

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

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In re:	: Chapter 11
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ADVANTA CORP, <i>et al.</i> ,	: Case No. 09-13931 (KJC)
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Debtors.	: (Jointly Administered)
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	Re: Docket No. <u>159</u>

ORDER PURSUANT TO 11 U.S.C. §§ 327(a), 330 AND 1103(a) AND FED. R. BANKR. P. 2014, 2016 AND 5002 AUTHORIZING THE RETENTION AND EMPLOYMENT OF DRINKER BIDDLE & REATH LLP *NUNC PRO TUNC* TO NOVEMBER 23, 2009 AS COUNSEL TO THE OFFICIAL COMMITTEE OF UNSECURED CREDITORS

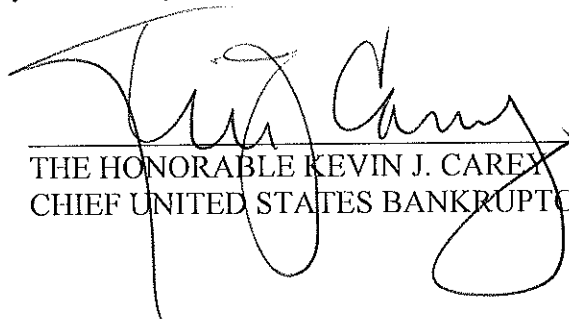
UPON CONSIDERATION of the application (the "Application") of the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors (the "Creditors' Committee") in the above-captioned Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases, for an order, pursuant to sections 327(a), 330 and 1103(a) of Title 11 of the United States Code (as amended, the "Bankruptcy Code") and Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure 2014, 2016 and 5002 (as amended, the "Bankruptcy Rules"), authorizing the Creditors' Committee to employ and retain the law firm of Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP ("Drinker Biddle") as its Delaware counsel, *nunc pro tunc* to November 23, 2009; and upon the Affidavit of Robert K. Malone, a partner of Drinker Biddle, in support of Drinker Biddle's retention and employment as counsel to the Creditors' Committee (the "Malone Affidavit"); and the Court finding based on the representations made in the Application and the Malone Affidavit that, except as disclosed in the Malone Affidavit, said attorneys do not represent any entity having an adverse interest in connection with the Chapter 11 cases and do not hold or represent an interest adverse to the estates with respect to the matters on which Drinker Biddle is retained, and the employment of Drinker Biddle as counsel to the Creditors' Committee is appropriate; and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefore, it is hereby

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED THAT:

1. Pursuant to sections 327(a), 330 and 1103(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, the Committee be and hereby is authorized and empowered to employ the firm of Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP, *nunc pro tunc* to November 23, 2009, to act as its Delaware counsel in connection with these Chapter 11 cases, and Drinker Biddle is authorized to perform the services set forth in the Application and such other services as is necessary and appropriate in connection with the prosecution of these Chapter 11 cases.

2. Drinker Biddle shall be compensated in accordance with the procedures set forth in sections 330 and 331 of the Bankruptcy Code, the applicable Bankruptcy Rules, the rules of this Court, and such other procedures as may be fixed by order of this Court.

Dated: July 2, 2010



THE HONORABLE KEVIN J. CAREY
CHIEF UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE