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| 15                                    | Consumer Financial Protection Bureau   | Case No. 8:15-cv-1329                             |
| 16                                    | and Maria T. Vullo, Acting Superintendent of Financial Services of   | FIRST INTERIM FEE                                 |
| 17                                    | the State of New York,   | MATKINS LECK GAMBLE                               |
| 18                                    | Plaintiffs,  | MALLORY & NATSIS LLP,<br>GENERAL COUNSEL TO THE   |
| 19                                    | V.   | RECEIVER FOR PAYMENT OF FEES AND REIMBURSEMENT OF |
| 20                                    | Pension Funding, LLC; Pension<br>Income, LLC; Steven Covey; Edwin<br>Lichtig; and Rex Hofelter,  | EXPENSES  |
| 21                                    | Defendants.  | Date: July 8, 2016<br>Time: 2:30 p.m.             |
| 22                                    | Derenganio.  | Ctrm.: 10A<br>Judge: Hon. Josephine L. Staton     |
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Allen Matkins Leck Gamble Mallory & Natsis LLP ("Allen Matkins"), general counsel to Krista L. Freitag ("Receiver"), the Court-appointed receiver for Defendants Pension Funding, LLC, Pension Income, LLC, and their subsidiaries, affiliates, and successors-in-interest (collectively, "Receivership Entities"), hereby submits this first interim application for approval and payment of fees and reimbursement of expenses ("Application"). This Application covers the period from the Receiver's appointment on January 8, 2016 through March 31, 2016 ("First Application Period"), and seeks interim approval of \$36,163.35 in fees and \$2,057.79 in expenses, and an order authorizing the Receiver to pay, on an interim basis, 80% of the fees incurred (\$28,930.68) and 100% of expenses incurred.

#### I. INTRODUCTION

This equity receivership arises from the Complaint for Violations of the Consumer Financial Protection Act and New York Banking and Financial Services Laws ("Complaint") (Dkt. No. 1) filed on August 20, 2015, by the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau ("Bureau") and Superintendent of Financial Services of the State of New York ("Superintendent"). On or about January 8, 2016, pursuant to the Court's Order Entering Stipulated Preliminary Injunction, Appointment of a Receiver, and Related Matters ("Appointment Order"), the Receiver took control of the Receivership Entities, their books and records, bank accounts, and assets.

The Appointment Order confers full powers of an equity receiver, including full power over all funds, assets, books, records, and other real or personal property of the Receivership Entities, and including all funds and assets transferred from Pension Funding, LLC or Pension Income, LLC to entities controlled or managed by Edwin Lichtig or Rex Hofelter, including PGR, LLC. The Appointment Order also authorizes the Receiver to "engage and employ attorneys, accountants, and other persons" to assist her in the performance of her duties. Dkt. No. 61, Section III(C).

The Receiver promptly determined that her experienced staff at E3 Realty Advisors, Inc., dba E3 Advisors ("E3"), as well as experienced, qualified counsel

was critical due to the number of people involved, the transactional volume, and complex issues facing the receivership estate. Accordingly, the Receiver has costeffectively used her team at E3 to assist in carrying out receivership duties and engaged Allen Matkins to act as her counsel.

In an abundance of caution, the Receiver sought specific Court approval of Allen Matkins' employment, which was granted as reflected in the minutes of the hearing on April 13, 2016. Dkt. Nos. 71, 86. The Court also approved the Receiver's proposal to file reports and fee applications on a quarterly basis. *Id.* 

#### II. FEE APPLICATION

This fee application should be read in conjunction with the Receiver's First Interim Report ("First Report") filed on April 29, 2016 (Dkt. No. 87), which describes in detail the Receiver's activities during the First Application Period. So as to avoid repetition, references are made to relevant portions of the First Report in the below descriptions of Allen Matkins' work.

This Application seeks interim approval of \$36,163.35 in fees for a total of 82.80 hours worked, and payment on an interim basis of 80% of that amount, or \$28,930.68. The work performed is described task-by-task on Exhibit A and is broken down into the following categories:

| Category                 | Hours | Amount      |
|--------------------------|-------|-------------|
| General Receivership     | 31.00 | \$15,676.20 |
| Asset Investigation      | 46.40 | 17,862.75   |
| Operations & Asset Sales | .80   | 388.80      |
| Claims & Distributions   | 4.60  | 2,235.60    |
| Total Fees               | 82.80 | \$36,163.35 |

Allen Matkins has worked diligently and efficiently to assist the Receiver with urgent legal issues facing the receivership estate through the transition to a Court-ordered receivership. The firm's work has allowed the Receiver to preserve and protect the substantial value of receivership estate assets, including over

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\$1.17 million in cash, a \$1.1 million participating interest in a commercial real estate loan, as well as pension payments owed by pensioners. Allen Matkins' work has assisted the Receiver in carrying out her Court-ordered duties and the firm should be compensated on an interim basis.

#### III. SUMMARY OF TASKS PERFORMED AND COSTS INCURRED

## A. <u>Categories and Descriptions of Work</u>

#### 1. <u>General Receivership</u>

Allen Matkins' work in the General Receivership category initially focused on review and analysis of key orders and pleadings, the evidence filed by the Bureau and Superintendent, and case materials, as well as interaction with attorneys for the Bureau and Superintendent, and Defendants. This work was necessary to advise the Receiver on legal issues relating to the scope of the receivership, the duties, responsibilities, and powers conferred on her by the Court, and the effect of other key provisions of the Court's orders. This work was also necessary to advise the Receiver regarding legal issues arising from the prompt transition of management and control of the Receivership Entities, their assets, books and records from Defendants to the Receiver upon entry of the Appointment Order.

