

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

In re:

FURR'S SUPERMARKETS, INC.,

Case No. 7-01-10779-SA
Chapter 7

Debtor.

**ORDER AUTHORIZING EMPLOYMENT AND RETENTION OF PROFESSIONALS USED
IN ORDINARY COURSE OF BUSINESS**

This matter came before the Court on the debtor Furr's Supermarkets, Inc.'s (the "Debtor's") Application for Order Authorizing Employment and Retention of Professionals Used in Ordinary Course of Business, filed March 1, 2001 and docketed as #159 (the "Application"), and the Court, having reviewed the Application, as amended, and the objection thereto filed by the Office of the United States Trustee (the "UST") and docketed as #290, finding that notice of the Application was good and sufficient under the particular circumstances and that no other or further notice need be given and being otherwise duly advised in the premises, and further finding that the UST has agreed to the entry of this Order, hereby

ORDERS, ADJUDGES, AND DECREES THAT:

1. Under §§ 327, 328, and 105(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Debtor is authorized and empowered, as of March 1, 2001, to employ and retain the following professionals (the "Authorized Ordinary Course Professionals") in the ordinary course of the

Debtor's businesses, without the need to file individual retention applications:

Linda Aikin (liquor licenses)
30 Paseo de Peralta
Suite 201
Santa Fe, NM 87501

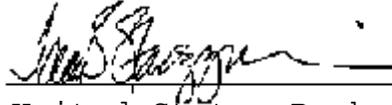
Hurley, Toevs, Styles,
Hamblin & Panter, P.C. (pension plan)
4155 Montgomery Blvd, NE
Albuquerque, NM 87109

2. Each Authorized Ordinary Course Professional is directed to file with the Court with five days from the date of this Order the statement required under Bankruptcy Rules 2014 and 2016, and serve the Declaration on the UST. If no objection based upon a Declaration is filed within 10 days after service thereof, the retention of the professional shall be deemed approved by this Court without further hearing or order, effective as of the date the Application was filed. If an objection based upon the Declaration is filed within 10 days after service, the Court shall hold a hearing on short notice to the Debtor and the objecting party.

3. The Debtor is, upon receipt from any Authorized Ordinary Course Professional of a reasonably detailed invoice for post-petition service (prepared in accordance with such professional's standard billing practices), authorized but not directed to pay the invoice in full, so long as the total

invoices from such professional are not more than \$15,000.

4. On or before September 24, 2002, the Authorized Ordinary Course Professionals shall file final fee applications for all work done during the Chapter 11 case.



United States Bankruptcy Judge

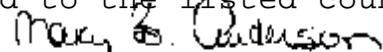
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I hereby certify that on September 25, 2002, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was either electronically transmitted, faxed, delivered, or mailed to the listed counsel and parties.


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