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Hearing Date: September 13, 2013

Hearing Time: 10:00 a.m.

Objection Deadline: September 6, 2013 at 4:00 p.m.

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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

| SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK | | |
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| In re: | X : | Chapter 11 |
| SOUND SHORE MEDICAL CENTER OF WESTCHESTER, et al., | | Case No. 13-22840 (Jointly Administered) |
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NOTICE OF HEARING ON APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO EMPLOY AND RETAIN DELOITTE FINANCIAL ADVISORY SERVICES LLP NUNC PRO TUNC TO JUNE 12, 2013 AS FINANCIAL ADVISOR FOR THE OFFICIAL COMMITTEE OF UNSECURED CREDITORS OF SOUND SHORE MEDICAL CENTER OF WESTCHESTER, ET AL.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a hearing will be held before the Honorable Robert D. Drain, United States Bankruptcy Judge, on September 13, 2013 at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Time in Room 501 of the United States Bankruptcy for the Southern District of New York, 300 Quarropas Street, White Plains, New York 10601-4140, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, to consider the Application for Authorization to Employ and Retain Deloitte Financial Advisory Services LLP Nunc Pro Tunc to June 12, 2013 as Financial Advisor for the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors of Sound Shore Medical Center of Westchester, et al. (the "Application").

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that any responses or objections to the relief

requested in the Application shall: (a) be in writing; (b) conform to the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure (the "Bankruptcy Rules"), all General Orders, Local Bankruptcy Rules, and the Final Order Establishing Case Management Procedures [Docket No. 143], (the "Case Management Order") approved by the Court; (c) be filed electronically with the Court, with a hard copy provided to the Clerk's Office at the Bankruptcy Court for delivery to the Chambers of the Honorable Robert D. Drain; and (d) be served so as to be actually received by **September 6**, **2013 at 4:00 p.m. prevailing Eastern Time**, by (i) Alston & Bird LLP, proposed counsel for the Creditors' Committee, 90 Park Avenue, New York, New York 10016 (Attn: Mark G. Bunin, Esq.,); (ii) Garfunkel Wild, P.C., counsel for the Debtors and Debtors in Possession, 111 Great Neck Road, Great Neck, New York 11021 (Attn: Burton S. Weston, Esq. and Afsheen A. Shah, Esq.); and (iii) Office of the United States Trustee, 33 Whitehall Street, 21st Floor, New York, New York 10004 (Attn: Susan Golden, Esq.).

Dated: July 22, 2013

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APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO EMPLOY AND RETAIN DELOITTE FINANCIAL ADVISORY SERVICES LLP NUNC PRO TUNC TO JUNE 12, 2013 AS FINANCIAL ADVISOR FOR THE OFFICIAL COMMITTEE OF UNSECURED CREDITORS OF SOUND SHORE MEDICAL CENTER OF WESTCHESTER, ET AL.

Case No. 13-22840 (RDD)

(Jointly Administered)

TO THE HONORABLE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE:

Debtors.

WESTCHESTER, et al.,

The duly-appointed Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors (the "Committee") in the chapter 11 cases (the "Cases") of Sound Shore Medical Center of Westchester, *et al.* (the "Debtors"), hereby applies for an order, pursuant to § 1103 of title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code"), Rule 2014 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure (the "Bankruptcy Rules"), and Rule 2014-1 of the Local Bankruptcy Rules of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York (the "Local Rules"), authorizing it to retain Deloitte Financial Advisory Services LLP ("Deloitte FAS") as financial advisor to the Committee to perform specified services in connection with the Cases, *nunc pro tunc* to June 12,

2013. In support of this application (the "Application"), the Committee submits and attaches hereto as Exhibit 1 the Declaration of Daniel S. Polsky, a Director of Deloitte FAS (the "Polsky Declaration"), and respectfully represents as follows:

BACKGROUND

- 1. On May 29, 2013 (the "Petition Date"), the Debtors commenced the Cases. The Debtors continue to be authorized to operate their businesses and manage their properties as debtors-in-possession pursuant to sections 1107(a) and 1108 of the Bankruptcy Code.
- 2. On June 12, 2013, the Committee determined to retain Deloitte FAS to serve as its financial advisor.
- 3. This Court has jurisdiction over this Application pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334. Venue of the Cases and this Application in this district is proper pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409. The statutory predicates for the relief sought herein are section 1103 of the Bankruptcy Code, as supplemented by the Bankruptcy Rules.

RELIEF REQUESTED

4. By this Application, the Committee seeks authority to retain and employ Deloitte FAS effective as of June 12, 2013 as financial advisor in matters related to the Cases, as more fully described below and in the Polsky Declaration. The terms and conditions of Deloitte FAS' proposed retention by the Committee are set forth in that certain engagement letter between the Committee and Deloitte FAS dated July 16, 2013 (the "Deloitte FAS Engagement Letter") attached as Exhibit 2 hereto. Pursuant to section 1103 of the Bankruptcy Code, the Committee requests that the Court approve the retention of Deloitte FAS in accordance with the terms of the Deloitte FAS Engagement Letter, the Polsky Declaration, and the Application.

- 5. The Committee requested that Deloitte FAS immediately commence work on the Cases in order for Deloitte FAS to assist the Committee as described below. Additional details with respect to the scope of Deloitte FAS' retention are set forth in the Deloitte FAS Engagement Letter. Due to the fact that Deloitte FAS has been requested to begin work immediately and commenced providing services on June 12, 2013, the Committee respectfully requests that the Application be approved on a *nunc pro tunc* basis effective as of June 12, 2013.
- 6. The Committee believes that the size and scope of the Debtors' operations, the magnitude and the complexity of the attendant financial issues to be ascertained, and the time frames proposed require the Committee to employ a financial advisor to assist the Committee in gathering and analyzing financial information and to perform other services as set forth herein. The Committee hereby requests this Court's approval of its employment and retention of Deloitte FAS in the Cases. The Committee believes that the employment of Deloitte FAS will be a positive contribution to the resolution of the Cases.
- 7. The Committee has reviewed the qualifications and experience of Deloitte FAS' personnel and believes that such personnel have considerable experience in advising creditors' committees and assisting various parties-in-interest in restructuring and other business combination transactions, both inside and outside of chapter 11 proceedings. For example, personnel of Deloitte FAS have assisted secured creditors, unsecured creditors, bondholders, and equity holders in numerous bankruptcy cases and out-of-court restructurings and have acted as financial advisors to both buyers and sellers in numerous business combination transactions. Deloitte FAS is a well-qualified professional services firm whose reorganization professionals have experience in matters of this type. Deloitte FAS' depth of experience and breadth of

service capabilities render it able to provide services to the Committee during the pendency of the Cases.

