Fill in this information to identify the case:		
United States Bankruptcy Court for the:		
District of Delaware (State)		
Case number (if known):	Chapter	

#### Official Form 201

# Voluntary Petition for Non-Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy

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If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write the debtor's name and the case number (if known). For more information, a separate document, *Instructions for Bankruptcy Forms for Non-Individuals*, is available.

1.	Debtor's Name	Liberate	d Brands LL	.C					
2.	All other names debtor used in the last 8 years								
	Include any assumed names, trade names, and <i>doing</i> business as names								
3.	Debtor's federal Employer Identification Number (EIN)	83-35627	<u>718</u>						
4.	Debtor's address	Principal pla	ce of busine	ss		Mailing ad of busines	dress, if differe	ent from pr	incipal place
		Number	Street			Number	Street		
						P.O. Box			
		Costa Mesa		CA	92627				
		City		State	Zip Code	City		State	Zip Code
						Location o	of principal ass lace of busine	ets, if diffe ss	rent from
		Orange				Nih	Otat		
		County				Number	Street		
						City		State	Zip Code
5.	Debtor's website (URL)	https://www.	liberatedbra	nds.com					
6.	Type of debtor	□ Corporation     □ C	on (including l	Limited Lial	oility Company (	(LLC) and Limited	d Liability Partn	ership (LLP	))
		☐ Partnershi	p (excluding	LLP)					
		☐ Other. Spe	-	•					
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De	btor <u>Liberated Brands LL</u>	Case number (if known)						
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7.	Describe debtor's business	A. Check One:						
		☐ Health Care Business (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(27A))						
		☐ Single Asset Real Estate (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51B))						
		☐ Railroad (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(44))						
		☐ Stockbroker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(53A))						
		☐ Commodity Broker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(6))						
		☐ Clearing Bank (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 781(3))						
		None of the above						
		B. Check all that apply:						
		☐ Tax-exempt entity (as described in 26 U.S.C. § 501)						
		□ Investment company, including hedge fund or pooled investment vehicle (as defined in 15 U.S.C. § 80a-3)						
		☐ Investment advisor (as defined in 15 U.S.C. § 80b-2(a)(11))						
		C. NAICS (North American Industry Classification System) 4-digit code that best describes debtor. See <a href="http://www.uscourts.gov/four-digit-national-association-naics-codes">http://www.uscourts.gov/four-digit-national-association-naics-codes</a> .						
		3159 (Apparel Accessories and Other Apparel Manufacturing)						
8.	Under which chapter of the	Check One:						
	Bankruptcy Code is the debtor filing?	☐ Chapter 7						
	·	☐ Chapter 9						
		☑ Chapter 11. Check all that apply:						
		Debtor's aggregate noncontingent liquidated debts (excluding debts owed to insiders or affiliates) are less than \$3,024,725 (amount subject to adjustment on 4/01/25 and every 3 years after that).						
		☐ The debtor is a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). If the debtor is a small business debtor, attach the most recent balance sheet, statement of operations, cash-flow statement, and federal income tax return or if all of these documents do not exist, follow the procedure in 11 U.S.C. § 1116(1)(B).						
		□ The debtor is a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D), and it chooses to proceed under Subchapter V of Chapter 11.						
		☐ A plan is being filed with this petition.						
		Acceptances of the plan were solicited prepetition from one or more classes of creditors, in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 1126(b).						
		☐ The debtor is required to file periodic reports (for example, 10K and 10Q) with the Securities and Exchange Commission according to § 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. File the Attachment to Voluntary Petition for Non-Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy under Chapter 11 (Official Form 201A) with this form.						
		☐ The debtor is a shell company as defined in the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Rule						
		12b-2.						
		☐ Chapter 12						
9.	Were prior bankruptcy cases filed by or against the debtor within the last 8 years?	☑ No District   ☐ Yes. When MM/DD/YYYY Case number						
	If more than 2 cases, attach a	District When Case number						
	separate list.	MM/DD/YYYY						

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De	ebtor Liberated Brands LL	.C			Case number	(if known)	
	Name						
10	Are any bankruptcy cases pending or being filed by a business partner or an affiliate of the debtor?  List all cases. If more than 1, attach a separate list.	□ No ⊠ Yes.	Debtor District Case num	See Rider 1  District of Dela		Relationship When	Affiliate  02/02/2025  MM / DD / YYYY
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11	. Why is the case filed in <i>this</i> district?	☑ Debt	ediately pred	ceding the date of t	this petition or for	ss, or principal assets in this a longer part of such 180 day ral partner, or partnership is p	s than in any other district.
12	. Does the debtor own or have possession of any real property or personal property that needs immediate attention?		Why does to the lit pose safety.	the property needs	I immediate atter	ediate attention. Attach additintion? (Check all that apply.) minent and identifiable hazard	
			☐ It need	s to be physically	secured or protect	ed from the weather.	
			(for ex			could quickly deteriorate or lo leat, dairy, produce, or securit	
			☐ Other	-			
			Where is th	ne property?	Number	Street	
				-	City	State	Zip Code
			Is the prop	erty insured?			
			☐ Yes. Ir	nsurance agency			
			C	contact name			
			Р	hone			
	Statistical and	administra	ative inform	ation			
13	. Debtor's estimation of	Check one	ı:				
	available funds			able for distribution ative expenses are		ditors. Il be available for distribution	to unsecured creditors.
14	. Estimated number of creditors (on a consolidated basis)	□ 1-49 □ 50-9 □ 100- □ 200-	9 -199	⊠ 5,00	00-5,000 01-10,000 001-25,000	□ 25,001-50,0 □ 50,001-100, □ More than 1	,000

