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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT DISTRICT OF MAINE

In re:

MONTREAL MAINE & ATLANTIC RAILWAY, LTD.

Bk. No. 13-10670 Chapter 11

Debtor.

ORDER SUSTAINING OBJECTION TO PROOF OF CLAIM FILED BY CITY OF SAINTE-HYACINTHE ON THE BASIS THAT SUCH CLAIM IS UNENFORCEABLE AGAINST THE DEBTOR

This matter having come before the Court on the *Objection to Proof of Claim Filed by City of Sainte-Hyacinthe on the Basis that Such Claim is Unenforceable Against the Debtor* (the "<u>Objection</u>")¹ filed by Robert J. Keach, the estate representative (the "<u>Estate Representative</u>") of the post-effective date estate of Montreal Maine & Atlantic Railway, Ltd. (the "<u>Debtor</u>"), in relation to Proof of Claim No. 74 (the "<u>Claim</u>") filed by the City of Sainte Hyacinthe and after such notice and opportunity for hearing as was required by the United States Bankruptcy Code, the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, and this Court's local rules, and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefore; it is hereby <u>ORDERED</u>, <u>ADJUDGED</u>,

and **DECREED** that:

1. The Objection is sustained.

2. Claim No. 74 shall be disallowed in its entirety and expunged from the Debtor's claims register.

Dated: _____, 2016

Honorable Peter J. Cary Chief Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court

¹ Capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Objection.

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NOTICE OF HEARING

On February 22, 2016, Robert J. Keach, the estate representative for the post-effective date estate of Montreal Maine & Atlantic Railway, Ltd. (the "Estate Representative"), filed the *Objection to Proof of Claim Filed by City of Sainte-Hyacinthe on the Basis that Such Claim is Unenforceable Against the Debtor* (the "Objection"). A hearing to consider the Objection has been scheduled for **April 5, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. ET.**

If you wish to respond to the Objection, then <u>on or before March 21, 2016 at 5:00 p.m.</u> (<u>ET</u>), you or your attorney must file with the Court a response to the Objection explaining your position. If you are not able to access the CM/ECF Filing System, then your response should be served upon the Court and the Estate Representative at:

Alec Leddy, Clerk United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Maine 202 Harlow Street Bangor, Maine 04401

-and-

Sam Anderson, Esq. Bernstein, Shur, Sawyer & Nelson, P.A. 100 Middle Street, PO Box 9729 Portland, Maine 04101-5029

If you do have to mail your response to the Court for filing, then you must mail it early enough so that the Court and the Estate Representative will receive it <u>on or before March 21</u>, 2016 at 5:00 p.m. (ET).

You may attend the hearing with respect to the Objection, which is scheduled to be held on <u>April 5, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. ET</u> at the Bankruptcy Court, 537 Congress Street, 2^{nd} Floor, Portland, Maine. If no responses are timely filed and served, then the Court may enter a final order sustaining the Objection without any further hearing.

Your rights may be affected. You should read these papers carefully and discuss them

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with your attorney, if you have one. If you do not have an attorney, you may wish to consult one.

If you or your attorney do not take these steps, the Court may decide that you do not oppose the relief sought, and may enter an order granting the requested relief without further notice or hearing.

Dated: February 22, 2016

ROBERT J. KEACH ESTATE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE POST-EFFECTIVE DATE ESTATE OF MONTREAL MAINE & ATLANTIC RAILWAY, LTD.

By his attorneys:

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