SCOPE OF RETENTION

- 8. The Committee contemplates that Deloitte FAS will provide the Committee with assistance in connection with the bankruptcy, sale process, estate dissolution and plan of liquidation of the Debtors, as set forth in the Polsky Declaration and Deloitte FAS Engagement Letter, and as the Committee or its counsel may otherwise request and as may be agreed to by Deloitte FAS. Certain of the advisory services and assistance that Deloitte FAS may render to the Committee may be summarized as follows:
 - Assist the Committee in connection with its assessment of the Debtors' cash and liquidity requirements, as well as the Debtors' financing requirements;
 - Assist the Committee in connection with its evaluation of the Debtors' key employee retention plans, compensation and benefit plans and/or other incentive or bonus plans, if any;
 - Assist the Committee in connection with its evaluation of the Debtors' Statements of Financial Affairs and supporting schedules, executory contracts and claims;
 - Assist the Committee in connection with its evaluation of restructuring-related alternatives for the Debtors;
 - Assist the Committee in connection with its analysis of issues related to claims filed against the Debtors including reclamation issues, administrative, priority or unsecured claims, case litigation and contract rejection damages;
 - Consistent with the scope of services set forth herein, attend and participate in hearings before the Court on an as-needed basis as requested by the Committee and agreed to by Deloitte FAS;
 - Assist the Committee, where appropriate, in its analysis of the books and records of the Debtors in connection with potential for recovery of funds to the estate from voidable transactions including related party transactions, preference payments and unenforceable claims;

- Advise the Committee in connection with its negotiations and due diligence efforts with other parties relating to the sale of the Debtors;
- Assist the Committee in its analysis of the Debtors' financial restructuring process, including its review of the Debtors' development of plans of liquidation and related disclosure statements:
- Provide such other related services as may be requested by the Committee and as agreed to by Deloitte FAS; and
- Deloitte FAS shall provide such other services as may be agreed to by Deloitte FAS and the Committee in writing based on discussions with the Committee as the engagement progresses and additional information is obtained during the course of the engagement.

DISINTERESTEDNESS AND LACK OF ADVERSE INTEREST

- 9. To the best of the Committee's knowledge, and based upon the Polsky Declaration, Deloitte FAS neither holds nor represents an interest adverse to the Debtors or their estates in connection with the Cases. Furthermore, to the best of the Committee's knowledge, Deloitte FAS does not have any connection with the Debtors, its significant creditors, the United States Trustee's office for the Southern District of New York, any other significant party in interest in the Cases, or with the Debtors' attorneys, except as stated herein, or as described in the Polsky Declaration or the attachments thereto. Notwithstanding any such connections, the Committee believes that Deloitte FAS is a disinterested person, and does not hold or represent an interest adverse to the Debtors' estates with respect to the matters for which Deloitte FAS is to be employed. The Committee has reviewed the Polsky Declaration, including all of the "connections" (as such term is used in Bankruptcy Rule 2014(a)) to these Cases disclosed therein. The Committee is satisfied that Deloitte FAS is disinterested.
- 10. Because Deloitte FAS is a nationwide firm with many client relationships, and because various parties-in-interest are significant enterprises, Deloitte FAS is unable to state with certainty that every client relationship or other connection has been disclosed. In this regard if

Deloitte FAS discovers additional information that it determines requires disclosure, it will file promptly a supplemental disclosure with the Court.

TERMS OF RETENTION

11. Subject to allowance and approval by the Bankruptcy Court, in exchange for the services hereunder, the following table provides the applicable hourly billing rates (the "Applicable Rates") by classification of personnel:

| Personnel Classification | Applicable Rates |
|-----------------------------|------------------|
| Partner/Principal/Director | \$500 |
| Senior Manager | \$400 |
| Manager | \$300 |
| Staff and Senior Associates | \$200 |
| Paraprofessionals | \$100 |

- 12. Deloitte FAS has agreed to charge the aforementioned Applicable Rates during the pendency of the Cases.
- 13. In addition to professional fees for the services described in the Deloitte FAS Engagement Letter, Deloitte FAS fee applications will include requests for reimbursement of reasonable expenses, including travel, report production, delivery services, and other costs incurred in providing the services.
- 14. Deloitte FAS intends to apply for compensation for professional services to be rendered in connection with the Cases and for reimbursement of expenses incurred, in accordance with applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, the Local Bankruptcy Rules of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York, and the United States Trustee Guidelines for Reviewing Applications for Compensation and

Reimbursement of Expenses Filed under §330, and the Administrative Order Establishing Procedures For Interim Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses of Professionals. Payment of fees and reimbursement of expenses will be subject to ultimate allowance and approval by this Court.

- 15. Except as may be described herein, Deloitte FAS does not have any agreement to share its compensation from the services for which it is seeking to be retained hereunder with any non-affiliated entity. Finally, Deloitte FAS has not requested and has not been paid any retainer in connection with the Cases.
- 16. The Committee believes Deloitte FAS' fees are comparable with those of Deloitte FAS' competitors.
- 17. The Committee believes that the retention of Deloitte FAS as its financial advisor on the terms described above *nunc pro tunc* to June 12, 2013, is in the best interests of these estates.

PROCEDURE

18. No previous application or other request for the relief sought herein has been made to this or any other court.

CONCLUSION

WHEREFORE, the Committee respectfully requests that the Court enter an order in the form attached hereto as Exhibit 3 (i) approving its retention of Deloitte FAS as financial advisor to the Committee in the Cases, said appointment *nunc pro tunc* to June 12, 2013, and that Deloitte FAS be paid such compensation as may be allowed by this Court, and (ii) for such other further relief as is deemed just and proper.

Dated: July 19, 2013

Respectfully submitted,

The Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors of Sound Shore Medical Center of Westchester, et al.

By:

/s/ Ted A. Berkowitz

Ted A. Berkowitz, Esq.

Farrell Fritz, P.C.

