

# Exhibit A



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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
OAKLAND DIVISION

In re ) Case No. 00-41584 (RN)  
CROWN VANTAGE, INC., )  
CROWN PAPER CO., ) (Jointly Administered)  
Debtors. ) Chapter 11  
**ORDER GRANTING MOTION BY  
LIQUIDATING TRUSTEE PURSUANT  
TO F.R.B.P. 9019 TO APPROVE  
COMPROMISE OF CONTROVERSY**

The Court has considered the *Request for Order by Default Granting Motion by Liquidating Trustee Pursuant to F.R.B.P. 9019 to Approve Compromise of Controversy* (the "Default Request") and the *Motion by Liquidating Trustee Pursuant to F.R.B.P. 9019 to Approve Compromise of Controversy* (the "Motion"). Unless otherwise defined herein, capitalized terms have the meanings ascribed to them in the Default Request or the Motion, as applicable.

The Court finds that notice of the Motion was appropriate, the settlement embodied within the Settlement Agreement submitted with the Motion, and submitted herewith as **Exhibit A**, is reasonable and in the best interest of the estates and their creditors; and that the Motion and the

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1 supporting declaration establish that the settlement described in the Motion and as set forth in the  
2 Settlement Agreement meets the Ninth Circuit's standards for approval of a compromise and  
3 settlement.

4 Based upon the foregoing, and upon all the papers filed in support of the Motion and in  
5 support of the Default Request, and sufficient cause appearing therefore; it is hereby

6 **ORDERED** as follows:

- 7 1. The Default Request is granted;
- 8 2. The Motion is granted;
- 9 3. The Settlement Agreement submitted herewith as **Exhibit A** is approved and the  
10 Liquidating Trustee is authorized to enter into the Settlement Agreement;
- 11 4. The parties to the Settlement Agreement are authorized and directed to take any and  
12 all necessary actions and to execute any and all necessary documents to effectuate and implement  
13 the terms of the Settlement Agreement;
- 14 5. This Court shall retain jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or related  
15 to the implementation of this Order.

16 **Exhibit A** to this Order was filed as docket no. **2154**.

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18 \*\* END OF ORDER \*\*  
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**Court Service List**

Service shall be effected pursuant to that *Order Authorizing the Retention and Employment of Logan & Company, Inc. as Claims Agent for Debtors and as Noticing Agent for Clerk of the Bankruptcy Court Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 156(c) Nunc Pro Tunc*, entered on April 5, 2000 [Docket No. 62].