejka Declaration; and the Court having jurisdiction to consider the Motion and the relief requested therein pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334 and the Standing Order of Reference to the Bankruptcy Court Under Title 11 of the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey, entered July 23, 1984, and amended on September 18, 2012 (Simandle, C.J.); and this

² Capitalized terms used but not defined herein have the meanings ascribed to them in the Motion.

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Court having found that venue of this proceeding and the Motion in this district is proper pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409; and this Court having found that the Debtors' notice of the Motion was appropriate under the circumstances and no other notice need be provided; and this Court having reviewed the Motion and having heard the statements in support of the relief requested therein at a hearing before this Court (the "Hearing"); and this Court having determined that the legal and factual bases set forth in the Motion establish just cause for the relief granted herein; and upon all of the proceedings had before the Court and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor IT IS HEREBY FOUND AND DETERMINED THAT: 1

A. The Debtors have advanced sound business reasons for adopting the Sale Guidelines, on an interim basis subject to the Final Hearing, as set forth in the Motion and at the Hearing.

- B. The Sale Guidelines, which are attached hereto as <u>Schedule 2</u>, are reasonable and appropriate, and the conduct of the Sales in accordance with the Sale Guidelines will provide an efficient means for the Debtors to dispose of the Closing Store Assets, and are in the best interest of the Debtors' estates.
- C. The relief set forth herein is necessary to avoid immediate and irreparable harm to the Debtors and their estates and the Debtors have demonstrated good, sufficient and sound business purposes and justifications for the relief approved herein.
 - D. The Store Closings and Sales are in the best interest of the Debtors' estates.

Findings of fact shall be construed as conclusions of law and conclusions of law shall be construed as findings of fact where appropriate. *See* Fed. R. Bankr. P. 7052.

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E. The Dispute Resolution Procedures are fair and reasonable and comply with applicable law.

F. The entry of this Interim Order is in the best interests of the Debtors and their estates, creditors, and interest holders and all other parties in interest herein; and now therefore it is **HEREBY ORDERED THAT**:

- 1. The Motion is **GRANTED** on an interim basis as set forth herein.
- 2. The Final Hearing on the Motion will be held on November 16, 2023 at 1:00 p.m. (Eastern Time). Objections, if any, that relate to the Motion shall be filed and served so as to be actually received by the following parties on or before November 9, 2023 at 4:00 p.m. (Eastern Time): (a) Debtors' proposed counsel; (b) Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP, 1285 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10019 (Attn: Andrew N. Rosenberg (arosenberg@paulweiss.com); Brian S. Hermann (bhermann@paulweiss.com); and Christopher Hopkins (chopkins@paulweiss.com) and Fox Rothschild LLP, 49 Market Street, Morristown, NJ 07960 (Attn: Howard A. Cohen (hcohen@foxrothschild.com); Joseph J. DiPasquale (jdipasquale@foxrothschild.com) and Michael R. Herz (mherz@foxrothschild.com), counsel for the Ad Hoc Secured Noteholder Group; and (c) the United States Trustee for the District of New Jersey, One Newark Center, Suite 2100, Newark, NJ 07102, Attn: Jeffrey M. Sponder and Lauren Bielskie. If no objections are filed to the Motion, the Court may enter an order approving the relief requested in the Motion on a final basis without further notice or hearing.
- 3. To the extent any conflict between this Interim Order and the Sale Guidelines, the terms of this Interim Order shall control.

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I. Authority to Engage in Sales and Conduct Store Closings.

4. The Debtors are authorized, on an interim basis pending the Final Hearing, pursuant

to sections 105(a) and 363(b)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code, to continue, commence, and conduct

Sales and Store Closings at the Closing Stores in accordance with this Interim Order and the Sale

Guidelines, as may be modified by any Side Letters (as defined below) between the Debtors and

the landlords at the Closing Stores.

5. The Sale Guidelines are approved in their entirety on an interim basis.

6. The Debtors are authorized to discontinue operations at the Closing Stores in

accordance with this Interim Order and the Sale Guidelines.

7. All entities that are presently in possession of some or all of the Closing Store

Assets in which the Debtors hold an interest that is or may be subject to this Interim Order hereby

are directed to surrender possession of such Closing Store Assets to the Debtors.

8. Neither the Debtors nor any of their officers, employees, or agents shall be required

to obtain the approval of any third party, including (without limitation) any Governmental Unit

(as defined under section 101(27) of the Bankruptcy Code) or landlord, to conduct the Sales and

Store Closings and to take the related actions authorized herein.

9. The Debtors are authorized to conduct Sales and internal transfers of

Prescription Assets consistent with their historical practice, in accordance with applicable law.

Each purchaser of Prescription Assets sold pursuant to this Interim Order shall be deemed a good

faith purchaser within the meaning of section 363(m) of the Bankruptcy Code and, as such, shall

be entitled all of the protections afforded by such provision.

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II. Conduct of the Sales.

10. All newspapers and other advertising media in which the Sales and Store Closings

may be advertised and all landlords and subtenants are directed to accept this Interim Order as

binding authority so as to authorize the Debtors to conduct the Sales and Store Closings, including,

without limitation, to conduct and advertise the sale of the Non-Prescription Assets in the manner

contemplated by and in accordance with this Interim Order and the Sale Guidelines.

11. Subject to the Dispute Resolution Procedures provided for in this Interim Order,

the Debtors are hereby authorized to take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate to

conduct the Sales and Store Closings without necessity of further order of this Court as provided

in the Sale Guidelines (subject to any Side Letters); provided that, with respect to advertising a

Sale of Non-Prescription Assets as a "store closing sale", "sale on everything", "everything must

go", "going-out-of-business", or similar-themed sales as contemplated in the Sale Guidelines

through the posting of exterior signs (including the use of exterior banners at non-enclosed mall

closing locations, and at enclosed mall closing locations to the extent the applicable closing

location entrance does not require entry into the enclosed mall common area), use of signwalkers,

A-frames, and other street signage, such exterior signage shall be be conditioned upon the later of:

(a) execution of an applicable Side Letter with the Debtors and/or their consultant (if any); or

(b) entry of the Final Order.