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Debtor Liberated Brands L	тс	_ Case number (if known	)
15. Estimated assets (on a consolidated basis)	□ \$0-\$50,000 □ \$50,001-\$100,000 □ \$100,001-\$500,000 □ \$500,001-\$1 million	□ \$1,000,001-\$10 million □ \$10,000,001-\$50 million □ \$50,000,001-\$100 million ⊠ \$100,000,001-\$500 million	□ \$500,000,001-\$1 billion □ \$1,000,000,001-\$10 billion □ \$10,000,000,001-\$50 billion □ More than \$50 billion
16. Estimated liabilities (on a consolidated basis)	□ \$0-\$50,000 □ \$50,001-\$100,000 □ \$100,001-\$500,000 □ \$500,001-\$1 million	□ \$1,000,001-\$10 million □ \$10,000,001-\$50 million □ \$50,000,001-\$100 million ⊠ \$100,000,001-\$500 million	□ \$500,000,001-\$1 billion □ \$1,000,000,001-\$10 billion □ \$10,000,000,001-\$50 billion □ More than \$50 billion
Request for Reli	ef, Declaration, and Signature	es	
WARNING Bankruptcy fraud is a \$500,000 or imprison	serious crime. Making a false ment for up to 20 years, or both	statement in connection with a bank n. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, ar	kruptcy case can result in fines up to and 3571.
17. Declaration and signature of authorized representative of	The debtor requests relief in petition.	n accordance with the chapter of title	e 11, United States Code, specified in this
debtor	I have been authorized to fi	le this petition on behalf of the debto	or.
	I have examined the information correct.	ation in this petition and have a reas	sonable belief that the information is true and
I d	eclare under penalty of perjury	that the foregoing is true and correc	t.
	Executed on O2/02/20 MM/ DI	025 D / YYYY	
	/s/ Todd Hymel Signature of authorized  Title Chief Executive	d representative of debtor	Todd Hymel Printed name
18. Signature of attorney	/s/ Domenic E. Pacin Signature of attorney for		Date <u>02/02/2025</u> MM/DD/YYYY
	Domenic E. Pacitti Printed name		
	Klehr Harrison Harve	y Branzburg LLP	
	919 N. Market Street, Number	Suite 1000 Street	
	Wilmington		Delaware 19801
	City		State ZIP Code
	(302) 426-1189		dpacitti@klehr.com
	Contact phone		Email address
	3989	Delawa State	re
	Bar number	State	

Fill in this informati	on to identify the case:		
United States Bankru	uptcy Court for the:		
	District of Delaware (State)		
Case number (if known):		Chapter	11

### Rider 1 Pending Bankruptcy Cases Filed by the Debtor and Affiliates of the Debtor

On the date hereof, each of the entities listed below (collectively, the "<u>Debtors</u>") filed, or will file, a petition in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware for relief under chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code. The Debtors are requesting joint administration of these cases under the case number assigned to the chapter 11 case of Liberated Brands LLC.

- Liberated Brands LLC
- Boardriders Retail, LLC
- Liberated AX LLC
- Liberated Brands International, Inc.
- Liberated Brands USA LLC (DE)
- Liberated-Spyder LLC
- Volcom Retail Outlets, LLC
- Volcom Retail, LLC
- Volcom, LLC

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

	)
In re:	) Chapter 11
LIBERATED BRANDS LLC,	) Case No. 25-[] ()
Debtor.	)
	)

#### **LIST OF EQUITY SECURITY HOLDERS**<sup>1</sup>

Equity Holder	Address of Equity Holder	Percentage of Equity Held
HLB Group Holdings LLC	1740 Monrovia Ave Costa Mesa, CA 92627	51%
ABG Intermediate Holdings 2 LLC	1740 Monrovia Ave Costa Mesa, CA 92627	19.9%
Hymel Family Trust	[Redacted]	19.6%
Holman Family Trust	[Redacted]	6.0%
Immegart Family Trust	[Redacted]	2.8%
Fessler Family Trust	[Redacted]	0.7%

This list serves as the disclosure required to be made by the debtor pursuant to Rule 1007 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure. All equity positions listed indicate the record holder of such equity as of the date of commencement of the chapter 11 case.

