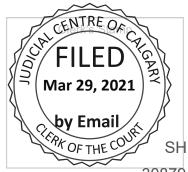
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METRO PAVING AND ROADBUILDING LTD., METRO PAVING LTD., 30879 DEFENDANTS METRO PARS CORPORATION and GRASSLANDS OF BEISEKER DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

DOCUMENT ORDER APPROVING AUCTION AGREEMENT

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## Attention: Jeffrey Oliver / Danielle Marechal

DATE ON WHICH ORDER WAS PRONOUNCED:	March 26, 2021
NAME OF JUSTICE WHO MADE THIS ORDER:	Justice D.R. Mah
LOCATION OF HEARING:	Edmonton, Alberta

UPON THE APPLICATION OF BDO Canada Limited, in its capacity as receiver and manager (in such capacity, the "Receiver") of the assets, undertakings and properties of Metro Paving and Roadbuilding Ltd. ("Roadbuilding"), Metro Paving Ltd. ("Paving"), Metro Pars Corporation ("Pars") and Grasslands of Beiseker Development Corporation ("Grasslands" and together with Roadbuilding and Pars, the "Companies") for an Order, among other things, (i) authorizing the Receiver to enter into an auction services agreement (the "Auction Agreement") with Corporate Assets Inc. (the "Auctioneer") on terms that are substantially similar to the auction proposal submitted by the Auctioneer on February 19, 2021 (the "Auction Proposal"); and (ii) authorizing the Auctioneer to conduct an auction in accordance with terms substantially similar to the Auction Proposal (the "Auction"); AND UPON HAVING read the Receivership Order pronounced on January 20, 2021, the First Report of the Receiver dated March 15, 2021 (the "Report"), the Confidential Supplement to the Report dated March 15, 2021 (the "Confidential **Supplement**") and the Affidavit of Service of Richard Kay, sworn March 24, 2021; **AND UPON HEARING** counsel for the Receiver, counsel to the Bank of Montreal and all other interested parties present;

## IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. Service of this Application and supporting materials is hereby declared to be good and sufficient, and no other person is required to have been served with notice of this application, and time for service of this application is abridged to that actually given.

## Approval of Auction Agreement

- 2. The Receiver is hereby authorized but not obliged to enter into the Auction Agreement on terms that are substantially similar to those contained in the Auction Proposal.
- 3. The Receiver is hereby authorized and directed to take such additional steps and execute such additional documents as may be necessary or desirable for the completion of the Auction.
- 4. Upon:
  - the Auctioneer completing a sale to a purchaser (each a "Purchaser") at the Auction of the Companies' property (each a "Purchased Asset");
  - (b) receipt by the Auctioneer from such Purchaser of the purchase price determined at the Auction; and
  - (c) delivery by the Auctioneer to such Purchaser of a bill of sale or similar evidence of purchase and sale (each, a "Purchaser's Bill of Sale"),

(each an "Auction Transaction" and collectively, the "Auction Transactions")

all of the Companies' right, title and interest in and to the Purchased Assets purchased by such Purchaser at the Auction and described in such Purchaser's Bill of Sale shall vest absolutely in the name of such Purchaser (or its nominee), free and clear of and from any and all caveats, security interests, hypothecs, pledges, mortgages, liens, trusts or deemed trusts reservations of ownership, royalties, options, rights of pre-emption, privileges, interests, assignments, actions, judgments, executions, levies, taxes, writs of enforcement, charges, or other claims, whether contractual, statutory, financial, monetary or otherwise, whether or not they have attached or been perfected, registered or filed and whether secured, unsecured or otherwise (collectively, the "Claims") including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing:

(i) any encumbrances or charges created by the Receivership Order; and

 (ii) all charges, security interests or claims evidenced by registrations pursuant to the *Personal Property Security Act*, RSA 2000, c P-7 or any other personal property registry system;

and, for greater certainty, this Court orders that all of the encumbrances affecting or relating to the Purchased Assets are hereby expunged and discharged as against the Purchased Assets.