In addition, as required under 28 U.S.C. § 754, Allen Matkins assisted the Receiver in promptly filing the Complaint and Appointment Order in other judicial districts in which the Receivership Entities' own assets or have property interests. The Receiver's initial investigation revealed assets located in Northern California, Florida, and Maryland. Accordingly, Allen Matkins promptly filed copies of the Complaint and Appointment Order in the Northern District of California, Middle and Southern Districts of Florida, and District of Maryland. The effect of these filings is to extend the Court's territorial jurisdiction to the Receivership Entities' assets and interests in those districts.

Allen Matkins also drafted the Receiver's Motion for Order in Aid of Receivership ("Motion for Order in Aid") to address certain procedural issues and

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promote the efficient administration of the receivership. The Motion for Order in Aid addressed the following:

- Specific approval of Allen Matkins' employment as legal counsel;
- Relief from Local Rule requirements regarding filing a schedule of known creditors and providing notices to known creditors by mail; and
- The schedule for filing interim reports and interim fee applications.

With limited modifications regarding the under seal filing of a schedule of known creditors with her interim report to be filed in July 2016, the Court approved the Motion for Order in Aid, as reflected in the minutes of the hearing on April 13, 2016 (Dkt. No. 86).

Finally, Allen Matkins' work in this category included reviewing and analyzing pleadings and documents filed in the Chapter 13 bankruptcy case of Defendant Edwin Lichtig, filed on March 1, 2016, in the Northern District of California. This work was necessary to advise the Receiver regarding the impact of the bankruptcy on the receivership, Mr. Lichtig's payment obligation under the stipulated judgment (Dkt. No. 69), and the Receiver's investigation of potential claims. The bankruptcy case was later dismissed on April 20, 2016. The reasonable and necessary fees for Allen Matkins' work in this category total \$15,676.20.

## 2. <u>Asset Investigation</u>

Allen Matkins' time in this category focused on reviewing and advising the Receiver regarding the Receivership Entities' rights and interests under the \$1.1 million loan participation interest noted above. Allen Matkins also issued eight subpoenas to banks, financial institutions, and other third parties to obtain documents necessary to the Receiver's investigation and accounting. The firm also contacted attorneys and accountants (approximately nine different firms) that had been engaged by the Receivership Entities to determine what active legal and accounting matters existed, obtain files, and recover unused retainer balances. Once obtained, these files were reviewed to determine if any action needed to be taken to

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protect the Receivership Entities' interests. Finally, Allen Matkins assisted in investigating transfers from the Receivership Entities to Defendant Lichtig's retirement accounts and evaluating potential claims relating to such transfers.

The reasonable and necessary fees for work in this category total \$17,862.75.

#### 3. Operations & Asset Sales

Allen Matkins' time in this category focused on operational issues, including the Receivership Entities' former website, tax return preparation, and ACH transfers from pensioner power of attorney accounts. The reasonable and necessary fees for work in this category total \$388.80.

#### 4. Claims and Distributions

Allen Matkins' time in this category focused on reviewing and preparing letters giving notice of the receivership to pensioners, investors, and vendors, and in responding to their specific inquiries and communications. The reasonable and necessary fees for work in this category total \$2,235.60.

## B. Summary of Expenses Requested for Reimbursement

Allen Matkins requests the Court approve reimbursement of \$2,057.79 in outof-pocket costs. The itemization of such expenses is summarized below by
category. The majority of the expenses incurred relate to the issuance and service of
subpoenas, payments for documents produced, and the 28 U.S.C. § 754 filings noted
above. As explained above, Allen Matkins issued eight subpoenas to banks,
financial institutions, and other third parties to obtain documents necessary to the
Receiver's investigation and accounting. Each of these subpoenas required proper
service. The total for costs incurred by Allen Matkins during the Application Period
is \$2,057.79 and is broken down by category as follows:

| Category                           | Total    |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| Court Fees                         | \$251.50 |
| Service of Process                 | 1,166.18 |
| Subpoena Document Production Costs | 291.16   |
| Messenger Fees                     | 124.35   |

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| Category            | Total      |
|---------------------|------------|
| Word Processing     | 123.00     |
| Duplication/Postage | 90.46      |
| Conference Calls    | 11.14      |
| TOTAL               | \$2,057.79 |

# IV. THE FEES AND COSTS ARE REASONABLE AND SHOULD BE ALLOWED

"As a general rule, the expenses and fees of a receivership are a charge upon the property administered." *Gaskill v. Gordon*, 27 F.3d 248, 251 (7th Cir. 1994). These expenses include the fees and expenses of this Receiver and his professionals, including Allen Matkins. Decisions regarding the timing and amount of an award of fees and costs to the Receiver and his Professionals are committed to the sound discretion of the Court. See *SEC v. Elliot*, 953 F.2d 1560, 1577 (11th Cir. 1992) (rev'd in part on other grounds, 998 F.2d 922 (11th Cir. 1993)).