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

	1		
In re:	) Chapter 11		
LIBERATED BRANDS LLC,	) Case No. 25-[] (		
Debtor.	)		
	)		

#### **CORPORATE OWNERSHIP STATEMENT**

Pursuant to Rules 1007(a)(1) and 7007.1 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, the following are corporations, other than a government unit, that directly or indirectly own 10% or more of any class of the debtor's equity interest:

Shareholder	Approximate Percentage of Shares Held
HLB Group Holdings LLC	51%
ABG Intermediate Holdings 2 LLC	19.9%
Hymel Family Trust	19.6%

Fill in this information to identify the case:		
Debtor name Liberated Brands LLC, et al.  United States Bankruptcy Court for the:  Case number (If known):	District of Delaware (State)	Check if this is an amended filing

#### Official Form 204

## Chapter 11 or Chapter 9 Cases: List of Creditors Who Have the 30 Largest Unsecured Claims and Are Not Insiders

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A list of creditors holding the 20 largest unsecured claims must be filed in a Chapter 11 or Chapter 9 case. Include claims which the debtor disputes. Do not include claims by any person or entity who is an *insider*, as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(31). Also, do not include claims by secured creditors, unless the unsecured claim resulting from inadequate collateral value places the creditor among the holders of the 20 largest unsecured claims.

	Name of creditor and complete mailing address, including zip code	Name, telephone number, and email address of creditor contact	Nature of the claim (for example, trade debts, bank loans, professional services, and government contracts)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, or disputed	Amount of unsecured claim  If the claim is fully unsecured, fill in only unsecured claim amount. If claim is partially secured, fill in total claim amount and deduction for value of collateral or setoff to calculate unsecured claim.		
					Total claim, if partially secured	Deduction for value of collateral or setoff	Unsecured claim
1	Ningbo Jehson Textiles 13th Floor, Block A1, Li Yuan, Shang Du Bldg #203 Lantian Rd. Ningbo, 315012 China	Jehson Cen P: 86-574-27919777 F: 86-574-27919672 cen@jehsontex.com emily@jehsontex.com	Trade Payable				\$3,196,055.04
2	Unis, LLC 218 Machlin Court Walnut, CA 91789	Sam Warheit P: 412-552-4869 sam.warheit@unisco.com	Trade Payable				\$2,040,897.26
3	Dongyang Yilong Garments Co Ltd No. 88 Huaiwan Route, Weishan Industrial Zone, Weishan Town Dongyang, 322109 China	Jette Wang P: 0086-0579-89317118 jettewang@yilong-cn.com	Trade Payable				\$1,799,732.27
4	Fedex 2601 Main St. Suite 1050 Irvine, CA 92614	Joseph Chang P: 909-816-3584 jospeh.chang@fedex.com	Trade Payable				\$1,794,808.06
5	Gramtech Knit, Dying, Fin. & Garm. Ind Ltd Abc Heritage (4th & 5th Floor, 2 & 4 Jashimuddin Avenue, Sector-3, Uttara Dhaka, 1230 Bangladesh	Hasan Mahmud P: 880 1 409261899 h.mahmud@team.com.bd	Trade Payable				\$1,568,798.84
6	Wuxi Shengri General Merchandise Co.,Ltd No.20 Chunhui Road District, Jiangsu, 214000 China	Andrew Lan P: 15006181533 lanjunfei@nishowx.com	Trade Payable				\$1,452,847.08
7	MSP Group Inc. 206 W. 140th St. Los Angeles, CA 90061	Aneez Lakha & Johnny Lim P: 310-660-0022 aneezlakha@gmail.com johnny@mspgroupinc.com	Trade Payable				\$1,386,644.96
8	Everglory Int Grp App Inc 509 Chengxin Avenue, Jiangning Development Zone, Nanjing Jiangsu, 211102 China	May Zhou P: 86-25-52096587 may_zhou@ever-glory.com.cn	Trade Payable				\$1,267,359.28

