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6 **SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA**
 7 **MARICOPA COUNTY**

8 **ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION,**
 9 Plaintiff,
 10 v.
 11 **AMERICAN NATIONAL MORTGAGE**
 12 **PARTNERS, L.L.C., et al.**
 13 Defendants.

Case No: CV2003-005724

**DECLARATION IN SUPPORT OF
 EIGHTH APPLICATION FOR INTERIM
 COMPENSATION BY MICHAEL W.
 CARMEL SPECIAL COUNSEL FOR
 DEBTOR AND DEBTOR IN POSSESSION**

(Assigned to the Honorable J. Richard Gama)

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 15 State of Arizona)
 16 County of Maricopa) ss.

17 MICHAEL W. CARMEL, ("Declarant") states as follows:

- 18 1. Declarant is more than eighteen years of age, is competent to testify and has
- 19 personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein.
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- 21 2. Declarant is a principal of the law firm of Michael W. Carmel, Ltd.
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- 23 3. Declarant is the duly appointed Special Counsel for Debtor and Debtor in
- 24 Possession for the Receiver in this case.
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- 26 4. Declarant has the primary responsibility for Special Counsel for Debtor and
- 27 Debtor in Possession to be rendered to the Receiver in this case, and is thoroughly familiar with
- 28 the work performed on behalf of the Receiver.

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5. All of the services performed on behalf of the Receiver were necessary and proper services and have been billed at the rates approved by this Court.

6. Declarant believes that the sum of \$38,791.62, the amount actually charged by, Special Counsel for Debtor and Debtor in Possession, represents the reasonable and fair value of the legal services performed from January 17, 2005 through April 15, 2005.

Dated this 1st day of July, 2005.


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