12. Except as expressly provided in the Sale Guidelines and subject to any Side Letter,

the sale of the Closing Store Assets shall be conducted by the Debtors, notwithstanding any

Contractual Restrictions to the contrary relative to occupancy affecting or purporting to restrict the

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conduct of the Sale, abandonment of assets, or "going dark" provisions. Any such Contractual Restrictions shall not be enforceable in conjunction with the Store Closings and the Sales. Any breach of any such provisions in these chapter 11 cases in conjunction with the Store Closings or the Sales shall not constitute a default under a lease or provide a basis to terminate the lease; provided that the Store Closings and Sales are conducted in accordance with the terms of this Interim Order, any Side Letter, and the Sale Guidelines. The Debtors and landlords of the Closing Stores are authorized to enter into agreements ("Side Letters") between themselves modifying the Sale Guidelines without further order of the Court, and such Side Letters shall be binding as among the Debtors and any such landlords. In the event of any conflict between the Sale Guidelines, any Side Letter, and this Interim Order, subject to paragraph 33 hereof, the terms of such Side Letter shall control. Copies of any Side Letters will be provided to the U.S. Trustee, the DIP Agent, Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP, 1285 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10019 (Attn: Andrew N. Rosenberg (arosenberg@paulweiss.com); Brian S. Hermann (bhermann@paulweiss.com); and Christopher Hopkins (chopkins@paulweiss.com) and Fox Rothschild LLP, 49 Market Street, Morristown, NJ 07960 (Attn: Howard A. Cohen (hcohen@foxrothschild.com); Joseph J. DiPasquale (jdipasquale@foxrothschild.com) and Michael R. Herz (mherz@foxrothschild.com), counsel for the Ad Hoc Secured Noteholder Group; and/or any statutory committee of unsecured creditors at least two (2) business days' prior to execution of any Side Letters (which period may be shortened or waived if so consented to by each of the DIP Agent, Required Consenting Noteholders (as defined in the Restructuring Support Agreement), and any statutory committee of unsecured creditors)].

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13. Except as expressly provided for herein or in the Sale Guidelines, no person or entity, including, but not limited to, any landlord, subtenant, licensor, service providers, utilities, or creditors, shall take any action to directly or indirectly prevent, interfere with, or otherwise hinder consummation of the Store Closings, the Sales, or the sale of the Closing Store Assets, or the advertising and promotion (including the posting of signs and exterior banners or the use of sign-walkers) of such sales, as applicable, and all such parties and persons and entities of every nature and description, including, but not limited to, any landlord, subtenant, licensor, service providers, utilities, and creditors and all those acting for or on behalf of such parties, are prohibited and enjoined from (a) interfering in any way with, obstructing, or otherwise impeding, the conduct of the Store Closings and the Sales, and/or (b) instituting any action or proceeding in any court (other than in this Court) or administrative body seeking an order or judgment against, among others, the Debtors or the landlords at the closing locations that might in any way directly or indirectly obstruct or otherwise interfere with or adversely affect the conduct of the Store Closings, the Sales, or the sale of the Closing Store Assets or other liquidation sales at any Closing Stores and/or seek to recover damages for breach(es) of covenants or provisions in any lease, sublease, license, or contract based upon any relief authorized herein.

14. The Debtors are directed to remit all taxes arising from the Sales to the applicable Governmental Units as and when due, *provided* that, in the case of a *bona fide* dispute, the Debtors are only directed to pay such taxes upon the resolution of such dispute, if and to the extent that the dispute is decided in favor of the applicable Governmental Unit. For the avoidance of doubt, sales taxes collected and held in trust by the Debtors shall not be used to pay any creditor or any other

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party, other than the applicable Governmental Unit for which the sales taxes are collected. This Interim Order does not enjoin, suspend, or restrain the assessment, levy, or collection of any tax under state or federal law, and does not constitute a declaratory judgment with respect to any party's liability for taxes under state or federal law.

- 15. Pursuant to section 363(f) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Debtors are authorized to sell the Closing Store Assets, and all sales of Closing Store Assets shall be free and clear of any and all liens, claims, encumbrances, and other interests; *provided, however*, that any such liens, claims, encumbrances, and other interests shall attach to the proceeds of the sale of the Closing Store Assets with the same validity, in the amount, with the same priority as, and to the same extent that any such liens, claims, and encumbrances have with respect to the Closing Store Assets, subject to any claims and defenses that the Debtors may possess with respect thereto.
- 16. The Debtors are authorized and empowered to transfer Closing Store Assets among and into the Debtors' store locations in accordance with the Sale Guidelines, as applicable. The Debtors are authorized to sell the Debtors' Non-Prescription Assets as provided for and in accordance with the terms of the Sale Guidelines.
- 17. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Interim Order, the Debtors shall not sell or abandon any property that the Debtors know is not owned by the Debtors; *provided* that the Debtors will either (a) provide for the return of such property to the Debtors' headquarters or (b) return such property to the applicable lessor, or other owner of the property.
- 18. Neither the Sale Guidelines nor this Interim Order authorize the Debtors to transfer or sell to any other party the personal identifying information (which means information that alone

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or in conjunction with other information identifies an individual, including but not limited to an individual's first name (or initial) and last name, physical address, electronic address, telephone number, social security number, date of birth, government-issued identification number, account number and credit or debit card number) ("PII") of any customers unless such sale or transfer is permitted by the Debtors' privacy policy and applicable state or federal privacy and/or identity theft prevention laws and rules (collectively, the "Applicable Privacy Laws"). The foregoing shall not limit the use of the Debtors' customer lists and mailing lists for purposes of advertising and promoting the Sales.

