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15 UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
16 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

17 In re:
18 STRATOSPHERE CORPORATION,
19 a Delaware corporation,
20 Debtor.

CASE NO. 97-20554 GWZ
CHAPTER 11
(Jointly Administered)

21 In re:
22 STRATOSPHERE GAMING CORP.,
23 a Nevada corporation,
24 Debtor.

Case No. 97-20555 GWZ
Date of Hearing: 12/10/98
Time of Hearing: 10:00 a.m.
Set By: Sheila

25 **ORDER APPROVING FINAL FEE APPLICATION OF**
26 **GIBSON, DUNN & CRUTCHER LLP, SPECIAL SECURITIES LITIGATION**
27 **COUNSEL, SEEKING COMPENSATION FOR LEGAL SERVICES RENDERED**

28 This matter having come before the Court on December 10, 1998,
for hearing on the "Final Fee Application of Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher
LLP, Special Securities Litigation Counsel, Seeking Compensation for
Legal Services Rendered" (the "Final Application") filed by Gibson,

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1 Dunn & Crutcher LLP (the "Gibson Firm"); appearances being made and
2 duly noted; the Court having reviewed the Final Application of the
3 Gibson Firm; the Court having heard the oral arguments of counsel,
4 and good cause appearing therefor;

5 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED pursuant to Bankruptcy Code §§ 330 and 331
6 the Final Application shall be and hereby is, approved in its
7 entirety. The Gibson Firm shall be, and hereby are authorized to
8 draw down on its retainer, in the amount of \$12,500.00, all approved
9 fees and expenses allowed by the Court in this Final Application.
10 Additionally, the Debtors shall be, and are hereby, authorized and
11 directed to immediately pay the Gibson Firm the balance of the
12 compensation allowed by the Court in the Final Application, over and
13 above that amount of the retainer currently held by the Gibson Firm,
14 the amount of \$6,173.07.

15 DATED this 23rd day of December, 1998.

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19 United States Bankruptcy Judge

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