



*The Honorable Frank E. Cuthbertson*

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON  
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF PIERCE

In Re:  
MCUBE PETROLEUM, INC., a Washington corporation;  
BASILAM PETROLEUM, LLC, a Washington limited liability company;  
DISKI PETROLEUM, LLC, a Washington limited liability company;  
HALMAHERA - REMBANG, LLC, a Washington limited liability company;  
LARAMIE PETROLEUM, INC., a Washington corporation; and  
ORNA INTERNATIONAL, LTD, a British Virgin Islands company.

Case No. 09-2-08315-6

**ORDER GRANTING RECEIVER'S MOTION TO APPROVE SETTLEMENTS**

THIS MATTER came on before this Court for hearing with oral argument on Receiver's Motion to Approve Settlements (the "Motion"). In connection with the Motion, this Court has reviewed and considered the following submissions by the parties and evidence:

- 1. Receiver's Motion to Approve Settlements, dated August 11, 2011; and
- 2. Declaration of Paul E. Brain in Support of Receiver's Motion to Approve Settlements, dated August 11, 2011; and
- 3. Reply Declaration of Paul E. Brain in Support of Receiver's Motion to Approve Settlements, dated August 17, 2011.

1 This Court has also heard and considered the records and files herein and the arguments  
2 of counsel, and is fully advised. Based on this Court's review and consideration, this Court has  
3 determined that the Motion is well founded. Based on the foregoing, it is hereby ORDERED,  
4 ADJUDGED AND DECREED that:

5 1. Receiver's Motion to Approve Settlements is GRANTED in its entirety.

6 2. This Court finds that appropriate notice of the instant Motion and requests for  
7 professional fees was given to the creditors of the Receivership Estate.

8 3. This Court finds the settlement reached between the Receiver and the Defendants  
9 in the adjunct proceeding Beecher v. PetroM LLC, et al., Pierce County Superior Court Case  
10 No. 11-2-06998-8, is fair and reasonable, and further finds dismissal of the PetroM action is  
11 appropriate, and hereby contemporaneously signs the proposed Order dismissing that action  
12 with prejudice.

13 4. This Court finds the settlement reached between the Receiver and Defendants  
14 Todd N. Marshall and Shauna Lake Marshall in the adjunct proceeding Beecher v. Aboulhosn, et  
15 al., Pierce County Superior Court Adjunct Case No. 10-2-07692-7, is fair and reasonable, and  
16 further finds dismissal of these Defendants from the Aboulhosn action is appropriate, and hereby  
17 contemporaneously signs the proposed Order dismissing the claims against these Defendants in  
18 the Aboulhosn action with prejudice.

19 5. This Court finds the compensation requested by the Receiver to be consistent  
20 with this Court's Order authorizing appointment of the Receiver to be fair and reasonable.  
21 Accordingly, the Receiver is hereby authorized to pay to himself the sum of \$12,240.

22 6. This Court finds the compensation requested by the Receiver's counsel to be  
23 consistent with this Court's Order authorizing appointment of the Receiver and authorizing the  
24 Receiver to retain counsel to be fair and reasonable. Accordingly, the Receiver is hereby  
25 authorized to pay the sum of \$122,400 to Brain Law Firm PLLC.

26 7. The Receiver is hereby directed to hold the net proceeds to the Receivership  
27 Estate under these settlements in trust for the creditors of the Receivership Estate until such time  
28 as a disbursement procedure is determined.

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DONE IN OPEN COURT this 18 day of Aug, 2011.

Frank Oshroben  
JUDGE/COURT COMMISSIONER

**Presented by:**

**BRAIN LAW FIRM PLLC**

By: Paul E. Brain

Paul E. Brain, WSBA #13438

Counsel for Receiver William L. Beecher