- 19. The Debtors are authorized to conduct the Sales without the appointment of a consumer privacy ombudsman; provided that nothing in this Interim Order shall limit the ability of the U.S. Trustee or any statutory committee appointed in these chapter 11 cases from, within ten days following the initial appointment of such statutory committee, filing pleadings concerning the appointment of a consumer privacy ombudsman.
- 20. The Debtors shall remove or cause to be removed any confidential and/or PII in any of the Debtors hardware, software, computers or cash registers or similar equipment which are to be sold or abandoned so as to render the PII unreadable or undecipherable.
- 21. Nothing herein shall limit the Debtors' right to suspend, postpone, or discontinue a Sale at a Closing Store on notice to affected parties.
- 22. Nothing herein is intended to affect any rights of any applicable Government Unit to enforce any law affecting the Debtors' conduct of any store closing sale that occurred before the Petition Date.

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III. Procedures Relating to Additional Closing Stores.

23. To the extent that the Debtors seek to conduct Sales at any Additional Closing

Stores, the Sale Guidelines and this Interim Order shall apply to each such Additional Closing

Store (and the corresponding Additional Store Closing(s)).

24. Except with respect to Sales of Prescription Assets, before conducting the Sales at

any Additional Closing Store, the Debtors will file with the Court a list of each such Additional

Closing Store (each, an "Additional Closing Store List") and serve a notice of their intent to conduct

the applicable Sales at the Additional Closing Store on the Dispute Notice Parties, including

applicable landlords (collectively, the "Additional Closing Store Landlords"), and other interested

parties by email (to the extent available to the Debtors) or overnight mail within five business days

of filing the Additional Store Closing List or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter. With

respect to the Dispute Notice Parties, including the Additional Closing Store Landlords, the

Debtors will mail, if applicable, such notice to the notice address set forth in the lease for such

Additional Closing Store (or at the last known address available to the Debtors).

25. The relevant Additional Closing Store Landlords and any other interested parties

shall have ten days after service of the applicable Additional Closing Store List to object to the

application of this Interim Order to the Additional Closing Store(s) included in such Additional

Closing Store List. If no timely objections are filed with respect to the application of this Interim

Order to an Additional Closing Store, the Debtors shall be authorized to proceed with conducting

the Sales at the Additional Closing Stores (and any corresponding Additional Store Closing(s)) in

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to the application of this Interim Order to an Additional Closing Store and such objections are not resolved, the objections and the application of this Interim Order to the Additional Closing Store will be considered by the Court at the next regularly scheduled omnibus hearing, subject to the rights of any party to seek relief on an emergency basis on shortened notice, to the extent necessary.

IV. Dispute Resolution Procedures with Governmental Units.

26. Nothing in this Interim Order, the Sale Guidelines, or any Side Letter releases, nullifies, or enjoins the enforcement of any liability to a Governmental Unit under environmental laws or regulations (or any associated liabilities for penalties, damages, cost recovery, or injunctive relief) to which any entity would be subject as the owner, lessor, lessee, or operator of the property after the date of entry of this Interim Order. Nothing contained in this Interim Order, the Sale Guidelines, or any Side Letter shall in any way: (a) diminish the obligation of any entity to comply with environmental laws; or (b) diminish the obligations of the Debtors to comply with environmental laws consistent with their rights and obligations as debtors in possession under the Bankruptcy Code. The Store Closings and the Sales shall not be exempt from laws of general applicability, including, without limitation, public health and safety, criminal, tax, (including, but not limited to, the collection of sales taxes), labor, employment, environmental, antitrust, fair competition, traffic and consumer protection laws, including consumer laws regulating deceptive practices and false advertising, consumer protection, the sale of gift certificates, layaway programs, return of goods, express or implied warranties of goods, and "weights and measures" regulation and monitoring (collectively, "General Laws"). Nothing in this Interim Order, the Sale Guidelines, or any Side Letter shall alter or affect obligations to comply with all applicable federal

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Safety laws and regulations. Nothing in this Interim Order shall be deemed to bar any Governmental Unit (as such term is defined in section 101(27) of the Bankruptcy Code) from enforcing General Laws in the applicable non-bankruptcy forum, subject to the Debtors' rights to assert in that forum or before this Court, that any such laws are not in fact General Laws or that such enforcement is impermissible under the Bankruptcy Code or this Interim Order. Notwithstanding any other provision in this Interim Order, no party waives any rights to argue any position with respect to whether the conduct was in compliance with this Interim Order and/or any applicable law, or that enforcement of such applicable law is preempted by the Bankruptcy Code. Nothing in this Interim Order shall be deemed to have made any rulings on any such issues.

- 27. To the extent that the sale of Closing Store Assets is subject to any Liquidation Sale Laws, the following provisions of this paragraph 27 shall apply and control over any Side Letters:
 - i. Provided that the Sales are conducted in accordance with this Interim Order and the Sale Guidelines, the Debtors and the Debtors' landlords shall be deemed to be in compliance with any requirements of all county, parish, municipal, or other local government (collectively, "Local") and state Liquidation Sale Laws that would otherwise apply to the Store Closings or the Sales; *provided*, that the term "Liquidation Sale Laws" shall not include any public health or safety laws of any state (collectively, "Safety Laws"), and the Debtors shall continue to be required to comply, as applicable, with such Safety Laws and General Laws, subject to any applicable provision of the Bankruptcy Code and federal law, and nothing in this Interim Order shall be deemed to bar Governmental Units (as defined in section 101(27) of the Bankruptcy Code) or public officials from enforcing Safety Laws or General Laws.
 - ii. Within five business days after entry of this Interim Order, or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter, the Debtors will serve by first-class mail, copies of this Interim Order, the proposed Final Order, and the Sale Guidelines on the following:

 (a) the Attorney General's office for each state where the Sales are being held;

 (b) the Board of Pharmacy's office for each state where a Closing Store is located;

 (c) the county consumer protection agency or similar agency for each county where the Sales are being held; (d) the division of consumer protection for each state

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where the Sales are being held; (e) the landlords for the Closing Store; and (f) any subtenants (if any) under the leases with respect to the Closing Stores (collectively, the "<u>Dispute Notice Parties</u>").