In allowing fees, a court should consider "the time, labor and skill required, but not necessarily that actually expended, in the proper performance of the duties imposed by the court upon the receiver[], the fair value of such time, labor and skill measured by conservative business standards, the degree of activity, integrity and dispatch with which the work is conducted and the result obtained." *United States v. Code Prods. Corp.*, 362 F. 2d 669, 673 (3d Cir. 1966) (internal quotation marks omitted). In practical terms, receiver and professional compensation thus ultimately rests upon the result of an equitable, multi-factor balancing test involving the "economy of administration, the burden that the estate may be able to bear, the amount of time required, although not necessarily expended, and the overall value of the services to the estate." *In re Imperial 400 Nat'l, Inc.*, 432 F.2d 232, 237 (3d Cir. 1970). Regardless of how this balancing test is formulated, no single factor is determinative and "a reasonable fee is based [upon] all circumstances surrounding

the receivership." SEC v. W.L. Moody & Co., Bankers (Unincorporated), 374 F. Supp. 465, 480 (S.D. Tex. 1974).

As a preliminary matter, the Appointment Order confers on the Receiver substantial duties and powers, including to conduct such investigation and discovery as is necessary to locate and account for all receivership assets, take such action as is necessary and appropriate to assume control over and preserve receivership assets, and employ attorneys and others to investigate and, where appropriate, institute, pursue, and prosecute all claims and causes of action of whatever kind and nature. *See* Appointment Order, Section III.

The Receiver promptly determined that experienced, qualified counsel was necessary due to the size and complexity of the receivership estate and the Court agreed, specifically approving Allen Matkins' employment. Dkt. No. 86. The Court also approved the Receiver's proposal to file interim reports and fee applications on a quarterly basis. *Id*.

Allen Matkins has submitted a detailed fee application which describes the nature of the services rendered, and the identity and billing rate of each individual performing each task. *See* Exhibit A. Allen Matkins has endeavored to staff matters as efficiently as possible while remaining cognizant of the complexity of issues. The request for fees is based on Allen Matkins' customary billing rates charged for comparable services provided in other matters, less a 10% discount.

The work performed by Allen Matkins was essential to carrying out the Receiver's Court-ordered duties. The Receiver and Allen Matkins have worked diligently since the Receiver's appointment to preserve and protect the assets of the receivership estate, to investigate and recover sums transferred to third parties, and to maximize the funds available for ultimate distribution to investors. Moreover, Allen Matkins seeks payment of only 80% of fees incurred on an interim basis in recognition of the fact that its work in assisting the Receiver is ongoing. Payment of the proposed 20% holdback will be sought at the conclusion of the receivership.

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Allen Matkins' fees are fair and reasonable and should be approved and paid on an 1 2 interim basis. 3 V. **CONCLUSION** Allen Matkins therefore respectfully requests this Court enter an Order: 4 Approving Allen Matkins' fees, on an interim basis, of \$36,163.35; 5 1. 2. Authorizing and directing the Receiver to pay 80% of approved fees, or 6 7 \$28,930.68, from the assets of the Receivership Entities; 3. Approving Allen Matkins' costs in the amount of \$2,057.79 and 8 authorizing and directing the Receiver to reimburse such costs in full; and 9 For such other and further relief as the Court deems appropriate. 10 4. 11 Dated: May 11, 2016 ALLEN MATKINS LECK GAMBLE 12 MALLORY & NATSIS LLP 13 By: /s/ Edward Fates 14 EDWARD G. FATES 15 Attorneys for Receiver KRISTA L. FREITAG 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

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## **EXHIBIT A**

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#### Preliminary Billing Form

Billing Atty: 001665 - Fates

Matter #: 375579-00002

Matter Name: General Receivership

Date of Last Billing:

Client Name: Krista Freitag, as Receiver for Pension Funding LLC and

Proforma Number Client/Matter Joint Group # 375579-1

#### Fees for Matter 375579-00002 (General Receivership)

| Trans Date | Index   | Description of Service Rendered  | Timekeeper       | Hours | Fees     | Sum      |
|------------|---------|--|------------------|-------|----------|----------|
| 01/08/16   | 6750013 | Review CFPB complaint, motion for preliminary injunction/receiver, supporting declarations, and proposed receivership order (2.6); review/analyze terms of stipulated receivership order (.6); discuss same and transition issues with Receiver (.7); assist Receiver in preparing letters to Defendants and banks pursuant to terms of receivership order (.6); initial call with counsel for E. Lightig regarding data preservation and transition issues and advise Receiver regarding same (.8); follow up correspondence with counsel for E. Lightig regarding transition issues, documents and information needed, and meeting to discuss operations (.6). | Fates, Edward G. | 5.9   | 2,867.40 | 2,867.40 |
| 01/11/16   | 6751043 | Review/evaluate the scope of receivership/PI order and advise related to approach to takeover/control issues (.6).   | Zaro, David R.   | 0.6   | 402.30   | 3,269.70 |
| 01/11/16   | 6750166 | Call with Receiver to discuss priority takeover items, notices to investors/consumers, and bank  | Fates, Edward G. | 3.9   | 1,895.40 | 5,165.10 |

