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### IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS AUSTIN DIVISION

IN RE:	§	
UPH HOLDINGS, INC.	§	CASE NO. 13-10570
PAC-WEST TELECOMM, INC.	§	CASE NO. 13-10571
<b>TEX-LINK COMMUNICATIONS, INC.</b>	§	CASE NO. 13-10572
<b>UNIPOINT HOLDINGS, INC.</b>	§	CASE NO. 13-10572
UNIPOINT ENHANCED SERVICES,	§	CASE NO. 13-10572 CASE NO. 13-10573 CASE NO. 13-10574 CASE NO. 13-10575
INC.	§	
UNIPOINT SERVICES, INC.	§	CASE NO. 13-10575
NWIRE, LLC	§	CASE NO. 13-10576
PEERING PARTNERS	§	
<b>COMMUNICATIONS, LLC</b>	§	
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DEBTORS.	§	CHAPTER 11
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EIN: 45-1144038; 68-0383568; 74-	§	
2729541; 20-3399903; 74-3023729; 38-	§	
3659257; 37-1441383; 27-2200110; 27-	§	
4254637	§	
	§	
6500 RIVER PL. BLVD., BLDG. 2, # 200	§	JOINTLY ADMINISTERED UNDER
AUSTIN, TEXAS 78730	§	CASE NO. 13-10570-TMD

#### QSI CONSULTING, INC.'S FIRST FEE REQUEST FOR PAYMENT OF COMPENSATION AND REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES FOR THE PERIOD FROM MAY 31, 2013 THROUGH AND INCLUDING JUNE 30, 2013

TO THE HONORABLE TONY M. DAVIS:

THIS PLEADING REQUESTS RELIEF THAT MAY BE ADVERSE TO YOUR INTERESTS.

IF NO TIMELY RESPONSE IS FILED WITHIN TEN (10) DAYS FROM THE DATE OF SERVICE, THE RELIEF REQUESTED HEREIN MAY BE GRANTED WITHOUT A HEARING BEING HELD.

# A TIMELY FILED RESPONSE IS NECESSARY FOR A HEARING TO BE HELD.

QSI Consulting, Inc. ("QSI") has applied, pursuant to the Order Granting

Debtors' Motion for Order Establishing Monthly Fee and Expense Reimbursement Procedures

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(the "<u>Procedures Order</u>") entered by this Court on May 15, 2013 (Docket Entry No. 186), for payment to QSI of interim compensation for services rendered and reimbursement of expenses incurred during the period commencing May 31, 2013 through June 30, 2013.<sup>1</sup>

QSI seeks payment of interim compensation in the total amount of \$11,520.66.

This total is 80% of the fees for services rendered. QSI incurred no expenses during this time

period. Summaries of the fees are attached hereto as Exhibit A.

Pursuant to the Order, any party objecting to the payment of interim

compensation and reimbursement of expenses as requested must file a written objection with the

Court and serve a copy delivered by U.S. mail and e-mail to the following parties within ten (10)

days after the date of mailing this notice:

- UPH Holdings, Inc./Pac-West Telecomm, Inc./Tex-Link Communications, Inc./UniPoint Services, Inc./nWire, LLC/Peering Partners Communications, Inc., 6500 River Place Bldg., Bldg. 2, Suite 200, Austin, Texas, 78730 (Attn: J. Michael Holloway, President);
- (b) Counsel to the Debtors, Jackson Walker L.L.P., 100 Congress Avenue, Suite 100, Austin, Texas, 78701 (Attn: Patricia Tomasco, ptomasco@jw.com, and Jennifer F. Wertz, jwertz@jw.com);
- (c) Office of the United States Trustee, 903 San Jacinto Blvd., Suite 230, Austin, Texas 78701 (Attn: Valerie Wenger);
- (d) Counsel for the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors, Kelley Drye & Warren LLP, 101 Park Avenue, New York, New York 10178 (Attn: Kristin Elliott, kelliott@kelleydrye.com and Craig A. Wolfe, cwolfe@kelleydrye.com);
- (e) Any other creditor or party in interest who requests notice; and
- (f) Counsel for Hercules Technology II, LP, Cole Schotz, Meisel, Forman & Leonard, P.A., 25 Main Street, Hackensack, New Jersey 07601 (Attn: Stuart Komrower).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> On July 26, 2013, the Court entered an order authorizing the Committee's retention of QSI *nunc pro tunc* to May 31, 2013. (Docket Entry No. 455).

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If an objection is timely filed and served, the Debtors will pay QSI only those amounts not in dispute until the Court hears and resolves such disputes. Any disputed amount must have a description of the objection to each line item in dispute; it shall not be sufficient to simply object to all fees and expenses.

Respectfully submitted,

By: <u>/s/ Craig A. Wolfe</u> Craig A. Wolfe (admitted pro hac vice) Kristin S. Elliott (admitted pro hac vice) KELLEY DRYE & WARREN LLP 101 Park Avenue New York, New York 10178 Tel: (212) 808-7800 Fax: (212) 808-7897

Counsel for the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors of UPH Holdings, Inc., et al.

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

This will certify that on the 8th day of August, 2013, I served a true and correct copy of the foregoing pleading, via the Court's CM/ECF notification system and/or regular first class mail, on the persons and entities listed on the attached Master Service List.