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Name of creditor and complete mailing address, including zip code		Name, telephone number, and email address of creditor contact	(for example, trade debts, bank loans, professional services,	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, or disputed	Amount of unsecured claim  If the claim is fully unsecured, fill in only unsecured claim amount. If claim is partially secured, fill in total claim amount and deduction for value of collateral or setoff to calculate unsecured claim.		
					Total claim, if partially secured	Deduction for value of collateral or setoff	Unsecure d claim
9	First Insurance Funding 450 Skokie Blvd, Ste 1000 Northbrook, IL 60062-7917	Dezzire Nazario P: 847-236-4309 dezzire.nazario@firstinsurance funding.com	Insurance Premium				\$1,260,782.76
10	Jehsontex Hongkong Limited 13th Floor, Block A1, Li Yuan, Shang Du Bldg #203 Lantian Rd. Ningbo, 315012 China	Jehson Cen P: 86-574-2791 9777 cen@jehsontex.com emily@jehsontex.com	Trade Payable				\$1,155,878.72
11	Alpha Source 7711 Amigos Avenue, Ste. E Downey, CA 90242	Keith Lee P: 310-515-5560 keith@alphasourceco.com	Trade Payable				\$1,023,679.47
12	<b>05 BNG LLC</b> 31 W 34th St. New York, NY 10001	Fritz Winans fwinans@o5group.com	Trade Payable				\$1,000,509.40
13	Team Manufacturing Company Ltd Abc Heritage (4th & 5th Floor, 2 & 4 Jashimuddin Avenue, Sector-3, Uttara C/ Dhaka, 1230 Bangladesh	Hasan Mahmud P: 880 1 409261899 h.mahmud@team.com.bd	Trade Payable				\$982,936.36
14	Infinity Apparels Limited Room 1701, Titan Tower, #535 Tiantong South Road Ningbo, 315199 China	Robert Zhang P: 8613717553502 robertzhang@worldyenb.com	Trade Payable				\$966,365.55
15	Lucky Unique Enterprise Co., Ltd. No. 17, Jianye Rd., Erzhen VII. Tainan, 72046 Taiwan	Jocelyn Chen jocelynchen@luckytext.com.tw	Trade Payable				\$921,745.78
16	Yat Fung Intl Industrial Ltd Unit 803, Ping Fai Industrial, Bldg, 312 Un Chau Street, Cheung Sha Wan, Cheung Sha Wan Kowloon, 999077 Hong Kong	Michelle Lee P: 852-31881445 michelle@yfswimwear.com	Trade Payable				\$915,159.78
17	Sheico (Thailand) Co.,Ltd 240/23 Ratchadaphisek Road 15 Floor Ayodhaya Tower Bangkok, 10310 Thailand	Rebecca Yang P: 886 3- 965-6699 rebecca_yang@sheico.com.tw	Trade Payable				\$904,970.51
18	Flexfit LLC 625 Columbia St. Brea, CA 92821	Austin Oh P: 714-882-3172 F: 714-447-9475 austin@flexfit.com	Trade Payable				\$884,481.83
19	Ningbo Isun Fashion Co,.Ltd No. 77 Dongguan Road, East Fenghua Industrial Development Zone, Ningbo, 315500 China	Brooke Bao P: 86-574-88950183 brooke@nbisun.com	Trade Payable				\$860,328.18
20	Liu Chiao Industrial Co.,Ltd. No. 25, Lane 83, Huaciao St. Chang Hua Hsien, 523946 Taiwan	Eric P: 852-24871145 emily@liuchiao.com.tw	Trade Payable				\$809,968.40

Debtor Name Liberated Brands LLC, et al. Case Number

	Name of creditor and complete mailing address, including zip code	Name, telephone number, and email address of creditor contact	Nature of the claim (for example, trade debts, bank loans, professional services, and government contracts)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, or disputed	Amount of unsecured claim  If the claim is fully unsecured, fill in only unsecured claim amount. If claim is partially secured, fill in total claim amount and deduction for value of collateral or setoff to calculate unsecured claim.		
					Total claim, if partially secured	Deduction for value of collateral or setoff	Unsecured claim
21	Eastman Exports Global Clothing (P) Ltd. 5/591, Sri Lakshmi Nagar, Pitchampalayam Purdur Tirupur, 641603 India	Antony Eme P: 91-421-430-1234 F: 91-421-4301205 antony@eastmanexports.com	Trade Payable				\$790,999.91
22	Centric Brands LLC & Affiliates 350 5th Ave 6th Floor New York, NY 10118	Andrew Rabinowitz arabinowitz@centricbrands.com	Trade Payable				\$750,069.76
23	Google Inc. 1600 Amphitheatre Pkwy Mountain Vlew, CA 94043	Philipp Schindler philipps@google.com	Trade Payable				\$747,080.04
24	Cortech LLC 710 Morgan Falls Road Atlanta, GA 30350	Mariana Gutierrez P: 714-248-5132 mgutierrez@jobsrus.com	Trade Payable				\$699,311.04
25	Dalian Jinzhijie Garments Co. Ltd No. 363 Building of Xlaoyanjia Hongta VIIIage, Yongzheng Street, Jinzhou District Dalian, 116100 China	Rocky Han F: 86-411-87694952 rocky.han@jinzhijie.com.cn	Trade Payable				\$683,861.55
26	B-Heim Co. Ltd. 1302 Kolon Digital Tower Billant II 222-8 Guro3-Dong Guro-Gu Seoul, Korea	Sul Ki Noh skngee@bheim.co.kr	Trade Payable				\$655,471.34
27	Tanya Impex W-18 & 19, Sector -11 Noida, 201301 India	Sunil Grover P: 91-1204504704 sunilgrover@tanyaimpex.com	Trade Payable				\$645,898.28
28	Wai Leng Garment Factory Rue De Francisco Xavier, Pereira Nos 137-145, Industrial Pou Fung 5, Andarb Macau Mo, 999078, China	May Zhou P: 853-62866880 angeline@waileng.com.mo	Trade Payable				\$629,466.20
29	Meta Platforms, Inc. 1 Meta Way Menlo Park, CA 94025	Justin Osofsky F: +353 (0)1 6530737 justinosofsky@fb.com	Trade Payable				\$607,525.80
30	Kwong Platforms, Inc. 16F., No. 105, Sec. 2, Dunhua S. Rd. Taipei City 106 Taiwan	Jenny Hsieh F: +86-2-2709-2550 jenny.hsieh@klf-group.com	Trade Payable				\$566,012.35