- iii. With respect to any Additional Closing Stores, within five business days after filing any Additional Closing Store List (as defined below) with the Court, or as soon as reasonably practicable thereafter, the Debtors will serve copies of this Interim Order, the proposed (or entered) Final Order, and the Sale Guidelines on the applicable Dispute Notice Parties.
- iv. To the extent that there is a dispute arising from or relating to the Sales, this Interim Order, or the Sale Guidelines, which dispute relates to any Liquidation Sale Laws (a "Reserved Dispute"), the Court shall retain exclusive jurisdiction to resolve the Reserved Dispute. Within ten days following entry of this Interim Order, or service of an Additional Closing Store List, any Governmental Unit may assert that a Reserved Dispute exists by serving a notice (the "Dispute Notice") explaining the nature of the dispute on: (a) Kirkland & Ellis LLP, 601 Lexington Avenue, New York, New York 10022, Attn: Joshua A. Sussberg, P.C., Aparna Yenamandra, P.C.; Ross J. Fiedler, and Zachary R. Manning; (b) Cole Schotz, P.C., Court Plaza North, 25 Main Street, Hackensack, New Jersey 07601, Attn: Michael D. Sirota, Warren A. Usatine, Felice R. Yudkin, and Seth Van Aalten; (c) Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP, 1285 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10019 (Attn: Andrew N. Rosenberg (arosenberg@paulweiss.com); Brian S. Hermann (bhermann@paulweiss.com); and Christopher **Hopkins** (chopkins@paulweiss.com) and Fox Rothschild LLP, 49 Market Street, Morristown, NJ 07960 (Attn: Howard A. Cohen (hcohen@foxrothschild.com); Joseph J. DiPasquale (jdipasquale@foxrothschild.com) and Michael R. Herz (mherz@foxrothschild.com), counsel for the Ad Hoc Secured Noteholder Group; (d) the United States Trustee for the District of New Jersey, One Newark Center, Suite 2100, Newark, NJ 07102, Attn: Jeffrey M. Sponder and Lauren Bielskie; (e) Choate, Hall & Stewart LLP, Two International Place, Boston, MA 02110 John F. Ventola (jventola@choate.com), Jonathan D. (jmarshall@choate.com) and Mark D. Silva (msilva@choate.com) and Greenberg Traurig, LLP, 500 Campus Drive, Suite 400, Florham Park NJ 07932 (Attn: Alan J. Brody (brodya@gtlaw.com), Oscar N. Pinkas (pinkaso@gtlaw.com)) (the "Counsel to the DIP Agents") (f) counsel to any statutory committee appointed in these chapter 11 cases; and (g) the affected landlord or its known counsel. If the Debtors and the Governmental Unit are unable to resolve the Reserved Dispute within fifteen days after service of the Dispute Notice, the Governmental Unit may file a motion with the Court requesting that the Court resolve the Reserved Dispute (a "Dispute Resolution Motion").

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If a Dispute Resolution Motion is filed, nothing in this Interim Order shall preclude v. the Debtors, a landlord, or any other interested party from asserting (a) that the provisions of any Liquidation Sale Laws are preempted by the Bankruptcy Code, or (b) that neither the terms of this Interim Order, nor the conduct of the Debtors pursuant to this Interim Order, violates such Liquidation Sale Laws. The filing of a Dispute Resolution Motion as set forth herein shall not be deemed to affect the finality of this Interim Order or to limit or interfere with the Debtors' ability to conduct or to continue to conduct the Sales pursuant to this Interim Order absent further order of the Court. Upon the entry of this Interim Order, the Court expressly authorizes the Debtors to conduct the Sales pursuant to the terms of the Interim Order and the Sale Guidelines (as may be modified by Side Letters) and to take all actions reasonably related thereto or arising in connection therewith. Governmental Unit will be entitled to assert any jurisdictional, procedural, or substantive arguments it wishes with respect to the requirements of its Liquidation Sale Laws or the lack of any preemption of such Liquidation Sale Laws by the Bankruptcy Code. Nothing in this Interim Order will constitute a ruling with respect to any issues to be raised in any Dispute Resolution Motion.

- vi. If, at any time, a dispute arises between the Debtors and a Governmental Unit as to whether a particular law is a Liquidation Sale Law, and subject to any provisions contained in this Interim Order related to the Liquidation Sale Laws, then any party to that dispute may utilize the provisions of subparagraphs (iv) and (v) above by serving a notice to the other party and proceeding thereunder in accordance with those paragraphs. Any determination with respect to whether a particular law is a Liquidation Sale Law shall be made *de novo*.
- 28. Subject to paragraphs 26 and 27 above, each and every federal, state, or local agency, department, or Governmental Unit with regulatory authority over the Store Closings or the Sales and all newspapers and other advertising media in which the Sales are advertised shall consider this Interim Order as binding authority that no further approval, license, or permit of any Governmental Unit shall be required, nor shall the Debtors be required to post any bond, to conduct the Sales.
- 29. Provided that the Store Closings and the Sales are conducted in accordance with the terms of this Interim Order and the Sale Guidelines (as may be modified by Side Letters) and in

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light of the provisions in the laws that exempt court-ordered sales from their provisions, the Debtors shall be presumed to be in compliance with any Liquidation Sale Laws and are authorized to conduct the Store Closings and the Sales in accordance with the terms of this Interim Order and the Sale Guidelines (as may be modified by Side Letters) without the necessity of further showing compliance with any such Liquidation Sale Laws.