Counsel for Westchester County Health

Care Corporation Committee Chair

EXHIBIT 1

| SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK | | |
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| In re: SOUND SHORE MEDICAL CENTER OF WESTCHESTER, et al., |)))) | Chapter 11 Case No. 13-22840 (RDD) (Jointly Administered) |
| Debtors. |) _) | |

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

DECLARATION OF DANIEL S. POLSKY IN SUPPORT OF APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO EMPLOY AND RETAIN DELOITTE FINANCIAL ADVISORY SERVICES LLP NUNC PRO TUNC TO JUNE 12, 2013 AS FINANCIAL ADVISOR FOR THE OFFICIAL COMMITTEE OF UNSECURED CREDITORS OF SOUND SHORE MEDICAL CENTER OF WESTCHESTER, ET AL.

- I, Daniel S. Polsky, being duly sworn, declare and say:
- 1. I am a Director of Deloitte Financial Advisory Services LLP ("Deloitte FAS"), which has an office at 1633 Broadway, 35th Floor, New York, NY, 10019.
- 2. I am authorized to make this Declaration in connection with the proposed retention of Deloitte FAS as financial advisor to the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors (the "Committee") of Sound Shore Medical Center of Westchester, *et al.* (the "Debtors") as set forth in the Committee's application (the "Application") to employ and retain Deloitte FAS, *nunc pro tunc* to June 12, 2013, and in the engagement letter dated July 16, 2013 between Deloitte FAS and the Committee attached to the Application as <u>Exhibit 2</u> (the "Deloitte FAS Engagement Letter").
- 3. The statements set forth in this Declaration are based upon my personal knowledge, upon information and belief, and upon client matter records kept in the ordinary course of business that were reviewed by me or other personnel of Deloitte FAS or its affiliates.

- 4. Personnel of Deloitte FAS have considerable experience advising creditors' committees and assisting various parties-in-interest in restructuring and other business combination transactions, both inside and outside of chapter 11 proceedings. For example, personnel of Deloitte FAS have assisted secured creditors, unsecured creditors, bondholders, and equity holders in numerous bankruptcy cases and out-of-court restructurings, and have acted as financial advisors to both buyers and sellers in numerous business combination transactions. Such experience renders Deloitte FAS qualified and able to provide services to the Committee during the pendency of the Cases.
- 5. Except as set forth herein, and in the attachments hereto, to the best of my information, knowledge and belief based on reasonable inquiry, (1) neither I, Deloitte FAS, nor any partner, principal or director of Deloitte FAS that is anticipated to provide the services for which Deloitte FAS is to be retained (the "Engagement Partners/Principals/Directors") holds any interest adverse to the Debtors with respect to the matters on which Deloitte FAS is to be retained in the above-captioned chapter 11 cases (the "Cases"), and (2) Deloitte FAS and the Engagement Partners/Principals/Directors have no relationship to the Debtors, their significant creditors, the United States Trustee's Office for the Southern District of New York, certain other parties-in-interest herein, or to the attorneys that are known to be assisting the Debtors and Committee in the Cases, except as stated herein or on any attachment hereto submitted with the Application and any attachment thereto.
- 6. Deloitte FAS and its affiliates have relationships with thousands of clients, some of which may be creditors of the Debtors or other parties-in-interest. Accordingly, Deloitte FAS or its affiliates from time to time have or may have banking or other relationships with or have provided professional services to, or may currently provide professional services to, and may in

the future be engaged to provide professional services, in matters unrelated to the Cases, to entities that are the Debtors' creditors or other parties-in-interest in the Cases or to their respective affiliates. A listing of such parties is attached to this Affidavit as Exhibit A. Deloitte FAS believes that these connections have no bearing on the services for which Deloitte FAS' retention is being sought in the Cases.

- 7. Deloitte FAS believes that the relationships described herein or on Exhibit A or in the Application or in attachments thereto do not impair Deloitte FAS' disinterestedness and Deloitte FAS does not represent an adverse interest in connection with the Cases.
- 8. In connection with its proposed retention by the Committee in the Cases, Deloitte FAS has undertaken a search to determine and to disclose whether it or its affiliates have any relationships with the following entities whose specific names were provided to Deloitte FAS by the Committee:
 - The Debtors;
 - The Debtors' affiliates;
 - The Debtors' Board of Directors;
 - The 30 largest unsecured creditors of the Debtors;
 - Secured Lenders;
 - The attorneys that the Committee has sought authority to employ in the Cases, pursuant to applications filed through the date hereof;
 - The attorneys that the Debtors have sought authority to employ in the Cases, pursuant to applications filed through the date hereof;
 - The law firm representing the proposed asset purchaser;
 - Other retained professional services firms; and
 - Other significant parties-in-interest.
- 9. Despite the efforts described above to identify and disclose Deloitte FAS' connections with parties-in-interest in the Cases, and because Deloitte FAS is a nationwide firm with many employees, Deloitte FAS is unable to state with certainty that every client relationship

or other connection has been disclosed. In this regard, if Deloitte FAS discovers additional information that it determines requires disclosure, it will file a supplemental disclosure with the Court promptly.

- 10. To the best of my knowledge, the connections of Deloitte FAS or its affiliates with any of the foregoing entities in matters unrelated to the Cases are set forth on <u>Exhibit A</u> and/or below:
 - (a) Deloitte FAS or its affiliates provide services in matters unrelated to these Cases to certain of the Debtors' largest unsecured creditors and other potential parties-in-interest or their affiliates listed on Exhibit A;
 - (b) In the ordinary course of its business, Deloitte FAS or its affiliates have business relationships in unrelated matters with its competitors, including PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, auditor of the Debtors, and Alvarez & Marsal, the Debtors' financial advisors in these Cases. For example, from time to time, Deloitte FAS or its affiliates and one or more of such entities may work jointly on assignments for the same client or may otherwise engage each other for various purposes;
 - (c) Certain law firms, including Garfunkel Wild LLP (Debtors' counsel),
 Alston & Bird LLP (Committee counsel), Waller Landsen Dortch LLP (Secured
 Lender counsel), and Togut, Segal, & Segal LLP (Counsel to Montefiore Medical
 Center) have provided, currently provide and may in the future provide legal services
 to Deloitte FAS or its affiliates in matters unrelated to the Cases. Further, Deloitte
 FAS and/or its affiliates have provided, currently provide, and may in the future
 provide services, in connection with matters unrelated to the Cases, to, or in

connection with unrelated matters involving these law firms, and those additional law firms listed in Exhibit A;