Fill in this information to identify the case and this filing:				
Debtor Name	Liberated Brands LLC			
United States Ba	nkruptcy Court for the:	District of Delaware		
Case number (If	known):		(State)	

#### Official Form 202

#### **Declaration Under Penalty of Perjury for Non-Individual Debtors**

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An individual who is authorized to act on behalf of a non-individual debtor, such as a corporation or partnership, must sign and submit this form for the schedules of assets and liabilities, any other document that requires a declaration that is not included in the document, and any amendments of those documents. This form must state the individual's position or relationship to the debtor, the identity of the document, and the date. Bankruptcy Rules 1008 and 9011.

WARNING -- Bankruptcy fraud is a serious crime. Making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$500,000 or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.

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#### **Declaration and signature**

I am the president, another officer, or an authorized agent of the corporation; a member or an authorized agent of the partnership; or another individual serving as a representative of the debtor in this case.

I have examined the information in the documents checked below and I have a reasonable belief that the information is true and correct:

Schedule	Δ/R·	Assets-Real	l and Personal	Property	(Official Form	2064/R)
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- □ Schedule D: Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property (Official Form 206D)
- □ Schedule E/F: Creditors Who Have Unsecured Claims (Official Form 206E/F)
- □ Schedule G: Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases (Official Form 206G)
- ☐ Schedule H: Codebtors (Official Form 206H)
- □ Summary of Assets and Liabilities for Non-Individuals (Official Form 206Sum)
- □ Amended Schedule
- Chapter 11 or Chapter 9 Cases: List of Creditors Who Have the 30 Largest Unsecured Claims and Are Not Insiders (Official Form 204)
- Other document that requires a declaration <u>List of Equity Security Holders, Corporate Ownership Statement,</u> and Certification of Creditor Matrix

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on	02/02/2025	🗷 /s/ Todd Hymel			
	MM/ DD/YYYY	Signature of individual signing on behalf of debtor			
		Todd Hymel			
		Printed name			
		Chief Executive Officer			
		Position or relationship to debtor			

**Declaration Under Penalty of Perjury for Non-Individual Debtors** 

#### **SECRETARY CERTIFICATE**

February 2, 2025

The undersigned, Charles S. Exon III, as the secretary or the authorized person on behalf of Liberated Brands LLC (the "Company"), hereby certifies as follows:

- 1. I am the duly qualified and elected secretary or authorized person on behalf of the Company and, as such, I am familiar with the facts herein certified and I am duly authorized to certify the same on behalf of the Company.
- 2. Attached hereto is a true, complete, and correct copy of the resolutions of the Company's board of managers, duly adopted at a properly convened meeting of board of managers of February 2, 2025, in accordance with the applicable limited liability company agreement (as amended or amended and restated) of the Company.
- 3. Since their adoption and execution, the resolutions have not been modified, rescinded, or amended and are in full force and effect as of the date hereof, and the resolutions are the only resolutions adopted by the Company's board of managers relating to the authorization and ratification of all corporate actions taken in connection with the matters referred to therein.

[Signature Page Follows]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand on behalf of the Company as of the date hereof.

By: (E>01)

Name: Charles S. Exon III

Title: Secretary

#### RESOLUTIONS OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF LIBERATED BRANDS LLC

#### **February 2, 2025**

The members of the board of managers (the "Board") of Liberated Brands, LLC (the "Company"), organized and existing under the internal laws of the state of Delaware as set forth in the Company's limited liability company agreement, hereby takes the following actions and adopts the following resolutions pursuant to the organizational documents of the Company and applicable laws of the state of Delaware:

#### **CHAPTER 11 FILING**

**WHEREAS**, the Board of the Company has reviewed and considered presentations by such Company's management ("<u>Management</u>") and financial and legal advisors (collectively, the "<u>Advisors</u>") regarding the assets, liabilities, obligations, and liquidity of the Company, the strategic and financial alternatives available to it, and the effect of the foregoing on the Company's business;

**WHEREAS**, the Board has reviewed and considered presentations by Management and the Advisors regarding the DIP Facility (as defined herein), memorialized by the DIP Documents (as defined herein);

WHEREAS, the Board has had the opportunity to consult with Management and the Advisors and has fully considered each of the strategic and financial alternatives available to the Company; and

WHEREAS, the Board has determined that the following resolutions and the actions, transactions and documentation contemplated thereby are advisable and in the best interests of the Company, its interest holders, its subsidiaries, its creditors, and the other parties in interest.