30. Nothing in this Interim Order, the Sale Guidelines, or any Side Letter releases, nullifies, or enjoins the enforcement of any liability to a Governmental Unit under environmental laws or regulations (or any associated liabilities for penalties, damages, cost recovery, or injunctive relief) to which any entity would be subject as the owner, lessor, lessee, or operator of the property after the date of entry of this Interim Order. Nothing contained in this Interim Order, the Sale Guidelines, or any Side Letter shall in any way: (a) diminish the obligation of any entity to comply with environmental laws; or (b) diminish the obligations of the Debtors to comply with environmental laws consistent with their rights and obligations as debtors in possession under the Bankruptcy Code.

V. Other Provisions.

31. To the extent the Debtors are subject to any Fast Pay Laws in connection with the Store Closings, the Debtors shall be presumed to be in compliance with such laws to the extent, in applicable states, such payroll payments are made by the later of: (a) the Debtors' next regularly scheduled payroll; and (b) seven calendar days following the termination date of the relevant

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employee, and in all such cases consistent with, and subject to, any previous orders of this Court regarding payment of same.

32. Notwithstanding the relief granted in this Interim Order and any actions taken pursuant to such relief, nothing in this Interim Order shall be deemed: (a) an admission as to the validity of any particular claim against the Debtors; (b) a waiver of the Debtors' rights to dispute any particular claim on any grounds; (c) a promise or requirement to pay any particular claim; (d) an implication or admission that any particular claim is of a type specified or defined in this Interim Order or the Motion; (e) an authorization to assume any agreement, contract, or lease, pursuant to section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code; (f) a waiver or limitation of the Debtors', or any other party in interest's, rights under the Bankruptcy Code or any other applicable law; or (g) a concession by the Debtors that any liens (contractual, common law, statutory, or otherwise) that may be satisfied pursuant to the Motion or this Interim Order are valid, and the rights of all parties are expressly reserved to contest the extent, validity, or perfection or seek avoidance of all such liens. Any payment made pursuant to this Interim Order is not intended and should not be construed as an admission as to the validity of any particular claim or a waiver of the Debtors' rights to subsequently dispute such claim.

33. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Motion or this Interim Order, any payment to be made, obligation incurred, or relief or authorization granted hereunder shall not be inconsistent with, and shall be subject to and in compliance with, the requirements imposed on the Debtors under the terms of each interim and final order entered by the Court in respect of the *Debtors' Motion for Entry of Interim and Final Orders (I) Authorizing the Debtors*

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To (A) Obtain Postpetition Financing and (B) Utilize Cash Collateral, (II) Granting Liens and Superpriority Administrative Expense Claims, (III) Granting Adequate Protection, (IV) Modifying the Automatic Stay, (V) Scheduling a Final Hearing, and (VI) Granting Related Relief, filed substantially contemporaneously herewith (such orders, the "DIP Orders"), including compliance with any budget or cash flow forecast in connection therewith and any other terms and conditions thereof. Nothing herein is intended to modify, alter, or waive, in any way, any terms, provisions, requirements, or restrictions of the DIP Orders and to the extent of any conflict or inconsistency between this Interim Order and the DIP Orders, the DIP Orders shall govern and control.

- 34. On a confidential basis and upon the written (including email) request of the U.S. Trustee (which request has been made), any statutory committee appointed in these chapter 11 cases, or the advisors to the Ad Hoc Secured Noteholder Group, the Debtors shall provide copies of periodic reports on a monthly basis concerning the Sales and Store Closings that are prepared by the Debtors or their professionals; *provided*, however, that the foregoing shall not require the Debtors or their professionals to prepare or undertake to prepare any additional or new reports other than the monthly Sales and Store Closing reports.
- 35. The requirements set forth in Bankruptcy Rule 6003(b) are satisfied by the contents of the Motion or otherwise deemed waived.
- 36. The Debtors are authorized to take all actions necessary to effectuate the relief granted pursuant to this Interim Order in accordance with the Motion.
- 37. Notwithstanding any Bankruptcy Rule to the contrary, this Interim Order shall be effective and enforceable immediately upon entry hereof.

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38. Notice of the Motion as provided therein shall be deemed good and sufficient notice of such Motion and the requirements of Bankruptcy Rule 6004(a) and the Local Rules are satisfied

by such notice.

39. The requirement set forth in Local Rule 9013-1(a)(3) that any motion be

accompanied by a memorandum of law is hereby deemed satisfied by the contents of the Motion

or otherwise waived.

40. The Debtors shall serve a copy of this Interim Order and the Motion on all parties

required to receive such service pursuant to Local Rule 9013-5(f) within two business days after

the entry of this Interim Order.

41. Any party may move for modification of this Interim Order in accordance with

Local Rule 9013-5(e).

42. This Court retains exclusive jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or

related to the implementation, interpretation, and enforcement of this Interim Order

43. This Court shall retain jurisdiction with regard to all issues or disputes relating to

this Interim Order, including, but not limited to: (a) any claim or issue relating to any efforts by

any party or person to prohibit, restrict or in any way limit banner and sign-walker advertising,

including with respect to any allegations that such advertising is not being conducted in a safe,

professional, and non-deceptive manner; (b) any claim of the Debtors and/or the landlords for

protection from interference with the Store Closings or Sales; (c) any other disputes related to the

Store Closings or Sales; and (d) protect the Debtors against any assertions of any liens, claims,

encumbrances, and other interests. No such parties or person shall take any action in respect of

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the Debtors, the landlords, the Store Closings, or the Sales until this Court has resolved such dispute. This Court shall hear the request of such parties or persons with respect to any such disputes on an expedited basis, as may be appropriate under the circumstances.

