

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

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

vs.

**ARISEBANK,
JARED RICE SR., and
STANLEY FORD,**

Defendants.

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Civil Action No. 3:18-cv-0186-M

**RECEIVER’S CERTIFICATION IN SUPPORT OF
FOURTH FEE APPLICATION**

I, Mark W. Rasmussen, the court appointed Receiver in the above captioned matter, certify that:

- (a) I have read the fourth fee application;
- (b) to the best of my knowledge, information and belief formed after reasonable inquiry, the application and all fees and expenses in it are true and accurate and comply with the Billing Instructions;
- (c) all fees contained in the application are reasonable, necessary and commensurate with the skill and experience required for the activity performed;
- (d) the amount for which reimbursement is sought does not include the amortization of the cost of any investment, equipment, or capital outlay; and
- (e) the requests for reimbursement of services that were justifiably purchased or contracted for from third parties (such as copying, imaging, bulk mail, messenger service, overnight courier, computerized research, or title and lien searches),

include only the amount billed to Jones Day by the third-party vendor and paid by Jones Day to such vendor.

- (f) With respect to the complaint filed against Defendants Richard Smith, Jr. and Kurt F. Matthew, Jr., I have determined that the litigation is likely to produce a net economic benefit to the estate based on my review of presently known circumstances, including: (i) the legal theories on which the action was based; (ii) the likelihood of collection of any judgment obtained; and (iii) the availability of alternative methods of seeking relief.

Dated: February 14, 2019

s/Mark Rasmussen
Mark W. Rasmussen, Receiver