- (d) Certain parties-in-interest may be adverse to and/or involved in litigation matters with Deloitte FAS and/or its affiliates in connection with matters unrelated to the Cases;
- (e) Deloitte & Touche LLP ("Deloitte & Touche") and Deloitte Consulting LLP ("Deloitte Consulting"), each an affiliate of Deloitte FAS, were engaged until 2011 by the Debtors to provide various professional services. All such engagements ceased in 2011. Deloitte & Touche and Deloitte Consulting have unpaid invoices remaining from such prior services provided to the Debtors. Deloitte & Touche and Deloitte Consulting have informed me that they have agreed to waive amounts owed with respect to such invoices, subject to this Court's approval of the retention of Deloitte FAS as financial advisor to the Committee in these Cases; and
- (f) Deloitte FAS and/or its affiliates provide professional services or have provided professional services to Westchester Medical Center (Committee Chair) and Montefiore Medical Center (Proposed Asset Purchaser). Deloitte FAS and its affiliates are not providing any professional services to Westchester Medical Center and Montefiore Medical Center with respect to these Cases.
- 11. Subject to the foregoing, neither I, Deloitte FAS, nor the Engagement Partners/Principals/Directors insofar as I have been able to ascertain, holds or represents any interest adverse to the Debtors or their estates with respect to the matters on which Deloitte FAS is to be retained.

- 12. Furthermore, through reasonable inquiry, I do not believe there is any connection between the personnel of Deloitte FAS or its affiliates who are anticipated to provide services to the Committee and the United States Bankruptcy Judge presiding in the Cases, the United States Trustee, the Assistant United States Trustee for the Southern District of New York, and the attorney assigned to the Cases.
- 13. The services to be rendered may include all those services set forth in the Deloitte FAS Engagement Letter.
- 14. Subject to allowance and approval by the Bankruptcy Court, in exchange for the services hereunder, the following table provides the applicable hourly billing rates (the "Applicable Rates") by classification of personnel:

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| Partner/Principal/Director | \$500 |
| Senior Manager | \$400 |
| Manager | \$300 |
| Staff and Senior Associates | \$200 |
| Paraprofessionals | \$100 |

- 15. Deloitte FAS has agreed to charge the aforementioned Applicable Rates during these Cases.
- 16. In addition to professional fees for the services described in the Deloitte FAS Engagement Letter, Deloitte FAS's fee applications will include requests for reimbursement of reasonable expenses, including travel, report production, delivery services, and other costs incurred in providing the services, consistent with the Local Rules.

- 17. Deloitte FAS intends to apply for compensation for professional services to be rendered in connection with the Cases and for reimbursement of expenses incurred, in accordance with applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, the Local Bankruptcy Rules of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York, and the United States Trustee Guidelines for Reviewing Applications for Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses Filed under §330, and the Administrative Order Establishing Procedures For Interim Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses of Professionals.

 Payment of fees and reimbursement of expenses will be subject to ultimate allowance and approval by this Court.
- 18. Deloitte & Touche has completed a reorganization of some of its businesses, including its financial advisory services, tax services, solutions, human capital and outsourcing. This reorganization is intended to align the organizational structure more closely with the manner in which business is conducted. These services are now being performed by entities affiliated with Deloitte & Touche including, Deloitte FAS, Deloitte Tax LLP and Deloitte Consulting. Accordingly, some services incidental to the tasks to be performed by Deloitte FAS in the Cases may be performed by personnel now employed by or associated with these affiliates of Deloitte FAS or their respective subsidiaries, including subsidiaries located outside of the United States. The fees and expenses with respect to such services will be included in the fee applications of Deloitte FAS.

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19. Deloitte FAS has received no promises regarding compensation in the Case other than in accordance with the Bankruptcy Code and as set forth in this Declaration. With respect to the services to be provided to the Committee, Deloitte FAS has no agreement with any non-affiliated entity to share any revenues earned in the Case.

/s/Daniel S. Polsky
Daniel S. Polsky

Director

Deloitte Financial Advisory Services LLP

July 16, 2013

EXHIBIT A

Parties-in-Interest and/or their affiliates for whom Deloitte Financial Advisory Services LLP or its affiliates has provided or is currently providing services in matters unrelated to the case or with whom such parties have other business relationships (including banking relationships) or connections.

Parties in Interest

1199 SEIU Healthcare Workers

Allscripts Healthcare, LLC

Alston & Bird LLP

Alvarez & Marsal

AmerisourceBergen Drug Corp.

Apollo Health Street Inc.

Cannon Design

Children's Phy. of West LLC

Convergent Revenue Cycle Management, Inc.

Crothall Service Group

Davis, Ernest

Dormitory Authority of the State of New York

(DASNY)

Emergency Medical Assoc.

Enterprise Systems Software, LLC-BSD

Fresenius Management Services

Garfunkel, Wild, P.C.

Greystone Servicing Corporation, Inc

Hudson Valley Bank

M.V.H. Corporation, The

McKesson Information Solutions

McMillan, Stewart J.

Medline Industries

Medtronic USA Inc.

Midcap Financial, LLC

Montefiore Medical Center

Mount Vernon Hospital

MVH ALP

New York Blood Center

New York State Nurses Association

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corp.

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

Sound Shore Health System, Inc.

Stryker Orthopedics

Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada (US)

TGC LLC

Waller Lansden Dortch & Davis, LLP

Westchester County Health Care Corporation

(a/k/a Westchester Medical Center)

EXHIBIT 2

Deloitte

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July 16, 2013

The Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors of Sound Shore Medical Center of Westchester, *et al.* c/o Ted A. Berkowitz, Esq.
Farrell Fritz, P.C.
Counsel for Westchester County Health Care Corporation
Committee Chair

Re: Sound Shore Medical Center of Westchester, et al., Case No: 13-22840

Dear Committee Members:

This letter sets forth the agreement between the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors of Sound Shore Medical Center, et al., (the "Committee" or "you") and Deloitte Financial Advisory Services LLP ("Deloitte FAS" and "we"), effective as of June 12, 2013. Deloitte FAS' personnel will provide to the Committee the services described herein with respect to the Chapter 11 cases of Sound Shore Medical Center of Westchester, et al. (the "Debtors"). The General Business Terms & Conditions applicable to this engagement are attached to this letter as Appendix A and are incorporated herein by reference.