Schedule 1

Initial Closing Stores

No.	Store No.	Property Address	City	State	Zip Code
1	213	2715 PARADE STREET	ERIE	PA	16504
2	225	5612 N. FIFTH STREET	PHILADELPHIA	PA	19120
3	365	728 EAST PULASKI HIGHWAY	ELKTON	MD	21921
4	374	5624 BALTIMORE NATIONAL PK	BALTIMORE	MD	21228
5	385	5804 RITCHIE HIGHWAY	BALTIMORE	MD	21225
6	443	350 MAIN STREET	PENNSBURG	PA	18073
7	553	4011 COTTMAN AVENUE	PHILADELPHIA	PA	19135
8	558	1441 OLD YORK ROAD	ABINGTON	PA	19001
9	761	2887 HARLEM ROAD	CHEEKTOWAGA	NY	14225
10	803	300 MARKET STREET	JOHNSTOWN	PA	15901
11	850	8716 NEW FALLS ROAD	LEVITTOWN	PA	19054
12	852	11750 BUSTLETON AVENUE	PHILADELPHIA	PA	19116
13	857	169 WEST LANCASTER AVENUE	ARDMORE	PA	19003
14	1070	420 DANIEL WEBSTER HIGHWAY	MERRIMACK	NH	03054
15	1288	1315 EAST WASHINGTON LANE	PHILADELPHIA	PA	19138
16		924 WEST MAIN STREET	FREMONT	MI	49412
17		507 N LAFAYETTE STREET	GREENVILLE	MI	48838
18		715 SOUTH CLINTON STREET	GRAND LEDGE	MI	48837
19		801 WYOMING AVENUE STE 9	WEST PITTSTON	PA	18643
20		657 HEACOCK ROAD	YARDLEY	PA	19067
21		2801 W. DAUPHIN STREET	PHILADELPHIA	PA	19132
22		4057 ASBURY AVE STE 8	TINTON FALLS	NJ	07753
23		1709 LIBERTY STREET	ERIE	PA	16502
24		7501 RITCHIE HIGHWAY	GLEN BURNIE	MD	21061
25		674 ROUTE 196, STE 14	TOBYHANNA	PA	18466
26		431 HALEDON AVENUE	HALEDON	NJ	07508
27		35 MILL ROAD	IRVINGTON	NJ	07300
28		2722 WEST 9TH STREET	CHESTER	PA	19013
29		3129 LINCOLN WAY EAST	MASSILLON	OH	44646
30		950 EAST BALTIMORE PIKE	YEADON	PA	19050
31		1636 ROUTE 38 SUITE 49	LUMBERTON	NJ	08048
32		120 SOUTH MAIN STREET	NEW CARLISLE	OH	
33		8235 STENTON AVENUE	PHILADELPHIA		45344
			_	PA	19150
34		146 WOODMAN DRIVE	DAYTON	OH	45431
35		2701 MARKET STREET	YOUNGSTOWN	OH	44507
36		401 WEST NORTH STREET	SPRINGFIELD	OH	45504
37		7941 OXFORD AVENUE	PHILADELPHIA	PA	19111
38		136 NORTH 63RD STREET	PHILADELPHIA	PA	19139
39		773 HAMILTON STREET	SOMERSET	NJ	08873
40		5440 LANSDOWNE AVENUE	PHILADELPHIA	PA	19131
41		7967 BALTIMORE ANNAPOLIS BLVD	GLEN BURNIE	MD	21060
42		15250 24 MILE ROAD	MACOMB	MI	48042
43		2002 AVENUE U	BROOKLYN	NY	11229
44		1434 S BLACK HORSE PIKE	WILLIAMSTOWN	NJ	08094
45		102 NORTH CENTERVILLE ROAD	STURGIS	MI	49091
46		47300 PONTIAC TRAIL	WIXOM	MI	48393
47		35250 SOUTH GRATIOT AVENUE	CLINTON TWP.	MI	48035
48	4321	51037 VAN DYKE AVENUE	SHELBY TOWNSHIP	MI	48316
49		3100 EAST MICHIGAN AVENUE	JACKSON	MI	49202
50		9155 TELEGRAPH ROAD	TAYLOR	MI	48180
51	4407	1243 U.S. 31 SOUTH	MANISTEE	MI	49660
52	4466	29447 FORD ROAD	GARDEN CITY	MI	48135