| Trans Date | Index   | Description of Service Rendered issues (.6); conference call with E. Lichtig, counsel, and Receiver to   | Timekeeper       | Hours | Fees   | Sum      |
|------------|---------|--|------------------|-------|--------|----------|
|            |         | discuss priority transition issues (1.6); review data provided by E. Lichtig regarding defaulted borrowers, bank accounts, and summary of operations (1.4); review docket for Structured Investments bankruptcy case (.3).   |                  |       |        |          |
| 01/12/16   | 6751218 | Conference call with Receiver and CFPB's counsel to discuss takeover issues, PI/PGR loan participation interest, document production issues, and letters to investors and borrowers (1.4); work on district court filing for 28 USC 754 purposes (.2).   | Fates, Edward G. | 1.6   | 777.60 | 5,942.70 |
| 01/13/16   | 6752690 | Advise Receiver regarding document turnover and recovery from E. Lichtig (.2); conference call with CFPB's counsel and Receiver regarding PI pension plan, E. Lichtig settlement and investigation, and related issues (.7); follow up communications regarding same with Receiver and CFPB's counsel (.2); review schedules of assets and liabilities filed by E. Lichtig and R. Hofelter (.4). | Fates, Edward G. | 1.5   | 729.00 | 6,671.70 |
| 01/21/16   | 6760679 | Address collection/Power of Attorney issues, investor communications and motion for order in aid of receivership (.4).   | Zaro, David R.   | 0.4   | 268.20 | 6,939.90 |
| 01/21/16   | 6758099 | Work on district court filing pursuant to 28 USC 754.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20  | 7,037.10 |
| 01/22/16   | 6759835 | Review stipulation for final judgment filed by CFPB and discuss same with Receiver.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.4   | 194.40 | 7,231.50 |

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| 01/23/16   | 6760865 | Review of the email related to stipulated judgment (.4).  | Zaro, David R.   | 0.4   | 268.20   | 7,499.70  |
| 01/26/16   | 6763665 | Review/evaluate the issues concerning the impact of the judgment upon the receivership and advice to counsel/Receiver re same (.4). | Zaro, David R.   | 0.4   | 268.20   | 7,767.90  |
| 01/27/16   | 6763461 | Work on Florida district court filings pursuant to 28 USC 754.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20    | 7,865.10  |
| 02/04/16   | 6771892 | Work on motion for order in aid of receivership.  | Fates, Edward G. | 2.2   | 1,069.20 | 8,934.30  |
| 02/05/16   | 6773564 | Work on motion for order in aid of receivership (2.9); review further preliminary injunction order entered by Court (.2).           | Fates, Edward G. | 3.1   | 1,506.60 | 10,440.90 |
| 02/08/16   | 6775786 | Work on motion for order in aid of receivership and discuss same with Receiver.   | Fates, Edward G. | 0.4   | 194.40   | 10,635.30 |
| 02/10/16   | 6778073 | Review stipulated final judgment against defendants.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20    | 10,732.50 |
| 02/11/16   | 6781282 | Review/revise document, advice to counsel re motion for order in aid of receivership (.4).  | Zaro, David R.   | 0.4   | 268.20   | 11,000.70 |
| 02/11/16   | 6781299 | Review/evaluate and provide revisions/advice to Receiver's motion for aid of receivership (.4).                                     | Zaro, David R.   | 0.4   | 268.20   | 11,268.90 |
| 02/19/16   | 6784948 | Discuss motion for order in aid of receivership with Receiver and revise same.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.6   | 291.60   | 11,560.50 |
| 02/22/16   | 6785684 | Work on initial report and motion for order in aid.   | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20    | 11,657.70 |

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| 02/23/16   | 6787168 | Work on motion for order in aid of receivership.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20  | 11,754.90 |
| 02/25/16   | 6788955 | Work on motion for order in aid of receivership and discuss facts for motion with Receiver.   | Fates, Edward G. | 0.9   | 437.40 | 12,192.30 |
| 02/26/16   | 6790288 | Call with counsel for CFPB and New York Superintendent regarding status of case, issues regarding E. Lichtig, and motion for order in aid of receivership (.5); finalize motion for order in aid of receivership (.4).  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.9   | 437.40 | 12,629.70 |
| 02/29/16   | 6792518 | Call with counsel for E. Lichtig regarding potential bankruptcy filing and advise Receiver regarding same.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20  | 12,726.90 |
| 03/01/16   | 6795565 | Finalize motion for order in aid of receivership and prepare proposed order regarding same.   | Fates, Edward G. | 0.3   | 145.80 | 12,872.70 |
| 03/02/16   | 6795823 | Locate and review petition, plan, and related documents from E. Lichtig's bankruptcy case (.5); communications with Receiver, CFPB's counsel and New York Superintendent's counsel regarding same (.2); communications with E. Lichtig's bankruptcy counsel (.1). | Fates, Edward G. | 0.8   | 388.80 | 13,261.50 |
| 03/03/16   | 6796509 | Communications with Receiver regarding E. Lichtig's bankruptcy and timing of call with counsel for CFPB and New York Superintendent regarding same (.2); participate on conference call (.4).   | Fates, Edward G. | 0.6   | 291.60 | 13,553.10 |
| 03/04/16   | 6797514 | Communications with E. Lichtig and R. Hofelter's counsel regarding E. Lichtig's bankruptcy and R. Hofelter's  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.3   | 145.80 | 13,698.90 |