#### **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT:**

**RESOLVED**, that in the business judgment of the Board, it is desirable and in the best interests of the Company (including a consideration of its creditors and other parties in interest) that the Company shall be, and hereby is, in all respects, authorized to file, or cause to be filed, a voluntary petition for relief commencing a case (a "<u>Chapter 11 Case</u>") under the provisions of chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code, 11 U.S.C. §§ 101-1532 (the "<u>Bankruptcy Code</u>") in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware (the "<u>Bankruptcy Court</u>") or other court of competent jurisdiction; and

**RESOLVED**, that any partner, director, manager, or other duly appointed officer of the Company (each an "<u>Authorized Signatory</u>" and collectively, the "<u>Authorized Signatories</u>"), acting alone or with one or more other Authorized Signatories be, and they hereby are, authorized, empowered, and directed to execute and file on behalf of the Company all petitions, schedules, lists, and other motions, papers, or documents, and to take any and all action that they deem necessary or proper to obtain such relief, including, without limitation, any action necessary to maintain the ordinary course operation of the Company's business.

**RESOLVED**, that each of the Authorized Signatories be, and they hereby are, with power of delegation, authorized, empowered, and directed to take and perform any and all further acts and deeds that each of the Authorized Signatories deem necessary, proper, or desirable in connection with the Company's Chapter 11 Case, with a view to the successful prosecution of such case.

#### **RETENTION OF PROFESSIONALS**

FURTHER RESOLVED, that each of the Authorized Signatories be, and hereby are, authorized, empowered, and directed to employ on behalf of the Company: (a) the law firm of Kirkland & Ellis LLP and Kirkland & Ellis International LLP as general bankruptcy counsel; (b) the law firm of Klehr Harrison Harvey Branzburg LLP (i) as co-bankruptcy counsel and (ii) conflicts counsel, including to advise the Disinterested Manager in connection with his independent investigation and related matters; and (c) AlixPartners, LLC, as financial advisor; and (d) any other legal counsel, investment bankers, accountants, financial advisors, restructuring advisors, or other professionals the Authorized Signatories deem necessary, appropriate, or advisable, each to represent and assist the Company in carrying out its duties and responsibilities and exercising its rights under the Bankruptcy Code and any applicable law (including, but not limited to, the law firms filing any motions, objections, replies, applications, pleadings, or responses); and in connection therewith, each of the Authorized Signatories, with the power of delegation, is, and hereby are authorized, empowered, and directed, in accordance with the terms and conditions hereof, to execute appropriate retention agreements, pay appropriate retainers, and to cause to be filed appropriate applications for authority to retain such services;

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that each of the Authorized Signatories be, and hereby are, authorized, empowered, and directed to execute and file all petitions, schedules, motions, lists, applications, pleadings, and other papers and to perform such further actions and execute such further documentation that the Authorized Signatories in their absolute discretion deem necessary, proper, appropriate, or desirable in connection with the Company's Chapter 11 Case and in accordance with the foregoing resolutions;

### CASH COLLATERAL, DEBTOR-IN-POSSESSION FINANCING, AND ADEQUATE PROTECTION

**RESOLVED**, that the Company will obtain benefits from (a) the use of collateral, including cash collateral, as that term is defined in section 363(a) of the Bankruptcy Code (the "Cash Collateral"), which may be security for certain prepetition secured lenders (the "Secured Lenders") party to that certain ABL Credit Agreement, dated as of January 29, 2021 (as amended by that certain First Amendment to ABL Credit Agreement, dated as of June 30, 2021, as further amended by that certain Second Amendment to ABL Credit Agreement, dated as of August 16, 2021, as further amended by that certain Third Amendment to ABL Credit Agreement, dated as of September 3, 2021, as further amended by that certain Fourth Amendment to ABL Credit Agreement, dated as of November 1, 2021, as further amended by that certain Fifth Amendment to Credit Agreement, dated as of July 28, 2022, as further amended by that certain Sixth Amendment to Credit Agreement and Waiver, dated as of May 22, 2023, as further amended by that certain Seventh Amendment to Credit Agreement, dated as of September 26, 2023, as further amended by that certain Eighth Amendment to Credit Agreement, dated as of December 19, 2023, as further amended by that certain Ninth Amendment to Credit Agreement, dated as of May 29, 2024, as further amended by that certain Tenth Amendment to Credit Agreement, dated as of August 8, 2024, as further