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53	4504	2838 EAST COURT STREET	FLINT	MI	48506
54	4526	1900 EAST 8 MILE ROAD	DETROIT	MI	48234
55	4537	36485 GARFIELD ROAD	CLINTON TWP.	MI	48035
56	4548	25922 MIDDLEBELT ROAD	FARMINGTON HILLS	MI	48336
57	4552	2 WHITNEY AVENUE	FLORAL PARK	NY	11001
58	4577	109 NORTH WHITTEMORE STREET	ST. JOHNS	MI	48879
59	4616	208 EAST CENTRAL AVENUE	TITUSVILLE	PA	16354
60	4706	833 NORTH BATTLEFIELD BLVD	CHESAPEAKE	VA	23320
61	4761	1124 NORTH BALLENGER HWY.	FLINT	MI	48504
62	4767	230 SOUTH MAIN STREET	BELLEFONTAINE	ОН	43311
63	4770	2701 SOUTH CEDAR STREET	LANSING	MI	48910
64		71-18 KISSENA BOULEVARD	FLUSHING	NY	11367
65		3131 HEMPSTEAD TURNPIKE	LEVITTOWN	NY	11756
66		601 SOUTH GRADY WAY,STE.P	RENTON	WA	98057
67		3202 132ND STREET, S.E.	MILL CREEK	WA	98012
68		110 SW 148TH STREET	BURIEN	WA	98166
69		10103 EVERGREEN WAY	EVERETT	WA	98204
70		8230 MARTIN WAY EAST	LACEY	WA	98516
71		2440 SE CESAR E CHAVEZ BLVD	PORTLAND	OR	97214
71		1600 NORTH MAIN STREET	MERIDIAN	ID	83642
73				ID ID	
		5005 WEST OVERLAND ROAD	BOISE		83705
74		4044 EAGLE ROCK BOULEVARD	LOS ANGELES	CA	90065
75		4046 SOUTH CENTINELA AVENUE	LOS ANGELES	CA	90066
76		7859 FIRESTONE BOULEVARD	DOWNEY	CA	90241
77		4402 ATLANTIC AVENUE	LONG BEACH	CA	90807
78		935 NORTH HOLLYWOOD WAY	BURBANK	CA	91505
79		139 NORTH GRAND AVENUE	COVINA	CA	91724
80		13905 AMAR ROAD	LA PUENTE	CA	91746
81	5611	920 EAST VALLEY BOULEVARD	ALHAMBRA	CA	91801
82		3813 PLAZA DRIVE	OCEANSIDE	CA	92056
83	5638	1670 MAIN STREET	RAMONA	CA	92065
84	5657	6505 MISSION GORGE ROAD	SAN DIEGO	CA	92120
85	5661	8985 MIRA MESA BOULEVARD	SAN DIEGO	CA	92126
86	5730	25906 NEWPORT ROAD	MENIFEE	CA	92584
87	5735	24829 DEL PRADO	DANA POINT	CA	92629
88	5753	30222 CROWN VALLEY PARKWAY	LAGUNA NIGUEL	CA	92677
89	5757	19701 YORBA LINDA BOULEVARD	YORBA LINDA	CA	92886
90	5760	1406 WEST EDINGER AVENUE	SANTA ANA	CA	92704
91	5772	2738 EAST THOMPSON BLVD.	VENTURA	CA	93003
92	5780	720 NORTH VENTURA ROAD	OXNARD	CA	93030
93	5967	20572 HOMESTEAD ROAD	CUPERTINO	CA	95014
94	5976	2620 EL CAMINO REAL	SANTA CLARA	CA	95051
95	5979	901 SOQUEL AVENUE	SANTA CRUZ	CA	95062
96	6001	571 BELLEVUE ROAD	ATWATER	CA	95301
97		5409 SUNRISE BOULEVARD	CITRUS HEIGHTS	CA	95610
98		1309 FULTON AVENUE	SACRAMENTO	CA	95825
99		3029 HARBOR BOULEVARD	COSTA MESA	CA	92626
100		959 CRENSHAW BOULEVARD	LOS ANGELES	CA	90019
101		3000 SOUTH ARCHIBALD AVENUE	ONTARIO	CA	91761
101		15800 IMPERIAL HIGHWAY	LA MIRADA	CA	90638
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103	6504	22201 MERIDIAN AVENUE E	IGRAHAM	WA	98338

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105	6769	499 ALVARADO STREET	MONTEREY	CA	93940
106	6908	9600 15TH AVE SW	SEATTLE	WA	98106
107	6915	2518 196TH ST SW	LYNNWOOD	WA	98036
108	6920	3620 FACTORIA BLVD SE	BELLEVUE	WA	98006
109	6927	11919 NE 8TH STREET	BELLEVUE	WA	98005
110	6952	7370 170TH AVE NE	REDMOND	WA	98052
111	7827	1080 S WEST END BLVD	QUAKERTOWN	PA	18951
112	10092	80 EAST MAIN STREET	WEBSTER	MA	01570
113	10382	289 GREENWOOD AVE.	BETHEL	СТ	06801
114	10415	3 MARSHALL HILL ROAD	WEST MILFORD	NJ	07480
115	10449	210 BRIDGETON PIKE	MANTUA	NJ	08051
116	10456	108 SWEDESBORO ROAD SUITE 20	MULLICA HILL	NJ	08062
117	10505	2370 ROUTE 33	ROBBINSVILLE	NJ	08691
118		1726 ROUTE 37 EAST	TOMS RIVER	NJ	08753
119	10517	86 B LACEY ROAD	WHITING	NJ	08759
120	10586	2981 OCEAN AVENUE	BROOKLYN	NY	11235
121		3199 LONG BEACH ROAD	OCEANSIDE	NY	11572
122		198 WEST MERRICK ROAD	VALLEY STREAM	NY	11580
123		836 SUNRISE HIGHWAY	BAY SHORE	NY	11706
124		2784 SUNRISE HIGHWAY	BELLMORE	NY	11710
125		901 MERRICK ROAD	COPIAGUE	NY	11726
126		577 LARKFIELD ROAD	EAST NORTHPORT	NY	11731
127		695 EAST JERICHO TURNPIKE	HUNTINGTON STATION	NY	11746
128		700-43 PATCHOGUE-YAPHANK ROAD	MEDFORD	NY	11763
129		273 PINE HOLLOW ROAD	OYSTER BAY	NY	11771
130		397 SUNRISE HIGHWAY	WEST PATCHOGUE	NY	11772
131		593 OLD TOWN RD.	PORT JEFF STATION	NY	11776
132		65 ROUTE 111	SMITHTOWN	NY	11787
133		2453 ELMWOOD AVENUE	KENMORE	NY	14217
134		1567 PENFIELD ROAD	ROCHESTER	NY	14625
135		700 STEVENSON BLVD.	NEW KENSINGTON	PA	15068
136		351 BRIGHTON AVENUE	ROCHESTER	PA	15074
137		5235 LIBRARY ROAD	BETHEL PARK	PA	15102
138		5990 UNIVERSITY BLVD STE30	MOON TOWNSHIP	PA	15102
139		2501 SAW MILL RUN BLVD	PITTSBURGH	PA	15234
140		5410 KEEPORT DRIVE	PITTSBURGH	PA	15234
141		6090 ROUTE 30	GREENSBURG	PA	15601
142		4830 WILLIAM PENN HIGHWAY	EXPORT	PA	15632
143 144		1730 WILMINGTON ROAD 2178 W. UNION BLVD.	NEW CASTLE	PA	16105
			BETHLEHEM	PA	18018
145		1628 SOUTH FOURTH STREET	ALLENTOWN	PA	18103
146		2401 EAST VENANGO STREET	PHILADELPHIA	PA	19134
147		6327-43 TORRESDALE AVENUE	PHILADELPHIA	PA	19135
148		200 W. RIDGE AVENUE STE 112	CONSHOHOCKEN	PA	19428
149		25 CHESTNUT HILL PLAZA	NEWARK	DE	19713
150		3209 KIRKWOOD HIGHWAY	WILMINGTON	DE	19808
151		5 BEL AIR SOUTH PKY, SUITE1347	BEL AIR	MD	21015
152 153		1458 MOUNT PLEASANT ROAD	CHESAPEAKE	VA	23322
4 5 0 1	12999	301 EISENHOWER DRIVE	HANOVER	PA	17331

