

The relief described hereinbelow is **SO ORDERED**

Done this 28th day of August, 2012.



**William R. Sawyer**  
**United States Bankruptcy Judge**

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA, SOUTHERN DIVISION**

<b>In Re:</b>	)	<b>Case No: 11-12254-WRS-11</b>
	)	
<b>SMALL LOANS, INC., et al.</b>	)	<b>Chapter 11</b>
	)	
<b>Debtors.</b>	)	<b>Jointly Administered</b>

**ORDER GRANTING SUPPLEMENT TO CHAPTER 11 TRUSTEE'S APPLICATIONS  
AND MOTIONS AUTHORIZING EMPLOYMENT AND RETENTION OF  
PROFESSIONALS TO DISCLOSE POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST**

S. Gregory Hays, the chapter 11 bankruptcy trustee (the "Trustee") appointed in the above captioned cases, filed a Supplement to Chapter 11 Trustee's Applications and Motions Authorizing Employment and Retention of Professionals to Disclose Potential Conflict of Interest [ECF Docket No. 486] (the "Supplement to Employment Applications") in this case on July 18, 2012.

In the Supplement to Employment Applications, the Trustee indicates that based on his investigation into the assets, liabilities, claims, and causes of action held by each of the five (5) Debtor estates that the Trustee is administering, the Trustee has determined that potential conflicts of interest may arise between the estates because certain of the estates may have causes

of action against each other; creditors may have claims payable by more than one estate; and there may be disagreement between creditors or parties in interest regarding which assets are owned by a particular estate.

The Trustee desires to continue gathering in the assets of the estates and taking other actions for the benefit of all of the Debtors' creditors through the use of the professionals employed by the Trustee in this matter. Due to the potential conflict, however, the Trustee requests that the Court enter an order which provides that all creditors and parties in interest shall have twenty one (21) days to object to or otherwise take issue with the Trustee's employment of the professionals whose employment has been authorized by the Court, but only with respect to the potential conflict of interest that may arise by having the professionals represent all of the estates simultaneously.

Based upon the Court's review of the Supplement to Employment Applications, the Court finds that the relief requested in Supplement to Employment Applications is due to be granted. Accordingly, it is ORDERED that the relief requested in the Supplement to Employment Applications is GRANTED. Creditors and parties in interest shall have twenty one (21) days to object to or otherwise take issue with the Trustee's employment of the professionals whose employment has been authorized by the Court. Objections shall be limited to the single issue of whether it is a conflict of interest for the professionals to simultaneously represent all of the Debtors' estates. Objections grounded upon any other basis shall not be considered.

###END OF ORDER###

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