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| Trans Date | Index   | Description of Service Rendered  | Timekeeper       | Hours | Fees   | Sum       |
|            |         | payment per stipulated judgment (.2); advise Receiver regarding same (.1).   |                  |       |        |           |
| 03/14/16   | 6806486 | Finalize request for special notice (.2); review chapter 13 docket activity (.1).                                  | Kim, Yale K.     | 0.3   | 155.25 | 13,854.15 |
| 03/15/16   | 6807445 | Review filed request for special notice (.1); review chapter 13 docket activity (.1).                              | Kim, Yale K.     | 0.2   | 103.50 | 13,957.65 |
| 03/17/16   | 6810214 | Review chapter 13 plan (.2); review chapter 13 docket activity (.1); review bankruptcy schedules (.1).             | Kim, Yale K.     | 0.4   | 207.00 | 14,164.65 |
| 03/22/16   | 6813642 | Review status of chapter 13 case and filings.  | Kim, Yale K.     | 0.2   | 103.50 | 14,268.15 |
| 03/24/16   | 6816488 | Calls/emails with counsel concerning<br>the Receiver's motion for order in aid<br>of receivership (.4).            | Zaro, David R.   | 0.4   | 268.20 | 14,536.35 |
| 03/25/16   | 6816461 | Review chapter 13 debtor statement of current monthly income and expenses, and disposable income calculation.      | Kim, Yale K.     | 0.2   | 103.50 | 14,639.85 |
| 03/28/16   | 6818372 | Review CFPB/NY notice of non-<br>opposition to Motion for Order in Aid<br>of Receivership.                         | Fates, Edward G. | 0.1   | 48.60  | 14,688.45 |
| 03/28/16   | 6819195 | Review status of chapter 13 case administration and meeting of creditors.  | Kim, Yale K.     | 0.2   | 103.50 | 14,791.95 |
| 03/29/16   | 6820012 | Communications with counsel for E.<br>Lichtig regarding formal withdrawal as<br>counsel for receivership entities. | Fates, Edward G. | 0.3   | 145.80 | 14,937.75 |
| 03/30/16   | 6821317 | Discuss withdrawal of representation of receivership entities by Bird Marella firm with P. Chan (.3); advise       | Fates, Edward G. | 0.4   | 194.40 | 15,132.15 |

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|------------|---------|--|------------------|-------|--------|-----------|
| 03/30/16   | 6821766 | Review order moving hearing on motion for order in aid of receivership and advise Receiver regarding same.   | Fates, Edward G. | 0.1   | 48.60  | 15,180.75 |
| 03/31/16   | 6821965 | Discuss schedule conflict issue regarding 4/8 hearing date with Receiver (.1) confer with CFPB/NY counsel re same and call to discuss E. Lichtig bankruptcy (.2) communications with court clerk regarding 4/8 scheduling conflict for Receiver, discuss same with Receiver (.4) | Fates, Edward G. | 0.7   | 340.20 | 15,520.95 |
| 03/31/16   | 6822089 | Review amended schedule J (.1); review net monthly income re business income and expense disclosure (.1); review declaration of spouse of debtor in support of plan and contributory income (.1).  | Kim, Yale K.     | 0.3   | 155.25 | 15,676.20 |

#### Disbursements for Matter 375579-00002 (General Receivership)

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|------------|---------|--|----------|--------|
| 01/14/16   | 2196092 | Text Editing ^Create/Edit/Revise Word Documents USER DEFINED 1: 001665 | 0.60     | 18.00  |
| 01/15/16   | 2196093 | Text Editing ^Create Forms/Tables/Charts USER DEFINED 1: 001665        | 0.80     | 24.00  |
| 01/19/16   | 2196094 | Text Editing ^Create Forms/Tables/Charts USER DEFINED 1: 001665        | 0.60     | 18.00  |
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| 01/19/16   | 2208604 | Service of Process Nationwide - JPMORGAN CHASE BANK ^ 426136  | 1.00     | 115.00 |
| 01/20/16   | 2208605 | Filing Fees Nationwide - USDC/SAN FRANCISCO NORTHERN DIST. ^ 426136   | 1.00     | 113.50 |
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| 01/27/16   | 2199020 | Filing Fees Clerk, United States District Court - District of Florida - Filing fee for Miscellaneous Case in FLMD             | 1.00     | 46.00  |
| 01/27/16   | 2199483 | Filing Fees Clerk, United States District Court - Filing Fee - Miscellaneous Case in FLSD                                     | 1.00     | 46.00  |
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| 02/24/16   | 2216483 | Service of Process Nationwide - Service of Process BARTIKNE & ASSOCIATES ^ 141785   | 1.00     | 173.25 |
| 02/26/16   | 2218906 | Reprographics Bakersfield Blueprint & Copy/Trek Imaging Xerox Copies Scanning ^201886   | 1.00     | 80.42  |
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| 03/17/16  | 2216779 |   | Service of Process JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, et al vs. Pension Funding, LLC, et al ^SB708268I1 |                            | 131.68  |
| 03/22/16  | 2216831 |   | Reprographics JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. Consumer Financial Protection Bureau et al v. Pension Funding, LLC, et al ^SB705947I1        |                            | 210.74  |
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| 000313<br>001665<br>001938<br>Total Fees<br>Total Disbursen | ments   | David R. Zaro<br>Edward G. Fates<br>Yale K. Kim | 3.0<br>26.2<br>1.8<br>31.0   | 670.50<br>486.00<br>517.50 | 2,011.50<br>12,733.20<br>931.50<br>15,676.20<br>15,676.20<br>2,057.79 |