UNDERSTANDING OF ROLES

Deloitte FAS will provide the following services ("Services"), as requested by the Committee and agreed to by us:

- Assist the Committee in connection with its assessment of the Debtors' cash and liquidity requirements, as well as the Debtors' financing requirements;
- Assist the Committee in connection with its evaluation of the Debtors' key employee retention plans, compensation and benefit plans and/or other incentive or bonus plans, if any;
- Assist the Committee in connection with its evaluation of the Debtors' Statements of Financial Affairs and supporting schedules, executory contracts and claims;
- Assist the Committee in connection with its evaluation of restructuring-related alternatives for the Debtors;

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- Assist the Committee in connection with its analysis of issues related to claims filed against the Debtors including reclamation issues, administrative, priority or unsecured claims, case litigation and contract rejection damages;
- Consistent with the scope of services set forth herein, attend and participate in hearings before the Bankruptcy Court (as defined below) on an as-needed basis as requested by the Committee and agreed to by Deloitte FAS;
- Assist the Committee, where appropriate, in its analysis of the books and records
 of the Debtors in connection with potential for recovery of funds to the estate
 from voidable transactions including related party transactions, preference
 payments and unenforceable claims;
- Advise the Committee in connection with its negotiations and due diligence efforts with other parties relating to the sale of the Debtors;
- Assist the Committee in its analysis of the Debtors' financial restructuring process, including its review of the Debtors' development of plans of liquidation and related disclosure statements:
- Provide such other related services as may be requested by the Committee and as agreed to by Deloitte FAS; and,
- Deloitte FAS shall provide such other services as may be agreed to by Deloitte FAS and the Committee in writing based on discussions with you as the engagement progresses and additional information is obtained during the course of the engagement.

You acknowledge and agree that the Committee and the Debtors are responsible for supplying complete and accurate information, representations, and books and records upon which we rely, and we shall have no responsibility for mistakes or omissions on our part arising as a result of having relied upon information, representations, or books and records provided by the Committee or Debtors, or on the Committee's or Debtors' behalf, that were inaccurate or incomplete. In addition, in connection with the Services provided hereunder, we will not audit or otherwise verify the materials provided to us, nor will we provide any assurances concerning the reliability, accuracy, or completeness of any materials provided by or on behalf of the Committee, Debtors, or any other party, and our Services cannot be relied on to disclose errors or fraud should they exist. We shall have no responsibility for updating our Services unless pursuant to a new engagement letter.

THE BANKRUPTCY CASES

On May 29, 2013, the Debtors filed in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York, (the "Bankruptcy Court") voluntary petitions for relief under chapter 11 of

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title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code"). The Committee has requested that Deloitte FAS perform the Services, and Deloitte FAS has agreed to perform the Services, subject to the terms and conditions of this engagement letter. This engagement letter, and Deloitte FAS' obligations and responsibilities relating to this engagement, shall be effective as of the effective date on the first page of this letter, subject to, and conditioned on, obtaining Bankruptcy Court approval in the matter, In re Sound Shore Medical Center of Westchester, *et al.*, Case No: 13-22840 (the "Cases"), *nunc pro tunc* to such date.

In addition to Deloitte FAS' other rights or remedies, Deloitte FAS may, in its sole discretion and without any liability arising therefrom, terminate this engagement in the event that (a) a third party objects or threatens to object, or Deloitte FAS believes that a third party may object, in the form of an objection or otherwise, to Deloitte FAS' retention by the Committee in the Cases on the terms and conditions set forth in this engagement letter, (b) a final order authorizing the employment of Deloitte FAS as financial advisors for the Committee is not issued by the Bankruptcy Court in the Cases on or before sixty (60) days from the date hereof on the terms and conditions set forth herein or on such other terms and conditions as are satisfactory to Deloitte FAS in its sole discretion, or (c) the application seeking such order is denied by the Bankruptcy Court in the Cases. In any such event, the Committee hereby agrees to withdraw or amend, promptly upon Deloitte FAS' request, any application filed or to be filed with the Bankruptcy Court to retain Deloitte FAS' Services in the Cases.

ENGAGEMENT STAFFING AND FEES

I will serve as engagement Director, and maintain overall responsibility for the engagement on behalf of Deloitte FAS. Alex Berbit will serve as the engagement manager, coordinating daily management of the engagement assisted, as appropriate, by other personnel. Technical support may also be provided by other professionals who will be identified during the course of this engagement. However, circumstances may occur that could result in changes to our anticipated staffing for this engagement.

The Committee agrees that Deloitte FAS will be compensated solely from the Debtors' estates at the applicable hourly rates for professional time set forth below plus reasonable expenses incurred during this engagement. Our fees are based on the hours actually expended by Deloitte FAS personnel, multiplied by their applicable hourly billing rate for this engagement. The applicable hourly billing rates by personnel classification for this engagement are as follows:

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| Personnel Classification | Applicable Rates |
|-----------------------------|------------------|
| Partner/Principal/Director | \$500 |
| Senior Manager | \$400 |
| Manager | \$300 |
| Staff and Senior Associates | \$200 |
| Paraprofessionals | \$100 |

Deloitte FAS has agreed to charge the aforementioned Applicable Rates during the pendency of the Cases.

Because the scope and depth of our Services to you may change, it is difficult to estimate our total fees in advance. We will endeavor to discuss changes in our scope and activities with you before proceeding and, if you request, provide fee estimates for specific assignments.

As to expenses, we will be entitled to reimbursement solely from the Debtors' estates of reasonable expenses incurred in connection with this engagement, including but not limited to travel, report preparation, delivery services, photocopying and other costs included in providing the Services, in accordance with Local Rules.

