

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE**

In re:  Boy Scouts of America and Delaware BSA, LLC,  Debtors.	Case No. 20-10343 (LSS)  Chapter 11  Jointly Administered
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**JOINDER OF THE NORWICH ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESAN CORPORATION  
TO THE ROMAN CATHOLIC AD HOC COMMITTEE’S OBJECTION TO THE  
DEBTORS’ MOTION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO ENTER INTO AND PERFORM  
UNDER RESTRUCTURING SUPPORT AGREEMENT AND FOR RELATED RELIEF**

The Norwich Roman Catholic Diocesan Corporation, a chapter 11 debtor and debtor-in-possession in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Connecticut, bearing Case No. 21-20687 (JJT) (the “Norwich Diocese”), by and through the undersigned counsel, hereby joins in and adopts the *Joint Objection of the Roman Catholic Ad Hoc Committee and the United Methodist Ad Hoc Committee to the Debtor’s Motion for Authorization to Enter into and Perform Under Restructuring Support Agreement and for Related Relief and Joinder in Limited Objection and Reservation of Rights of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints* [Dkt. No. 5676] (the “Catholic Committee Objection”). In support thereof, the Norwich Diocese respectfully states as follows:

**JOINDER**

1. The Norwich Diocese and/or certain parishes within the geographic footprint of the Norwich Diocese have been involved in supporting and facilitating the scouting programs of the Boy Scouts of America and Delaware BSA, LLC (collectively, the “Debtors”).

2. The Norwich Diocese commenced its own chapter 11 case on July 15, 2021 in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Connecticut, bearing Case No. 21-20687 (JJT), on which date actions against the Norwich Diocese, as a debtor and debtor-in-possession, and its interests in property were stayed pursuant to § 362(a) of the Bankruptcy Code.

3. The Norwich Diocese respectfully joins the arguments raised in the Catholic Committee Objection and adopts and incorporates such arguments as if more fully set forth herein, including the effect of the automatic stay issued in the Norwich Diocese case on any further actions, including approval of the Debtors' proposed RSA, which would affect property of the Norwich Diocese's estate.

4. The Norwich Diocese respectfully reserves the right to raise and present additional authorities, arguments, evidence, and objections in connection with the matters addressed in the foregoing pleadings or that may arise during the hearing. In the event that the Catholic Committee Objection is withdrawn or otherwise resolved, the Norwich Diocese further reserves the right to present argument on the RSA Motion at the hearing.

Dated: August 11, 2021

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Charles J. Brown, III, Esquire, certify that on August 11, 2021, I caused a true and correct copy of *Joinder of The Norwich Roman Catholic Diocesan Corporation to the Roman Catholic Ad Hoc Committee's Objection to the Debtors' Motion for Authorization to Enter Into and Perform Under the Restructuring Support Agreement and for Related Relief* to be electronically filed and served via CM/ECF to all parties requesting electronic service in this case and upon the parties listed below via electronic mail:

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