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## Preliminary Billing Form

Billing Atty: 001665 - Fates

Matter #: 375579-00003

Matter Name: Asset Investigation

Date of Last Billing:

Client Name: Krista Freitag, as Receiver for Pension Funding LLC and

Proforma Number

Client/Matter Joint Group # 375579-1

#### Fees for Matter 375579-00003 (Asset Investigation)

| Trans Date | Index   | Description of Service Rendered   | Timekeeper       | Hours | Fees   | Sum      |
|------------|---------|---|------------------|-------|--------|----------|
| 01/11/16   | 6750392 | Review PGR loan participation agreement and discuss same with Receiver.   | Fates, Edward G. | 0.8   | 388.80 | 388.80   |
| 01/12/16   | 6751480 | Discuss facts and investigation into PI/PGR loan interests with Lynk Capital and Receiver.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.5   | 243.00 | 631.80   |
| 01/13/16   | 6755732 | Address the issues related to defendants third party transfers/investments in loan participation (.4). Call with counsel, advice to Receiver concerning claw backs and loan participation interests (.2).         | Zaro, David R.   | 0.6   | 402.30 | 1,034.10 |
| 01/14/16   | 6754200 | Review emails and instructions regarding preparation of subpoenas for production of bank account materials.   | Kaup, John T.    | 0.2   | 45.90  | 1,080.00 |
| 01/14/16   | 6753666 | Review information from Lynk Capital relating to PI/PGR investments from profit sharing plan (.2); discuss same with Receiver (.2); work on additional document subpoena relating to Lynk Capital transfers (.3). | Fates, Edward G. | 0.7   | 340.20 | 1,420.20 |
| 01/15/16   | 6755448 | Revise draft subpoenas and research   | Kaup, John T.    | 1.1   | 252.45 | 1,672.65 |
|            |         |   |                  |       |        |          |

| Trans Date | Index   | Description of Service Rendered address and account information.   | Timekeeper       | Hours | Fees   | Sum      |
|------------|---------|--|------------------|-------|--------|----------|
| 01/15/16   | 6754944 | Work on document subpoenas for South County Bank, Chase, First National Land.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.4   | 194.40 | 1,867.05 |
| 01/19/16   | 6756513 | Assist with subpoenas to banks and title companies.  | Kaup, John T.    | 0.3   | 68.85  | 1,935.90 |
| 01/19/16   | 6755806 | Discuss letters to attorneys for PF-PI with Receiver (.2); work on document subpoena to Wells Fargo (.2).  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.4   | 194.40 | 2,130.30 |
| 01/20/16   | 6757785 | Respond to email regarding service of First National Land Transfer.  | Kaup, John T.    | 0.1   | 22.95  | 2,153.25 |
| 01/20/16   | 6756436 | Work on notice letters to various attorneys handling legal matters for receivership entities.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.8   | 388.80 | 2,542.05 |
| 01/21/16   | 6760708 | Review/evaluate the loan participation agreement related to the Lynk loan, assess next steps re collection issues (.7). Call with counsel related to the collection/securing of the loan (.2). | Zaro, David R.   | 0.9   | 603.45 | 3,145.50 |
| 01/21/16   | 6758894 | Review and revise subpoena to Wells Fargo and research regarding service; check status of subpoenas.   | Kaup, John T.    | 0.5   | 114.75 | 3,260.25 |
| 01/21/16   | 6758131 | Work on document subpoenas to Wells Fargo and Lynk Capital, discuss Lynk Capital issues with Receiver.   | Fates, Edward G. | 0.6   | 291.60 | 3,551.85 |
| 01/22/16   | 6759710 | Communications with Attorney S. Katz regarding legal matters handled for PF-PI.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.4   | 194.40 | 3,746.25 |
| 01/25/16   | 6762317 | Work on processing subpoenas for production of documents and follow up on status.  | Kaup, John T.    | 2.0   | 459.00 | 4,205.25 |

| Trans Date | Index   | Description of Service Rendered   | Timekeeper       | Hours | Fees   | Sum      |
|------------|---------|---|------------------|-------|--------|----------|
| 01/25/16   | 6761062 | Work on subpoena and letter to Lynk Capital.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.3   | 145.80 | 4,351.05 |
| 01/26/16   | 6762901 | Follow up and work on additional subpoenas.   | Kaup, John T.    | 1.0   | 229.50 | 4,580.55 |
| 01/26/16   | 6762278 | Work on document subpoena to Chase Bank (.2); email communications with attorneys Givon and Yankwitt regarding matters handled for PF-PI (.2); call with attorney Katz regarding same (.9).   | Fates, Edward G. | 1.3   | 631.80 | 5,212.35 |
| 01/27/16   | 6764155 | Follow up on pending subpoenas.   | Kaup, John T.    | 0.4   | 91.80  | 5,304.15 |
| 01/27/16   | 6762782 | Calls and emails with attorneys<br>Yankwitt, Arrietta, Abrams, and Givon<br>regarding matters handled for PF-<br>PI/PGR, retainer balances, and<br>related issues (1.1); advise Receiver<br>regarding same (.3); discuss issues<br>with Lynk Capital loans with Receiver<br>(.2). | Fates, Edward G. | 1.6   | 777.60 | 6,081.75 |
| 01/28/16   | 6764140 | Review PGR payments to counsel for Defendants and analyze issues regarding same and discuss with Receiver (.2); discuss issues regarding Lynk Capital loan and change in ownership of same with Receiver and arrange call with E. Lichtig counsel regarding same (.4).            | Fates, Edward G. | 0.6   | 291.60 | 6,373.35 |
| 01/29/16   | 6765318 | Call with attorney S. Judson regarding matters handled for PF-PI, production of documents, and turnover of unused retainer balances and follow up emails regarding same and payment instructions (.4); review documents provided by S. Judson                                     | Fates, Edward G. | 0.6   | 291.60 | 6,664.95 |

