

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN

In re:

Case No. _____-jtg

Chapter 13

Hon. John T. Gregg

Debtor(s).
_____ /

**ORDER APPROVING POST-CONFIRMATION
PLAN AMENDMENT AND SUSPENDING PAYROLL ORDER**

This matter comes before the court on a stipulated _____ post-confirmation plan amendment [Dkt. No. ____] (the “Amendment”) filed by the above-captioned debtor(s) (the “Debtor”) and the chapter 13 trustee (the “Trustee”). In the Amendment, the Debtor and the Trustee request that (i) the confirmed plan [Dkt. No. ____] (the “Plan”) be amended under 11 U.S.C. § 1329(a) to impose a moratorium on plan payments, and (ii) the Payroll Order previously entered in this case [Dkt. No. ____] (the “Payroll Order”) be suspended because of a material financial hardship caused directly or indirectly by COVID-19.¹

Upon review, the court finds that the relief is appropriate on an interim basis.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The Amendment is approved.
2. The Plan is amended to impose a moratorium on plan payments and the Payroll Order is suspended until the earlier of (i) _____ (____) days from the date of the entry of this Order, and (ii) the date upon which the court enters an Order upon the request of the Debtor, the Trustee or any other party interest to reinstate the Payroll Order and lift the moratorium.
3. Nothing contained herein shall preclude the Debtor from seeking further extensions of the relief approved hereunder or from requesting additional relief, including under 11 U.S.C. § 1329(d)(1) (plan length extended to no more than seven years where material financial hardship caused by COVID-19).
4. Parties in interest shall have twenty-one (21) days from the date of the service of this Order to file any objections to the interim relief granted herein. Absent a timely filed objection, this Order shall become a final order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT the Clerk shall serve a copy of this Order pursuant to Fed. R. Bankr. P. 9022 and LBR 5005-4 upon the Debtor, _____, Esq., _____, Esq. and the creditor matrix maintained in this case.

¹ Local Bankruptcy Rule 9013(g) is suspended for purposes of the Amendment. See LBR 9029(e).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT the Debtor shall serve a copy of this Order on the employer subject to the Payroll Order.

[END OF ORDER]