- 5. From and after the closing of each of the Auction Transactions (including the payment of the purchase price by the Purchaser to the Auctioneer), the Receiver or the Auctioneer are authorized to discharge from the Personal Property Registry any claim registered against any of the personal property being purchased by the Purchaser, to the extent the security interest is registered against the interest of the Companies.
- 6. Upon the completion of all of the Auction Transactions to the satisfaction of the Receiver, the Receiver shall file a certificate substantially in the form attached hereto as <u>Schedule "A"</u> certifying that the Auction Transactions have closed.
- 7. For the purposes of determining the nature and priority of Claims, the net proceeds from the sale of the Purchased Assets at the Auction (to be held in a trust account by the Receiver) shall stand in the place and stead of the Purchased Assets, and from and after the delivery of the Purchaser's Bill of Sale all Claims and Encumbrances shall attach to the net proceeds from the sale of the Purchased Assets with the same priority as they had with respect to the Purchased Assets immediately prior to their sale at Auction, as if the Purchased Assets had not been sold and remained in the possession or control of the person having that possession or control immediately prior to the sale. Unless otherwise ordered (whether before or after the date of this Order), the Receiver shall not make any distributions to creditors of net proceeds from sale of the Purchased Assets without further order of this Court, provided however the Receiver may apply any part of such net proceeds to repay any amounts the Receiver has borrowed for which it has issued a Receiver's Certificate pursuant to the Receivership Order.
- The Purchaser (and its nominee, if any) shall, by virtue of the completion of the Auction Transaction, have no liability of any kind whatsoever in respect of any Claims against the Companies.
- 9. The Companies and all persons who claim by, through or under the Companies in respect of the Purchased Assets, and all persons or entities having any Claims of any kind whatsoever in respect of the Purchased Assets, shall stand absolutely and forever barred, estopped and foreclosed from and permanently enjoined from pursuing, asserting or claiming any and all right,

title, estate, interest, royalty, rental, equity or other Claim whatsoever in respect of or to the Purchased Assets and, to the extent that any such persons or entities remain in possession or control of any of the Purchased Assets, or any artifacts, certificates, instruments or other indicia of title representing or evidencing any right, title, estate, or interest in and to the Purchases Assets, they shall forthwith deliver possession thereof to the Purchaser (or its nominee).

10. The Purchaser (or its nominee) shall be entitled to enter into and upon and/or hold and enjoy the Purchased Assets for its own use and benefit without any interference of or by the Companies, or any person claiming by or through or against the Companies.

## Miscellaneous Matters

- 11. Notwithstanding:
  - (a) the pendency of these proceedings and any declaration of insolvency made herein;
  - (b) the pendency of any applications for a bankruptcy order now or hereafter issued pursuant to the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act*, RSC 1985 c B-3 (the "**BIA**") in respect of the Companies and any bankruptcy order issued pursuant to such applications;
  - (c) any assignment in bankruptcy made in respect of the Companies; and
  - (d) the provisions of any federal statute:

the vesting of each of the Purchased Assets in its respective Purchaser (or its nominee) pursuant to this Order shall be binding on any trustee in bankruptcy that may be appointed in respect of the Companies and shall not be void or voidable by creditors of the Companies, nor shall it constitute nor be deemed to be a settlement, fraudulent preference, assignment, fraudulent conveyance, transfer at undervalue, or other reviewable transaction under the BIA or any other applicable federal or provincial legislation, nor shall it constitute oppressive or unfairly prejudicial conduct pursuant to any applicable federal or provincial legislation.

- 12. The Receiver, the Purchaser (or its nominee) and any other interested party, shall be at liberty to apply for further advice, assistance and direction as may be necessary in order to give full force and effect to the terms of this Order and to assist and aid the parties in closing the Auction Transactions.
- 13. This Honourable Court hereby requests the aid and recognition of any court, tribunal, regulatory or administrative body having jurisdiction in Canada or any of its provinces or territories or in any foreign jurisdiction, to act in aid of and to be complimentary to this Court in carrying out the terms

of this Order, to give effect to this Order and to assist the Receiver and its 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 Receiver, as an officer of the Court, as may be necessary or desirable to give effect to this Order or to assist the Receiver and its agents in carrying out the terms of this Order.

- 14. Service of this order shall be deemed good and sufficient by serving same on the persons listed on the service list in these proceedings and by posting a copy of it on the Receiver's website at: http://www.bdo.ca/en-ca/extranets/metrogroupofcompanies.
- 15. Service of this order on any party not listed on the service list for this application is hereby dispensed with.

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