

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
DALLAS DIVISION**

**SECURITIES and EXCHANGE  
COMMISSION,**

**Plaintiff,**

**v.**

**ARISE BANK, JARED RICE, SR., and  
STANLEY FORD,**

**Defendants.**

**Case No. 3:18-cv-0186-M**

**UNOPPOSED MOTION REQUESTING EXTENSION OF TIME FOR  
DEFENDANT JARED RICE TO RESPOND TO PLAINTIFF'S  
COMPLAINT**

COMES NOW, Defendant Jared Rice Sr., and respectfully moves this Court for an order extending the deadline for Defendant to file his Answer, Counterclaim, Third-Party Complaint, or otherwise to move, respond, and plead to Plaintiff's Complaint through August 24, 2018.

The deadline is currently set for, August 17, 2018. [Doc. No. 80] Defendant seeks to extend the deadline by one week until August 24, 2018.

Fed. R. Civ. P. 6(b)(1)(A) provides that where a motion seeking an extension is filed prior to the expiration of a deadline, the Court may extend that deadline for good cause. Good cause exists for the Court to grant the requested extension to provide the Parties additional time to continue with settlement discussions. The

Parties have made significant progress but need additional time. Specifically, the parties have reached an agreement in principal but need time to iron out the specific details.

Counsel for defendant will be unable to finalize those details by August 17. Counsel for defendant is beginning trial in a separate matter on Monday August 13, 2018 (Indictment No. 18-CR-04, Hancock County Superior Court, State of Georgia). Counsel for defendant believed that the case in Hancock County was going to resolve with a negotiated plea this week. That did not occur and the trial is going forward on Monday. A continuance of an additional week will allow the parties to finish settlement discussions without the necessity of Defendant filing an Answer to the Amended Complaint.

No party will be prejudiced as a result of this extension. Counsel for Plaintiff SEC does not oppose the extension requested in this Motion.

Respectfully submitted, this the 10th day of August, 2018.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on August 10, 2018, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to all counsel of record.

I further certify that on August 10, 2018, I served a true and correct copy of the foregoing document via electronic mail on Defendant Stanly Ford at thestormkrow@gmail.com.

*s/John A. Garland*

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