UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA

In re	)	**Chapter 11**
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FREEDOM INDUSTRIES, INC.	)	
	)	**Case No. 2:14-bk-20017**
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Debtor.	)	
	)	

ORDER PURSUANT TO 11 U.S.C. § 327(a) AUTHORIZING THE EMPLOYMENT AND RETENTION OF CIVIL & ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANTS, INC. AS SPECIAL ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANT FOR THE DEBTOR EFFECTIVE AS OF THE PETITION DATE

Upon the application (the "Application")[1] of the above-captioned debtor and debtor-in-possession (the "Debtor") for entry of an order (this "Order") pursuant to sections 327(a) of the Bankruptcy Code authorizing and approving the employment and retention of Civil & Environmental Consultants, Inc. ("CEC") as special environmental consultant to the Debtor in this case; and upon the Declaration of Harry J. Soose Jr., Chief Financial Officer of CEC (the "Soose Declaration"); and the Court being satisfied, based on the representations made in the Application and the Soose Declaration, that CEC represents no interest adverse to the Debtor's estate with respect to the matters upon which they are to be engaged, and that the employment of CEC, as the Debtor's special environmental consultant, is necessary and in the best interests of the Debtor and its estate; and it appearing that adequate and sufficient notice of the Application having been given, and that no other or further notice need be given; and upon all of the proceedings had before the Court; and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefore, it is hereby ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED THAT:

1. The Application is GRANTED.

[1] Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Application to Employ and Retain Civil & Environmental Consultants, Inc. as Special Environmental Consultant for the Debtor Effective as of the Petition Date.

2. Pursuant to section 327(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Debtor, as a debtor-in-possession, is authorized to employ and retain CEC as a special environmental consultant effective as of the Petition Date to perform the services set forth in the Application.

3. CEC shall be compensated in accordance with the procedures set forth in sections 330 and 331 of the Bankruptcy Code, the applicable Bankruptcy Rules, the Local Rules, the Fee Guidelines promulgated by the Executive Office of the United States Trustee, and such procedures as may be fixed by order of this Court.

4. This Court shall retain jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising out of or related to the interpretation or implementation of this Order.

Dated: _____, 2014

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HONORABLE RONALD G. PEARSON
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

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