| Trans Date | Index   | Description of Service Rendered (.2).  | Timekeeper       | Hours | Fees   | Sum      |
|------------|---------|--|------------------|-------|--------|----------|
| 01/29/16   | 6765596 | Advise Receiver regarding communications with pensioner regarding payments owed and collection of same.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20  | 6,762.15 |
| 02/01/16   | 6769490 | Review upcoming deadlines for production of third-party documents.   | Kaup, John T.    | 0.1   | 22.95  | 6,785.10 |
| 02/02/16   | 6769590 | Review documents provided by Lynk Capital and attorney A. Givon regarding pension plan issues (.2); call and emails with A. Givon regarding services provided to PGR, production of documents, and unpaid invoice (.6); communications with Receiver and counsel for E. Lichtig regarding call to discuss pension plan issues (.2).                    | Fates, Edward G. | 1.0   | 486.00 | 7,271.10 |
| 02/03/16   | 6771662 | Review status of subpoenas and telephone call to JPMorgan Chase regarding scope of request.  | Kaup, John T.    | 0.6   | 137.70 | 7,408.80 |
| 02/04/16   | 6773235 | Review latest documents from subpoenas.  | Kaup, John T.    | 0.3   | 68.85  | 7,477.65 |
| 02/04/16   | 6771668 | Communications with counsel for National Land Transfer regarding response to subpoena (.1); communications with attorney D. Arrieta regarding check for unused retainer and production of documents and discuss document production with Receiver (.3); work on letters to out-of-state attorneys regarding collection matters handled for PF-PI (.3). | Fates, Edward G. | 0.7   | 340.20 | 7,817.85 |
| 02/05/16   | 6774657 | Review status of third-party   | Kaup, John T.    | 0.3   | 68.85  | 7,886.70 |

| Trans Date | Index   | Description of Service Rendered subpoenas and update chart.  | Timekeeper       | Hours | Fees   | Sum       |
|------------|---------|--|------------------|-------|--------|-----------|
| 02/08/16   | 6775492 | Call and emails with counsel for E. Lichtig regarding Lynk Capital loan participation and retirement plan issues (.7); follow up communications to attorney A. Givon regarding production of PGR documents (.1); review and revise letters to out-of-state collection attorneys handling matters for receivership entities (.3). | Fates, Edward G. | 1.1   | 534.60 | 8,421.30  |
| 02/08/16   | 6792790 | Review list of former counsel and prepare draft letters to provide notice of receivership and request records (1.8).   | Hsu, Tim         | 1.8   | 680.40 | 9,101.70  |
| 02/09/16   | 6775932 | Follow up communications with attorney D. Arrieta regarding document production (.1); advise Receiver regarding response to E. Lichtig communications regarding retirement plan issues (.2).   | Fates, Edward G. | 0.3   | 145.80 | 9,247.50  |
| 02/09/16   | 6792758 | Gather and prepare letters to send to T.Feher, M.Craige, J.Hellman, G.Singer, D.Lannetti, and Continental Credit re: former engagement and request for records (0.6); Email correspondences re: the same with J.Hellman (0.3).   | Hsu, Tim         | 0.9   | 340.20 | 9,587.70  |
| 02/10/16   | 6778508 | Review subpoenas for production of documents, responses, and update spreadsheet tracking status.   | Kaup, John T.    | 0.9   | 206.55 | 9,794.25  |
| 02/10/16   | 6777245 | Address responses to document subpoenas from Wells Fargo and Chase (.1); communications with D. Arrieta and A. Givon regarding production of documents and conflict  | Fates, Edward G. | 1.3   | 631.80 | 10,426.05 |

| Trans Date | Index   | Description of Service Rendered of interest issues (.4); communications with Receiver regarding Lynk Capital and retirement plan issues (.2); calls with Receiver and Lynk Capital regarding retirement plan issues and hold on interest | Timekeeper       | Hours | Fees   | Sum       |
|------------|---------|--|------------------|-------|--------|-----------|
| 02/10/16   | 6792751 | payments (.6).  Correspondences with G.Singer re: former engagement and request for records (0.3); Correspondences and call with M.Craige re: the same (0.8).  | Hsu, Tim         | 1.1   | 415.80 | 10,841.85 |
| 02/11/16   | 6792694 | Call with G.Singer to discuss former engagement and request for records, and send follow up email re: the same (0.7).  | Hsu, Tim         | 0.7   | 264.60 | 11,106.45 |
| 02/12/16   | 6780361 | Advise Receiver regarding Wells<br>Fargo production of records and<br>expenses regarding same.   | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20  | 11,203.65 |
| 02/12/16   | 6792685 | Correspondences with office of M.Williams, counsel for Continental Central Credit, re: request for information and prior accounts assigned to Continental for collection (0.3).  | Hsu, Tim         | 0.3   | 113.40 | 11,317.05 |
| 02/16/16   | 6792555 | Call and correspondence with T.Feher re: prior engagement, collection litigation, and issues re: privilege (1.1).  | Hsu, Tim         | 1.1   | 415.80 | 11,732.85 |
| 02/17/16   | 6792489 | Review responses received from former counsel re: prior debt-collection litigation and update summary tracking sheet and provide counsel with update; Call and correspondence with S.Franklin re: former engagements for receivership    | Hsu, Tim         | 2.2   | 831.60 | 12,564.45 |