Deloitte FAS intends to apply for compensation for professional services rendered and for reimbursement of expenses incurred, in accordance with applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, the applicable local rules of bankruptcy procedure (the "Local Rules") and the United States Trustee Guidelines for Reviewing Applications for Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses Filed under § 330 of the Bankruptcy Code. In this case, payment of fees and reimbursement of expenses will be subject to ultimate allowance and approval by the Bankruptcy Court. However, in the interim, the Committee will ask the Bankruptcy Court for approval to allow Deloitte FAS to submit invoices in accordance with the Local Rules. Payment of these invoices from the Debtors' estates will be made on an interim basis subject to approval and allowance upon application to and order by the Bankruptcy Court. Deloitte FAS intends to submit fee applications seeking approval of its fees and expenses on a periodic basis. We will provide you with an invoice on a regular basis, with the invoice due pursuant to the payment mechanism provided by the Bankruptcy Court.

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DISCLOSURE OF RELATIONSHIPS

As the Committee knows, Deloitte FAS is a large firm and we, as well as our affiliates, are engaged by new clients every day. Therefore, we cannot assure that, following the completion of our internal conflict search, another engagement for the Debtors' creditors, or other parties-in-interest or their respective attorneys and accountants will not be accepted by Deloitte FAS or its affiliates. Should any potential conflict come to the attention of Deloitte FAS, we will endeavor to resolve such potential conflict and will determine what action needs to be taken.

Further, Deloitte FAS and its affiliates may have provided professional services to, may currently provide professional services to, or may in the future provide such services to, the Debtors' creditors, other parties-in-interest, and their respective attorneys and accountants who are known to us to be assisting the parties-in-interest in this Case in matters unrelated to the Cases. The Committee agrees that Deloitte FAS and its personnel will have no responsibility to it relating to such professional services, nor any responsibility to use or disclose information Deloitte FAS possesses by reason of such services, whether or not such information might be considered material to the Committee.

LIMITATIONS OF THE SERVICES

The Services will not result in the issuance of any written or oral communications by Deloitte FAS to the Committee, Debtors or any third parties expressing any opinion, conclusion, or any other form of assurance with respect to, among other things, accounting policies, financial data, financial statements and related footnotes, appropriate application of generally accepted accounting principles, disclosure, operating or internal controls, compliance with the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission or the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board, compliance with the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 and related rules and regulations, or any other matters.

The Committee understands that the Services may include access to the work of the Committee's or Debtors' other professional advisors or to financial statements or financial information or data reported on by such other professional advisors. The Committee agrees that such access is not for the purpose of affirming or evaluating the procedures or professional standards used by such other professional advisors. In this regard, we call your attention to the possibility that other professional advisors may perform procedures concerning the same information or data, and perhaps the same accounts and records, and reach different observations than Deloitte FAS for a variety of reasons, including the possibilities that additional or different information or data might be provided to them that was not provided to Deloitte FAS, that they might perform different procedures from Deloitte FAS, or that professional judgments concerning, among others, complex, unusual, or poorly documented matters may differ.

The Services to be provided by Deloitte FAS will <u>not</u> include any predictions or provide any opinions or other assurances concerning the outcomes of future events, including, without limitation, those that pertain to the operating results of the Debtors or any entity, the achievability of any business plan, the success of any investment, the recovery of any asset, or the ability to pay any debt. By signing this letter, the Committee expressly acknowledges that

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Deloitte FAS does not guarantee, warrant, or otherwise provide any assurances that Debtors will restructure successfully.

The Committee recognizes and acknowledges that by performing the Services, Deloitte FAS is not acting in any management capacity and that the Committee has not asked Deloitte FAS to make, nor has Deloitte FAS agreed to make, any business decisions on behalf of the Debtors or the Committee. All decisions about the Committee's activities and the Debtors' business or operations, including, but not limited to, decisions concerning the execution of transactions with other entities and the establishment of terms for such transactions, remain the sole responsibility of the Committee or Debtors and its Board of Directors, as applicable. In addition, the Committee expressly acknowledges and agrees that Deloitte FAS has been retained by the Committee, and not by the individual Committee members in their individual capacities. Such individual Committee members shall not be deemed clients of Deloitte FAS by virtue of this agreement.

OTHER MATTERS

The Committee agrees that, without Deloitte FAS' prior written permission, any reports, schedules, documents, or other materials provided by Deloitte FAS are not to be used, in whole or in part, by the Committee for any purpose other than in connection with this matter.

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This engagement letter, incorporating by reference the attached General Business Terms & Conditions, constitutes the entire agreement among the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersedes all prior agreements and understandings among the parties, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter hereof.

If the foregoing represents your agreement, please sign the enclosed copy of this letter in the space provided and return it to me; or if you have any questions, please call me at (212) 436-5668. By signing this letter, you represent and warrant that you have the authority to enter into this engagement letter on behalf of the Committee. We appreciate the opportunity to work for you and look forward to your prompt response.

Very truly yours,

Deloitte Financial Advisory Services LLP

By:

/s/ Daniel S. Polsky _____

Daniel S. Polsky

Agreed and Accepted by:

Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors of Sound Shore Medical Center of Westchester, et al.

By: /s.

/s/ Ted A. Berkowitz

Name:

Ted A. Berkowitz, Esq.

Title:

Counsel to the Chair of the Committee

Date:

July 19, 2013

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Appendix A

GENERAL BUSINESS TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. Services.

- a) The services (the "Services") provided by Deloitte Financial Advisory Services LLP ("Deloitte FAS") under the engagement letter to which these terms are attached (the "Engagement Letter") may include advice and recommendations, but Deloitte FAS will not make any decisions on behalf of the Committee in connection with the implementation of such advice and recommendations.
- b) The Deliverables (as defined below) are complete only when presented in their entirety and only for the purpose stated therein. Furthermore, (1) neither the Services nor any Deliverables, in whole or in part, shall constitute a fairness or solvency opinion; (2) Deloitte FAS will not provide any legal advice or address any questions of law; and (3) the performance of the Services does not constitute an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, an examination of internal controls, or other attestation or review services in accordance with standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (the "PCAOB"), or other regulatory body.
- 2. Payment. The Debtors or their estates will compensate Deloitte FAS under the terms of the Engagement Letter for the Services performed and expenses incurred, through the term or effective date of this engagement. Subject to any administrative rules or guidelines established in the Cases and/or by the Bankruptcy Court, Deloitte FAS' invoices are due upon receipt. The Debtors shall be responsible for any taxes imposed on the Services or on this engagement, other than income taxes imposed by employment withholding for Deloitte FAS' personnel or on Deloitte FAS' income or property. In addition, Deloitte FAS will be compensated for any time and expenses (including, without limitation, reasonable legal fees and expenses) that Deloitte FAS may incur in considering or responding to discovery requests or other requests for documents or information, or in participating as a witness or otherwise in any legal, regulatory, arbitration, or other proceedings (including, without limitation, those unrelated to the matters that are subject to this engagement) as a result of or in connection with the Services or the Engagement Letter.
- 3. Term. Unless terminated sooner as set forth below, this engagement shall terminate upon the completion of the Services. Either party may terminate this engagement, with or without cause, by giving thirty (30) days prior written notice to the other party. In the event of a termination for cause, the breaching party shall have the right to cure the breach within the notice period. Deloitte FAS may terminate this engagement upon written notice to the Committee if Deloitte FAS determines that the performance of any part of the Services would be in conflict with law or independence or professional rules.