amended by that certain Eleventh Amendment to Credit Agreement, dated as of November 5, 2024, as further amended by that certain Twelfth Amendment to the Credit Agreement dated as of January 24, 2025, and as may be further amended, restated, amended and restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time prior to the date hereof, the "Prepetition ABL Credit Agreement," by and among Volcom, LLC, Volcom Retail, LLC, Volcom Retail Outlets, LLC, and Volcom Canada, Inc., as borrowers, the lenders party thereto (collectively, the "Prepetition ABL Lenders"), each other loan party thereto, and JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., in its capacity as administrative agent and sole bookrunner and sole lead arranger, and (b) the incurrence of new money debtor-in-possession financing obligations by entering into that certain Senior Secured, Super-Priority Debtor-in-Possession Credit Agreement, among: Volcom, LLC, Volcom Retail, LLC, Volcom Retail Outlets, LLC, Liberated-Spyder LLC, Liberated Brands USA LLC and Boardriders Retail, LLC, each as a borrower, Volcom, LLC, Volcom Retail, LLC, Volcom Retail Outlets, LLC, Liberated-Spyder LLC, Liberated Brands USA LLC and Boardriders Retail, LLC, each as a borrower, the other Loan Parties party thereto from time to time, each lender party thereto from time to time (collectively the "DIP Lenders") and JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. as sole administrative agent and collateral agent (the "DIP Credit Agreement" and together with such financing obligations, the "DIP Facility") to be documented in proposed interim and final orders (together, the "DIP Orders") to be submitted for approval of the Bankruptcy Court;

**RESOLVED**, that in order to use and obtain the benefits of the DIP Facility and the Cash Collateral, and in accordance with section 363 of the Bankruptcy Code, the Company will provide certain liens, claims, and adequate protection to the Secured Lenders (the "Adequate Protection Obligations") as documented in the DIP Orders and submitted for approval to the Bankruptcy Court, and, to the extent that the Companies are required to obtain consent from the Prepetition ABL Lenders to enter into any of the DIP Documents (as defined below), such consent has been obtained;

**RESOLVED**, that the form, terms, and provisions of each of the instruments and documents listed below (collectively and together with the DIP Credit Agreement and the DIP Orders, the "<u>DIP Documents</u>"), substantially in the forms received by or described to the undersigned, and each Company's execution, delivery and performance of its obligations under the DIP Documents, including without limitation the grant of security interests under the DIP Documents, be, and hereby are, in all respects, approved, subject to approval by the Bankruptcy Court of the DIP Credit Agreement:

- a) any fee letter in connection with the DIP Credit Agreement;
- b) any security agreements covering both domestic and foreign collateral, entered into in connection with the DIP Credit Agreement, including, but not limited to, the Canadian Security Agreement;
- c) any intellectual property security agreement in connection with the DIP Credit Agreement;
- d) any assignment documents, notices, financing statements, tax affidavits, and other instruments as the DIP Agent and/or the DIP Lenders may reasonably request or as may be necessary or appropriate to create, preserve and perfect the liens of the DIP Agent and/or the DIP Lenders required pursuant to the DIP Documents;

- e) agreements with third parties (including, without limitation, bank agency agreements, lockbox agreements, cash management agreements, hedge agreements, control agreements, landlord agreements, collateral access agreements, bailee letters, and warehouse letters) relating to the Collateral (as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement); and
- f) such other Loan Documents (as defined in the DIP Credit Agreement), agreements, documents, orders, instruments, letters of credit, acknowledgements, statements, paper, certificates and other documents and instruments, including any interest rate swaps, caps, collars or similar hedging agreement and any financing statements (or amendments thereto) that may be contemplated by, or as may be required by or executed in connection with any of the DIP Documents.

**RESOLVED**, that the form, terms, and provisions of the DIP Orders to which the Companies are or will be subject, and the actions and transactions contemplated thereby be, and hereby are, authorized, adopted, and approved, and each of the Authorized Signatories of the Companies be, and hereby is, authorized and empowered, in the name of and on behalf of the Companies, to take such actions and negotiate or cause to be prepared and negotiated and to execute, deliver, perform, and cause the performance of, the DIP Documents, incur and pay or cause to be paid all fees and expenses and engage such persons, in each case, on the terms or substantially on the terms submitted to the Board, with such changes, additions, and modifications thereto as the officers of the Companies executing the same shall approve, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by such officers' execution and delivery thereof;

**RESOLVED**, that the Company, as debtor and debtor in possession under the Bankruptcy Code be, and hereby is, authorized to incur the Adequate Protection Obligations and obligations under the DIP Documents (the "<u>DIP Obligations</u>") and to undertake any and all related transactions on substantially the same terms as contemplated under the DIP Documents (collectively, the "<u>DIP Transactions</u>"), including granting liens on their assets to secure the Adequate Protection Obligations and the DIP Obligations;