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## EXHIBIT A

Time and Expense Records

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	Invoice
Date	Invoice #
07/30/2013	130614
	Due Date
	08/29/2013

#### Bill To

258 - Creditor Committee 258 - UPH Creditor Committee

Date	Activity	Quantity	Rate	Amount
06/03/2013	258.101 - AR Review & Analysis 06/03/2013 Reviewed - Warren K. riscner	0:30	250.00	125.00
06/04/2013	06/04/2013 Reviewed ; review ; discussed	1:00	250.00	250.00
06/04/2013	with Mike Starkey to (0.25) Warren R. Fischer Review materials provided. Research	3:50	280.00	1,073.33
	Research . Review both in light of Prepare initial questions for Kristin to pose to Debtor counsel Michael T. Starkey			
06/06/2013	<b>06/06/2013</b> Follow up with Kristen on data needs, gain access to Data Room, review files in Data Room, various calls (Warren/Kristin). Express	0:45	280.00	210.00
06/06/2013	Michael T. Starkey Reviewed financial documents posted to the data room used by UPH Holdings Warren R. Fischer	1:00	250.00	250.00
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Date	Activity	Quantity	Rate	Amount
	06/07/2013			
06/07/2013	Reviewed documents in data room	1:00	250.00	250.00
	` discussed status of review with Kristin Elliot Warren R. Fischer			
	06/10/2013			
06/10/2013	Prepared an analysis of	2:30	250.00	625.00
	; also			
	Warren R. Fischer			
	06/11/2013			
06/11/2013	Completed preliminary analysis of the , discussed same with Mike Starkey; reviewed various documents ;	3:00	250.00	750.00
	call with Mike Starkey and John Palmer of Tamarack Associates to discuss I reviewed ; revised - Warren R.			
06/11/2013	Fischer Work with KDW to get access to new data sources	2:45	280.00	770.00
	discussion with Mr. Palmer. Research new data and evaluate usefulness. Discussions with Warren regarding new data, assign tasks, etc Michael T. Starkey			
	06/12/2013			
06/12/2013	Reviewed prior to the status meeting with the unsecured creditor committee; participated in the status meeting with the unsecured creditor committee; call with Mike Starkey and Kristin Elliot following the status meeting to discuss next steps; prepared analysis of	5:00	250.00	1,250.00
	Warren R. Fischer			
	06/13/2013			
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Date	Activity	Quantity	Rate	Amount
06/13/2013	Prepare "Quick Update" for Creditor Committee call. Attend Creditor Committee call and provide update on progress. Call with Counsel to discuss moving forward. Discussions with Warren and review and analysis of available materials Michael T. Starkev	4:00	280.00	1,120.00
06/13/2013	Call with to discuss . Analyze Michael T. Starkey	1:00	280.00	280.00
06/14/2013	06/14/2013 Reviewed documentation	2:00	250.00	500.00
06/15/2013	R. Fischer 06/15/2013 Reviewed documentation	2:30	250.00	625.00
	to - Warren R. Fischer 06/17/2013		-	
06/17/2013	Review Warren's analysis, begin - Michael T. Starkey	3:20	280.00	933.33
06/18/2013	06/18/2013 Reviewed documents posted to the Data Room to	0:30	250.00	125.00
	Warren R.			
06/18/2013	Fischer Draft - Michael T. Starkey	6:00	280.00	1,680.00
06/19/2013	06/19/2013 Reviewed the received from the Debtors to	0:15	250.00	62.50
06/19/2013	communicated results of my review to the Creditors' counsel Warren R. Fischer Draft i - Michael T. Starkey	1:45	280.00	490.00
	06/20/2013			
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06/20/2013	Reviewed and edited	1:45	250.00	437.50
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6/20/2013	Warren R. Fischer	2:30	280.00	700.00
0, 10, 2013	Michael T. Starkey	2.00	200.00	100100
06/20/2013	930-1030A: review and edits sent to team - Patrick L. Phipps	1:00	250.00	250.00
	06/21/2013			
06/21/2013	Reviewed the UPH Bid Procedures Motion and the	1:15	250.00	312.50
	Asset Purchase Agreement; participated in the status call with the unsecured creditors committee; reviewed			
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	- Warren R. Fischer			
06/21/2013	Finalize	1:00	280.00	280.00
	, attend weekly Committee call Michael T.			
	Starkey			
	06/25/2013			
06/25/2013	Reviewed	0:15	250.00	62.50
	- Warren R. Fischer			
	06/26/2013			
06/26/2013	Call with Craig Wolf and Kristin Elliott to discuss	0:45	250.00	187.50
	(U/b) Warren R. Fischer			
06/28/2013	06/28/2013 Conference call with counsel and the unsecured	0:30	250.00	125.00
JO/ 20/ 2013	creditors committee for an update on the Debtors' sale	0:30	250.00	125.00
	activities and			
06/28/2013	Warren R. Fischer Quick call with Counsel prior to Committee call,	0:45	280.00	210.00
507 207 2015	Committee call - Michael T. Starkey	0.45	200.00	
	SUBTOTAL - 258.101 - AR Review & Analysis =			
	\$13,934.16			
	258.102 - Sales Related Analysis			
	06/26/2013			
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140.0	280.00	0:30	Quick call with Counsel re: Michael T. Starkey SUBTOTAL - 258.102 - Sales Related Analysis = \$140.00	06/26/2013
			258.103 - Retention Related 06/11/2013	
326.6	280.00	1:10	Review and Edit affidavit, LOE, discussions with Counsel, finalize and provide to Counsel for filing Michael T. Starkey SUBTOTAL - 258.103 - Retention Related = \$326.67	06/11/2013
\$14,400	Total			