

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

11-01-10779 SA
FURTHER OBJECTION
ALERT SOL. RUBE, NM

In re:

FURR'S SUPERMARKETS, INC.
Tax I.D. No. 22-3137244

Case No. 11-01-10779 SA

Debtor.

**UNITED STATES TRUSTEE'S' OBJECTION TO FIRST AND FINAL
APPLICATION OF OF PETER J. SOLOMON CO., LTD
FOR COMPENSATION AND REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES.**

The United States Trustee for the District of New Mexico hereby objects to the First and Final Application Peter J. Solomon Co., Ltd. (PJSC) for Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses (Application), and as her reasons therefore states the following:

1. The Application fails to disclose sufficient information in order to determine the reasonableness of certain expense items, primarily in connection with legal fees and travel expenses.
2. With regard to legal fees, \$48,595.99 is listed as an expense with virtually no detail as to the work performed by PJSC's counsel, Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP (Weil). Further, if the \$24,431.62 listed as fees incurred for October 2001 was expended for the preparation of the Application, such amount is clearly unreasonable.
3. If legal fees are to be approved as an item of expense, Weil should be required to submit a fee application in order to determine the reasonableness of charges for services rendered.

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4 In connection with expenses incurred for travel, the reasonableness and necessity for certain travel is unclear and further details should be provided. This includes, but is not limited to, the following service entries :

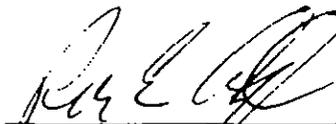
a.	Anders Maxwell	4/3/01	8.0	Meeting with Company	Furrs Travel
b.	Anders Maxwell	4/3/01	9.0	Meeting with Company	Furrs Travel
c.	Anders Maxwell	4/4/01	10.0	Meeting with Company	Furrs Travel
d.	Anders Maxwell	4/5/01	9.0	Meeting with Company	Furrs Travel
e.	Anders Maxwell	4/6/01	10.0	Meeting with Company	Furrs Travel

5. In addition to the above, further details should be provided as to expenses including the number of trips made and hotel rates for overnight stays. Additionally, receipts should be made available for review by requesting parties.

6. To the extent that the category for Data Processing includes the clerical function of inputting information into software programs, that expense should be disallowed.

Respectfully submitted,

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