**RESOLVED**, that the Authorized Signatories of the Company be, and hereby are, authorized and directed, and each of them acting alone hereby is, authorized, directed, and empowered in the name of, and on behalf of, the Companies, as debtor and debtor in possession, to take such actions as in their discretion is determined to be necessary, desirable, or appropriate and (i) execute the DIP Transactions, including delivery of: (a) the DIP Documents and such agreements, certificates, instruments, guaranties, notices, and any and all other documents, including, without limitation, any amendments to any DIP Documents; (b) such other instruments, certificates, notices, assignments, and documents as may be reasonably requested by any agent under the Prepetition ABL Credit Agreement or the DIP Documents (each, an "Agent"); and (c) such forms of deposit, account control agreements, officer's certificates, and compliance certificates as may be required by the DIP Documents and perform or cause the Companies to perform the obligations thereunder, (ii) grant and continue to grant liens on its property as set forth in the DIP Documents and to take such further action to maintain and perfect such liens and otherwise as necessary to effect the purposes of the DIP Documents, including, without limitation, to pledge and deliver stock certificates and promissory notes and to execute and deliver any and all certificates, intellectual property security agreements, and (iii) guarantee obligations, as applicable, pursuant to the DIP Documents and the terms of the DIP Facility;

RESOLVED, that each of the Authorized Signatories of the Company be, and hereby is, authorized, directed, and empowered in the name of, and on behalf of, the Companies to file or to authorize the Agents to file any Uniform Commercial Code ("UCC") financing statements, any other equivalent filings, any intellectual property filings and recordation, and any necessary assignments for security or other documents in the name of the Companies that the Agents deems necessary or appropriate to perfect any lien or security interest granted under the DIP Orders, including any such UCC financing statement containing a generic description of collateral, such as "all assets," "all property now or hereafter acquired" and other similar descriptions of like import, and to execute and deliver, and to record or authorize the recording of, such mortgages and deeds of trust in respect of real property of the Companies and such other filings in respect of intellectual and other property of the Companies, in each case as the Agents may reasonably request to perfect the security interests of the Agents under the DIP Orders; and

**RESOLVED**, that each of the Authorized Signatories of the Company be, and hereby is, authorized, directed, and empowered in the name of, and on behalf of, the Company to take all such further actions, including, without limitation, to pay or approve the payment of all fees and expenses payable in connection with the DIP Transactions and all fees and expenses incurred by or on behalf of the Company in connection with the foregoing resolutions, in accordance with the terms of the DIP Documents, to arrange for, negotiate and enter into supplemental agreements, amendments, instruments, certificates, consents or documents relating to the transactions contemplated by any of the DIP Documents and to execute and deliver all such supplemental agreements, amendments, instruments, certificates, consents or documents in the name and on behalf of each Company, which shall in their sole judgment be necessary, proper, or advisable to perform the Company's obligations under or in connection with the DIP Orders or any of the other DIP Documents and the transactions contemplated therein and to carry out fully the intent of the foregoing resolutions.

#### **GENERAL**

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that in addition to the specific authorizations heretofore conferred upon the Authorized Signatories, each of the Authorized Signatories (and their designees and delegates), either individually or as otherwise required by the Company's governing documents and the applicable laws of the state or country of incorporation or formation, as applicable, be, and each of them hereby is, authorized to execute, acknowledge, deliver, and file any and all agreements, certificates, instruments, powers of attorney, letters, forms, transfer, deeds, and other documents on behalf of the Company relating to the foregoing;

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that each of the Authorized Signatories (and their designees and delegates) be, and hereby is, authorized and empowered, in the name of and on behalf of the Company to take or cause to be taken any all such other and further action, and to execute, acknowledge, deliver, and file any and all such agreements, certificates, instruments, and other documents and to pay all expenses, including but not limited to filing fees, in each case as in such Authorized Signatory's absolute discretion, shall be necessary, appropriate, or desirable in order to fully carry out the intent and accomplish the purposes of the resolutions adopted herein;

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Board has received sufficient notice of the actions and transactions relating to the matters contemplated by the foregoing resolutions, as may be

required by the Company's governing documents, or hereby waives any right to have received such notice;

FURTHER RESOLVED, that all acts, actions, and transactions relating to the matters contemplated by the foregoing resolutions done in the name of and on behalf of each Company, which acts would have been approved by the foregoing resolutions except that such acts were taken before the adoption of these resolutions, are hereby in all respects approved, confirmed, and ratified as the true acts and deeds of the Company with the same force and effect as if each such act, transaction, agreement, or certificate had been specifically authorized in advance by resolution of the Company; and

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that any Authorized Signatory (and their designees and delegates) be, and each of them hereby is, authorized to do all such other acts, deeds and other things as the Company itself may lawfully do, in accordance with the Company's governing documents of the Company and the applicable laws of the state or country of incorporation or formation, as applicable, howsoever arising in connection with the matters above, or in furtherance of the intentions expressed in the foregoing resolutions, including, but not limited to, the negotiation, finalization, execution, and delivery of any other agreements, certificates, instruments, powers of attorney, letters, forms, transfer, deeds, and other documents whatsoever as the individual acting may in his/her absolute and unfettered discretion approve, deem or determine necessary, appropriate or advisable, such approval, deeming, or determination to be conclusively evidenced by said individual taking such action or the execution thereof.