4. Deloitte FAS Technology, Property and Deliverables.

- a) Deloitte FAS has rights in, and may, in connection with the performance of the Services, use, create, modify, or acquire rights in, works of authorship, materials, information, and other intellectual property (collectively, the "Deloitte FAS Technology").
- b) Upon full payment to Deloitte FAS hereunder, and subject to the terms and conditions contained herein, (i) the tangible items specified as deliverables or work product in the Engagement Letter (the "Deliverables") shall become the property of the Committee and (ii) Deloitte FAS hereby grants the Committee a royalty-free, fully paid-up, worldwide, nonexclusive license to use the Deloitte FAS Technology contained in the Deliverables in connection with the use of such Deliverables. Except for the foregoing license grant, Deloitte FAS or its licensors retain all rights in and to all Deloitte FAS Technology.
- c) To the extent Deloitte FAS Technology provided to Committee hereunder constitutes inventory within

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the meaning of section 471 of the Internal Revenue Code, such Deloitte FAS Technology is licensed to the Committee by Deloitte FAS as agent for Deloitte FAS Products Company LLC on the terms and conditions contained herein. The rights granted in this Section 4 do not apply to any Deloitte FAS Technology that is subject to a separate license agreement between Committee and any third party (including Deloitte FAS' affiliates)

5. Limitation on Warranties. This is a services engagement. Deloitte FAS warrants that it shall perform the Services in good faith and with due professional care. DELOITTE FAS DISCLAIMS ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, EITHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE.

6. Limitation on Damages.

- a) Deloitte FAS, its subsidiaries and subcontractors, and their respective personnel shall not be liable to the Committee for any claims, liabilities, or expenses relating to this engagement ("Claims") for an aggregate amount in excess of the fees paid to Deloitte FAS pursuant to this engagement, except to the extent resulting from the gross negligence, bad faith or intentional misconduct of Deloitte FAS or its subcontractors.
- b) In circumstances where any limitation on damages provision hereunder is unavailable, the aggregate liability of Deloitte FAS, its subsidiaries and subcontractors, and their respective personnel for any Claim shall not exceed an amount that is proportional to the relative fault that the conduct of Deloitte FAS and its subcontractors bears to all other conduct giving rise to such Claim.

7. Committee Responsibilities, Third Party Information, and Assumptions.

- a) The Committee shall cooperate with Deloitte FAS in the performance by Deloitte FAS of the Services, including providing Deloitte FAS with timely access to data, information, and personnel of the Debtors. The Debtors shall be solely responsible for: (i) the performance of their personnel and agents; (ii) making all management decisions for the Debtors, performing all management functions for the Debtors, and assuming all management responsibilities for the Debtors; and (iii) the accuracy and completeness of all data and information provided to Deloitte FAS for purposes of the performance of the Services. The Committee acknowledges and agrees that Deloitte FAS' performance is dependent upon the timely and effective satisfaction of the Committee's responsibilities hereunder and timely decisions and approvals of the Committee in connection with the Services. The Committee shall be solely responsible for, among other things: (1) making all decisions the Committee, (2) overseeing the Services, (3) evaluating the adequacy and results of the Services, (4) accepting responsibility for the results of the Services, and (5) establishing and maintaining internal controls for the Committee, including monitoring ongoing activities. Deloitte FAS shall be entitled to rely on all decisions and approvals of the Committee.
- b) Deloitte FAS may use information and data furnished by parties other than the Committee and Debtors and their agents if Deloitte FAS in good faith believes that such information and data is reliable. Deloitte FAS, however, shall neither be responsible for, nor provide any assurance regarding, the accuracy or completeness of any such information or data.
- c) Deloitte FAS shall be entitled to assume, without independent verification, the accuracy and completeness of any and all assumptions provided to Deloitte FAS by or on behalf of the Committee or the Debtors for purposes of the performance of the Services.
- 8. Force Majeure. Neither party shall be liable for any delays or nonperformance directly or indirectly resulting from circumstances or causes beyond its reasonable control, including fire, epidemic or other casualty, act of God, strike or labor dispute, war or other violence, or any law, order, or requirement of any governmental agency or authority.

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- 9. Limitation on Actions. No action, regardless of form, relating to this engagement, may be brought by either party more than one year after the cause of action has accrued, except that an action for nonpayment may be brought by a party not later than one year following the due date of the last payment owing to the party bringing such action.
- 10. Independent Contractor. Nothing contained in these terms shall alter in any way the duties imposed by law on Deloitte FAS in respect of the Services to be provided by Deloitte FAS under this engagement. It is understood and agreed that Deloitte FAS is an independent contractor and that Deloitte FAS is not, and will not be considered to be, an agent, partner, or representative of the Committee.