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Sale Guidelines

Sale Guidelines¹

- 1. The Sales shall be conducted so that the Closing Stores in which sales are to occur will remain open no longer than during the normal hours of operation or such hours as otherwise provided for in the respective leases for the Closing Stores.
- 2. The Sales shall be conducted in accordance with applicable state and local "Blue Laws," where applicable, so that no Sale shall be conducted on Sunday unless the Debtors had been operating such Closing Store on a Sunday prior to the commencement of the Sales.
- 3. On "shopping center" property, the Debtors shall not distribute handbills, leaflets or other written materials to customers outside of any Closing Stores' premises, unless permitted by the lease or if distribution is customary in the "shopping center" in which such Closing Store is located; *provided* that the Debtors may solicit customers in the Closing Stores themselves. On "shopping center" property, the Debtors shall not use any flashing lights or amplified sound to advertise the Sales or solicit customers, except as permitted under the applicable lease or agreed to by the landlord.
- 4. At the conclusion of the Sale, the Debtors shall vacate the Closing Stores. The Debtors will have the option to remove the Non-Prescription Assets, at their own cost prior to the Termination Date.
- 5. The Debtors may advertise the Sales as "store closing", "sale on everything", "everything must go", "everything on sale", "going-out-of-business" or similar-themed sales. The Debtors may also have a "countdown to closing" sign prominently displayed in a manner consistent with these Sale Guidelines. All signs, banners, ads and other advertising material, promotions, and campaigns will be approved by the Debtors, prior to purchase, in accordance with these Sale Guidelines.
- 6. The Debtors shall be permitted to utilize sign-walkers, display, hanging signs, and interior banners in connection with the Sales; *provided* that such sign walkers, display, hanging signs, and interior banners shall be professionally produced and hung in a professional manner. The Debtors shall not use neon or day-glo on its sign walkers, display, hanging signs, or interior banners. Furthermore, with respect to enclosed mall locations, no exterior signs or signs in common areas of a mall shall be used unless otherwise expressly permitted in these Sale Guidelines. In addition, the Debtors shall be permitted to utilize exterior banners at (a) non-enclosed mall Closing Stores and (b) enclosed mall Closing Stores to the extent the entrance to the applicable Closing Store does not require entry into the enclosed mall common area; *provided*, *however*, that such banners shall be located or hung so as to make clear that the Sales are being conducted only at the affected Closing Store, and shall not be wider than the storefront of the Closing Store. In addition, the Debtors shall be permitted to utilize sign walkers in a safe and professional manner and in accordance with the terms of the Order. Nothing contained in these Sale Guidelines shall

Capitalized terms used but not defined in these Sale Guidelines have the meanings given to them in the *Debtors'* Motion for Entry of Interim and Final Orders (I) Authorizing and Approving the Conduct of Store Closing Sales, with Such Sales to Be Free and Clear of All Liens, Claims, and Encumbrances, and (II) Granting Related Relief.

- be construed to create or impose upon the Debtors any additional restrictions not contained in the applicable lease agreement.
- 7. Conspicuous signs shall be posted in the cash register areas of each of the affected Closing Stores to effect that "all sales are final."
- 8. Except with respect to the hanging of exterior banners, the Debtors shall not make any alterations to the storefront or exterior walls of any Closing Stores, except as authorized by the applicable lease.
- 9. The Debtors shall not make any alterations to interior or exterior Closing Store lighting, except as authorized by the applicable lease. No property of the landlord of a Closing Store shall be removed or sold during the Sales. The hanging of exterior banners or in-Closing Store signage and banners shall not constitute an alteration to a Closing Store.
- 10. The Debtors shall keep Closing Store premises and surrounding areas clear and orderly consistent with present practices.
- 11. The Debtors and the landlord of any Store are authorized to enter into Side Letters without further order of the Court, provided that such agreements do not have a material adverse effect on the Debtors or their estates.
- 12. The Debtors may advertise the sale of owned Non-Prescription Assets in a manner consistent with these Sale Guidelines. The purchasers of any owned Non-Prescription Assets sold during the sale shall be permitted to remove the owned Non-Prescription Assets either through the back or alternative shipping areas at any time, or through other areas after applicable business hours, *provided*, *however*, that the foregoing shall not apply to *de minimis* sales of Non-Prescription Assets made whereby the item can be carried out of the Closing Store in a shopping bag.
- 13. At the conclusion of the Sales at each Closing Store, pending assumption or rejection of applicable leases, the landlords of the Closing Stores shall have reasonable access to the Closing Stores' premises as set forth in the applicable leases. The Debtors and their agents and representatives shall continue to have access to the Closing Stores pending assumption or rejection of applicable leases.
- 14. The rights of landlords against Debtors for any damages to a Closing Store shall be reserved in accordance with the provisions of the applicable lease.
- 15. The Debtors are authorized to conduct and consummate sales and internal transfers of Prescription Assets consistent with their historical practices, in accordance with applicable law.
- 16. If and to the extent that the landlord of any Closing Store affected hereby contends that the Debtors are in breach of or default under these Sale Guidelines, such landlord shall email or deliver written notice by overnight delivery on the Debtors as follows:

Rite Aid Corporation 1200 Intrepid Avenue, 2nd Floor Philadelphia, PA 19112

Attention: Chief Legal Officer

with copies (which shall not constitute notice) to:

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