# IN THE COURT OF CHANCERY OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

SNOW PHIPPS GROUP, LLC, and DECOPAC HOLDINGS INC.,

Plaintiffs-Counterclaim Defendants,

v.

C.A. No. 2020-0282-KSJM

KCAKE ACQUISITION, INC., KOHLBERG INVESTORS VIII-B, L.P., KOHLBERG INVESTORS VIII-C, L.P., KOHLBERG TE INVESTORS VIII, L.P., KOHLBERG TE INVESTORS VIII-B, L.P., KOHLBERG INVESTORS VIII, L.P., and KOHLBERG PARTNERS VIII, L.P.,

Defendants-Counterclaim Plaintiffs.

## [PROPOSED] WITNESS PROTOCOL FOR REMOTE TRIAL

### A. The Court's Remarks and Questions

After a witness is sworn in, the Court will make the following statements and ask the following questions on the record:

This trial is proceeding before me by remote means through use of the Zoom videoconferencing platform. Before testimony begins, I am going to review some preliminary questions and ask the witness to provide affirm agreement with the Witness Protocol.

- 1. [Ms./Mr. Witness] are you able to clearly hear me?
- 2. Are you able to clearly see me?
- 3. Will counsel for Plaintiffs who will be speaking today please identify themselves. [Counsel for Plaintiffs conducting the examination will speak their name and raise their hand].

- 4. Will counsel for Defendants who will be speaking today please identify themselves. [Counsel for Defendants conducting the examination will speak their name and raise their hand].
- 5. [Ms./Mr. Witness] are you able to clearly see and hear Plaintiffs' and Defendants' counsel?
- 6. If at any time you become unable to see or hear any other participant, I ask that you indicate that right away.
- 7. Do you understand that the oath you have sworn has the same effect as if you were in the courtroom in the Court of Chancery for the State of Delaware?
- 8. Where are you testifying from today (location, address)?
- 9. [Ms./Mr. Witness] You should have received a Witness Protocol from your counsel with the caption of this case and questions that I have asked you. Did you receive that from your counsel?
- 10. Have you read the "Witness Protocol" provided by your counsel?
- 11.Do you have any questions about the "Witness Protocol" provided by your counsel?
- 12. Can you comply with all aspects of the Witness Protocol for the duration of your testimony?

#### **B.** Witness Protocol

Each witness who affirms compliance with this Witness Protocol hereby affirms:

#### A. Location Affirmations

- 1. I am in a room with the door closed or in a separate and private area.
- 2. No one is in the room with me today.
- 3. I have no documents in front of me.
- 4. I do not have a phone with me or accessible to me.

- 5. Other than the device I am using to connect to this trial, I do not have any other computer, tablet or other device with me today.
- 6. I do not have any browser or window active on my computer other than this Zoom conference.
- 7. If I need to change or modify the camera or microphone on my computer to address any issues of hearing or seeing the trial participants, I will first inform the Court that I am doing so.

#### B. Testimony Affirmations

- 1. I will look directly at the camera unless directed to look at an exhibit or other document.
- 2. I will not communicate with counsel or anyone else while I am giving testimony, through verbal or non-verbal communications, text, chat or other means. I understand that if my counsel wants to raise an objection or other question during your testimony, counsel will first address the Court.
- 3. During breaks in testimony, I may communicate with my counsel, but will not discuss the substance or contents of my testimony. I understand that opposing counsel will be permitted to ask if I spoke with my counsel during breaks and if I discussed the substance or contents of my testimony.
- 4. I am not permitted to look on the web or access any information or documents while I am giving testimony or during breaks, unless instructed to do so by counsel or the Court. I understand that opposing counsel will be permitted to ask if looked at any documents or other information during breaks.
- 5. I will not look at exhibits unless directed to do so by counsel during questioning. I will not look at or review other exhibits or documents.
- 6. I will not alter or modify my image or video/audio feed of my testimony.
- 7. I will not record this trial or testimony.
- 8. I understand that the Court's instructions are an order of the Court that is legally binding on me.