11. Confidentiality and Internal Use.

- a) All Services and Deliverables shall be solely for the Committee's benefit, and are not intended to be relied upon by any person or entity other than the Committee. The Committee shall not disclose the Services or the Deliverables, or refer to the Services or Deliverables in any communication, to any person or entity other than legal counsel for the Committee; provided, that they have agreed to be bound by confidentiality obligations similar to those in Section 11(b).
- b) To the extent that, in connection with this engagement, either party (each, the "receiving party") comes into possession of any confidential information of the other (the "disclosing party"), it will not disclose such information to any third party without the disclosing party's consent, using at least the same degree of care as it employs in maintaining in confidence its own confidential information of a similar nature, but in no event less than a reasonable degree of care. The disclosing party hereby consents to the receiving party disclosing such information (1) to subcontractors, whether located within or outside of the United States, that are providing services in connection with this engagement and that have agreed to be bound by confidentiality obligations similar to those in this Section 11(b); (2) as may be required by law, regulation, judicial or administrative process, or in accordance with applicable professional standards or rules, or in connection with litigation pertaining hereto; or (3) to the extent such information: (i) is or becomes publicly available other than as the result of a disclosure in breach hereof, (ii) becomes available to the receiving party on a nonconfidential basis from a source that the receiving party believes is not prohibited from disclosing such information to the receiving party, (iii) is already known by the receiving party without any obligation of confidentiality with respect thereto, or (iv) is developed by the receiving party independently of any disclosures made to the receiving party hereunder.
- c) The Services and Deliverables shall be solely for Committee's benefit, and this engagement does not create privity between Deloitte FAS and any person or party other than Committee ("third party"). Neither the Services nor any Deliverables are intended for the express or implied benefit of any third party. Unless otherwise agreed to in writing by Deloitte FAS, no third party is entitled to rely in any manner or for any purpose on the Services or Deliverables.
- 12. Survival and Interpretation. All provisions which are intended by their nature to survive performance of the Services shall survive such performance, or the expiration or termination of this engagement. No affiliated or related entity of Deloitte FAS, or such entity's personnel, shall have any liability hereunder and the Committee will not bring any action against any such affiliated or related entity or such entity's personnel in connection with this engagement. Without limiting the foregoing, such affiliated and related entities are intended third-party beneficiaries of these terms, and may in their own right enforce such terms. Each of the provisions of these terms shall apply to the fullest extent of the law, whether in contract, statute, tort (such as negligence), or otherwise, notwithstanding the failure of the essential purpose of any remedy. Any references herein to the term "including" shall be deemed to be followed by "without limitation".
- 13. Assignment and Subcontracting. Except as provided below, neither party may assign any of its rights or obligations hereunder (including, without limitation, interests or Claims) without the prior written consent of the other party. The Committee hereby consents to Deloitte FAS subcontracting or assigning any portion of the Services to any affiliate or related entity, whether located within or outside of the United

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States. Services performed hereunder by Deloitte FAS' subcontractors shall be invoiced as professional fees on the same basis as Services performed by Deloitte FAS' personnel, unless otherwise agreed.

- 14. Waiver of Jury Trial. THE PARTIES HEREBY IRREVOCABLY WAIVE, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, ALL RIGHTS TO TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY ACTION, PROCEEDING, OR COUNTERCLAIM RELATING TO THIS ENGAGEMENT.
- 15. Non-exclusivity. Deloitte FAS may (1) provide any services to any person or entity and (2) develop for itself, or for others, any materials or processes, including those that may be similar to those produced as a result of the Services, provided that, Deloitte FAS complies with its obligations of confidentiality set forth hereunder.
- 16. Entire Agreement, Amendment, and Notices. These terms, and the Engagement Letter, including attachments, constitute the entire agreement between the parties with respect to this engagement; supersede all other oral and written representations, understandings, or agreements relating to this engagement; and may not be amended except by a written agreement signed by the parties. In the event of any conflict or ambiguity between these terms and the Engagement Letter, these terms shall control. All notices hereunder shall be (a) in writing, (b) delivered to the representatives of the parties at the addresses set forth in the Engagement Letter, unless changed by either party by notice to the other party, and (c) effective upon receipt.
- 17. Governing Law and Severability. These terms, the Engagement Letter, including attachments, and all matters relating to this engagement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the State of New York (without giving effect to the choice of law principles thereof), except to the extent governed by the U.S. Bankruptcy Code, where applicable. If any provision of such terms or the Engagement Letter is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be unenforceable, such provision shall not affect the other provisions, but such unenforceable provision shall be deemed modified to the extent necessary to render it enforceable, preserving to the fullest extent permissible the intent of the parties set forth herein.

EXHIBIT 3

| UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK | |
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| In re: | Chapter 11 |
| SOUND SHORE MEDICAL CENTER OF WESTCHESTER, et al., | |
| Debtors. | Case No. 13-22840 (RDD) (Jointly Administered) |

ORDER AUTHORIZING THE EMPLOYMENT OF DELOITTE FINANCIAL ADVISORY SERVICES LLP AS FINANCIAL ADVISOR FOR THE OFFICIAL COMMITTEE OF UNSECURED CREDITORS NUNC PRO TUNC TO JUNE 12, 2013

Upon the Application (the "Application") to Employ and Retain Deloitte Financial Advisory Services LLP ("Deloitte FAS") as Financial Advisor for the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors, filed by the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors (the "Committee") of Sound Shore Medical Center of Westchester, et al. as debtors and debtors-in-possession (the "Debtors"), pursuant to section 1103 of title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code"). The Court finds that it has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334. The Court further finds that this is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157. After reviewing the Declaration of Daniel S. Polsky (the "Polsky Declaration"), a Director of the firm of Deloitte FAS, in support of the Application, the Court finds that (i) the proposed employment of Deloitte FAS as financial advisor for the Committee is in the best interest of the Committee and the Debtors' estates and (ii) Deloitte FAS and its partners and professionals do not represent or hold any interest adverse to the Committee or Debtors' estates and are disinterested under section 101(14) of the Bankruptcy Code, as modified by section 1103(b) of the Bankruptcy Code. The Court further finds that due and proper notice of the Application having been provided and it

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appearing that no other or further notice need be provided, and after due deliberation and

sufficient cause appearing therefore, the Application should be GRANTED subject to the

terms set forth below. IT IS THEREFORE

ORDERED that the Application is granted pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 1103 and

the Committee is authorized to engage Deloitte FAS pursuant to the terms of Deloitte FAS

Engagement Letter (as defined in the Application), effective as of June 12, 2013; and it is

further

ORDERED that Deloitte FAS shall be compensated for its services and

reimbursed for any related expenses in accordance with the procedures set forth in sections

330 and 331 of the Bankruptcy Code, applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Rules, the

Local Bankruptcy Rules and such other procedures as may be fixed by administrative or

other order of this Court for the compensation and reimbursement of professionals; and it is

further

ORDERED that this Court shall retain jurisdiction over any and all matters

arising from or related to the interpretation or implementation of this Order.

Dated: White Plains, New York

HONORABLE ROBERT D. DRAIN UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

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