# ONTARIO SUPERIOR COURT OF JUSTICE COMMERCIAL LIST

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#### THE HONOURABLE MR.

JUSTICE KOEHNEN

WEDNESDAY, THE 15<sup>TH</sup>

DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2021



## IN THE MATTER OF THE *COMPANIES' CREDITORS ARRANGEMENT ACT*, R.S.C. 1985, c. C-36, AS AMENDED

AND IN THE MATTER OF A PLAN OF COMPROMISE OR ARRANGEMENT OF JUST ENERGY GROUP INC., JUST ENERGY CORP., ONTARIO ENERGY COMMODITIES INC., UNIVERSAL ENERGY CORPORATION, JUST ENERGY FINANCE CANADA ULC, HUDSON ENERGY CANADA CORP., JUST MANAGEMENT CORP., JUST ENERGY FINANCE HOLDING INC., 11929747 CANADA INC., 12175592 CANADA INC., JE SERVICES HOLDCO I INC., JE SERVICES HOLDCO II INC., 8704104 CANADA INC., JUST ENERGY ADVANCED SOLUTIONS CORP., JUST ENERGY (U.S.) CORP., JUST ENERGY ILLINOIS CORP., JUST ENERGY INDIANA CORP., JUST ENERGY MASSACHUSETTS CORP., JUST ENERGY NEW YORK CORP., JUST ENERGY TEXAS I CORP., JUST ENERGY, LLC, JUST ENERGY PENNSYLVANIA CORP., JUST ENERGY MICHIGAN CORP., JUST ENERGY SOLUTIONS INC., HUDSON ENERGY SERVICES LLC, HUDSON ENERGY CORP., INTERACTIVE ENERGY GROUP LLC, HUDSON PARENT HOLDINGS LLC, DRAG MARKETING LLC, JUST ENERGY ADVANCED SOLUTIONS LLC, FULCRUM RETAIL ENERGY LLC, FULCRUM RETAIL HOLDINGS LLC, TARA ENERGY, LLC, JUST ENERGY MARKETING CORP., JUST ENERGY CONNECTICUT CORP., JUST ENERGY LIMITED, JUST SOLAR HOLDINGS CORP. AND JUST ENERGY (FINANCE) HUNGARY ZRT. (each, an "Applicant", and collectively, the "Applicants")

#### ORDER

(Stay Extension & Other Relief)

THIS MOTION, made by the Applicants pursuant to the Companies' Creditors

Arrangement Act, R.S.C. 1985, c. C-36, as amended (the "CCAA"), for an order extending the

Stay Period and other relief, was heard this day by judicial video conference via Zoom in Toronto,

Ontario due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

**ON READING** the Notice of Motion of the Applicants, the Affidavit of Michael Carter sworn September 8, 2021 including the exhibits thereto, the Third Report of FTI Consulting Canada Inc., dated September 8, 2021, in its capacity as monitor (the "**Monitor**"), filed (the "**Third Report**"), the fee affidavits of Paul Bishop sworn September 8, 2021, Puya Fesharaki sworn September 8, 2021, and John Higgins sworn September 7, 2021 (collectively, the "**Fee Affidavits**"), and on hearing the submissions of respective counsel for the Applicants, the Monitor, and such other counsel as were present, no one else appearing although duly served as appears from the Affidavit of Service of Justine Erickson sworn September 8, 2021 and the Affidavit of Service of Anne-Marie Runca affirmed September 9, 2021, filed:

#### SERVICE

1. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that the time for service of the Notice of Motion and the Motion Record herein is hereby abridged and validated so that this Motion is properly returnable today and hereby dispenses with further service thereof.

#### **DEFINED TERMS**

2. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that capitalized terms that are used in this Order shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Second Amended and Restated Initial Order dated May 26, 2021 (the "**SARIO**"), if they are not otherwise defined herein.

### **EXTENSION OF THE STAY PERIOD**

3. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that the Stay Period is hereby extended until and including December 17, 2021.

#### **CLARIFICATIONS TO THE KEY EMPLOYEE RETENTION PLAN**

4. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that the Key Employee Retention Plan ("**KERP**") approved at

paragraph 23 of the SARIO is hereby clarified and amended to permit the Just Energy Entities, in consultation with the Monitor, to reallocate funds under the KERP originally allocated to Key Employees who have resigned, or will resign, from their employment with the Just Energy Entities, or who have declined, or will decline, to receive payments(s) under the KERP, to remaining Key Employees or other employees of the Just Energy Entities that the Just Energy Entities, in consultation with the Monitor, identify as critical to their ongoing business.

#### **BLOCKED ACCOUNT CONTROL AGREEMENTS**

5. THIS COURT ORDERS that the Just Energy Entities are authorized to enter into blocked account control agreements ("BACAs"), pursuant to and in accordance with the terms of (a) the Sixth Amended and Restated Intercreditor Agreement among Just Energy Ontario L.P, Just Energy (U.S.) Corp., and the other parties from time to time party thereto, made as of September 1, 2015 (as amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, the "Intercreditor Agreement") and (b) the DIP Term Sheet, in each case with the DIP Agent and the Collateral Agent (as that term is defined in the Intercreditor Agreement) as secured parties (and the DIP Agent as the controlling secured party for so long as any of the Obligations (as that term is defined in the DIP Term Sheet) are outstanding) with respect to new bank accounts opened in the ordinary course of business as part of the Just Energy Entities' Cash Management System, provided that the BACAs and the exercise of any and all rights thereunder shall be subject to (i) the terms of the DIP Term Sheet and the rights of the DIP Agent and the DIP Lenders thereunder; and (ii) the terms of the SARIO, including the priority of the security interests in the Property granted to holders of the various Charges pursuant to the SARIO.

#### **APPROVAL OF MONITOR'S REPORTS AND FEES**

6. THIS COURT ORDERS that the activities and conduct of the Monitor prior to the date

hereof in relation to the Applicants and these CCAA proceedings are hereby ratified and approved.

7. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that the Third Report be and is hereby approved.

8. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that the fees and disbursements of the Monitor and its Canadian and U.S. counsel, as set out in the Third Report and the Fee Affidavits, are hereby approved.

9. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that only the Monitor, in its personal capacity and only with respect to its own personal liability, shall be entitled to rely upon or utilize in any way the approvals set forth in paragraphs 6 and 7 of this Order.

#### GENERAL

10. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that this Order shall have full force and effect in all provinces and territories in Canada.

11. **THIS COURT HEREBY REQUESTS** the aid and recognition of any court, tribunal, regulatory or administrative body, having jurisdiction in Canada or in the United States of America, to give effect to this Order and to assist the Applicants, the Monitor and their respective agents in carrying out the terms of this Order. All courts, tribunals, regulatory and administrative bodies are hereby respectfully requested to make such orders and to provide such assistance to the Applicants and to the Monitor, as an officer of this Court, as may be necessary or desirable to give effect to this Order, to grant representative status to the Monitor in any foreign proceeding, or to assist the Applicants and the Monitor and their respective agents in carrying out the terms of this Order.

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Proceeding commenced at Toronto

# ORDER

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