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| Trans Date | Index   | Description of Service Rendered entities (0.6); Correspondence with J.Hellman re: former engagements and issue re: privilege (0.5); Correspondence with T.Feher re: former engagement and issue re: privilege (0.4); Call and email with M.Williams re: collection accounts previously assigned to Continental by receivership entities (0.7). | Timekeeper       | Hours | Fees   | Sum       |
|------------|---------|--|------------------|-------|--------|-----------|
| 02/19/16   | 6786326 | Review of the issues related to investigation of retirement plan/Lichtig's claim to funds, call with counsel to provide legal advice as to next steps (.4).  | Zaro, David R.   | 0.4   | 268.20 | 12,832.65 |
| 02/23/16   | 6787408 | Review and revise document<br>subpoena to former CPA firm and<br>address service and notice issues.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.3   | 145.80 | 12,978.45 |
| 02/23/16   | 6792207 | Prepare subpoena to Bartolme and Associates (0.3).   | Hsu, Tim         | 0.3   | 113.40 | 13,091.85 |
| 02/23/16   | 6792279 | Correspondences with counsel at Hellman Law re: production of records and missing USB drive (0.3).   | Hsu, Tim         | 0.3   | 113.40 | 13,205.25 |
| 02/24/16   | 6787858 | Discuss investigation and accounting regarding retirement plan assets and E. Lichtig statement concerning possible bankruptcy with Receiver.   | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20  | 13,302.45 |
| 02/24/16   | 6792108 | Review records and prepare subpoena to Bartolme and Associates (0.4).  | Hsu, Tim         | 0.4   | 151.20 | 13,453.65 |
| 02/25/16   | 6789213 | Call to discuss issues regarding analysis of retirement plan with Receiver (.5); research regarding bankruptcy exemptions for funds held in retirement plans and advise  | Fates, Edward G. | 1.1   | 534.60 | 13,988.25 |

| Trans Date | Index   | Description of Service Rendered Receiver regarding same (.6).  | Timekeeper       | Hours | Fees   | Sum       |
|------------|---------|--|------------------|-------|--------|-----------|
| 02/29/16   | 6794368 | Review and respond to emails and forward subpoenas regarding Chase accounts.   | Kaup, John T.    | 0.3   | 68.85  | 14,057.10 |
| 03/01/16   | 6795533 | Advise regarding attorney requirement to turn over files for matters handled for receivership entities.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.1   | 48.60  | 14,105.70 |
| 03/01/16   | 6795602 | Calls and correspondence with T.Feher re: demand for turnover of files (0.5); Review productions of documents from former counsel M.Craige and J.Hellman (0.4).                      | Hsu, Tim         | 0.9   | 340.20 | 14,445.90 |
| 03/02/16   | 6796963 | Review/evaluate the issues concerning the Lichtig bankruptcy filing, assess impact on the recovery of the transfers and potential non-discharge claims (.4).                         | Zaro, David R.   | 0.4   | 268.20 | 14,714.10 |
| 03/02/16   | 6796614 | Review and respond to emails regarding Chase productions; telephone call with Mr. Hsu regarding not active lawsuits; begin chart with details on lawsuits with investors.            | Kaup, John T.    | 1.0   | 229.50 | 14,943.60 |
| 03/02/16   | 6825053 | Provide update to Receiver re: production of records from former counsel for receivership entities (0.2); Call and correspondence with outside counsel re: demand for records (0.3). | Hsu, Tim         | 0.5   | 189.00 | 15,132.60 |
| 03/03/16   | 6797671 | Review documents from various productions and prepare chart summarizing non-active cases.  | Kaup, John T.    | 3.1   | 711.45 | 15,844.05 |
| 03/04/16   | 6799393 | Review and update status of document productions.  | Kaup, John T.    | 0.2   | 45.90  | 15,889.95 |

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|------------|---------|--|------------------|-------|--------|-----------|
| 03/04/16   | 6797741 | Advise Receiver regarding communications with Lynk and investigation into profit sharing plan in light of E. Lichtig's bankruptcy. | Fates, Edward G. | 0.1   | 48.60  | 15,938.55 |
| 03/04/16   | 6824849 | Organize tracking table of responses from out of state former counsel and provide update to Receiver re: the same (0.5).           | Hsu, Tim         | 0.5   | 189.00 | 16,127.55 |
| 03/05/16   | 6798781 | Review information relating to pensioner collection matters handled by various out of state counsel.                               | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20  | 16,224.75 |
| 03/07/16   | 6800345 | Review and respond to email regarding chart of non-active matters.   | Kaup, John T.    | 0.1   | 22.95  | 16,247.70 |
| 03/07/16   | 6800001 | Communications with counsel for<br>Lichtig/Hofelter regarding Hofelter's<br>judgment payment and turn over of<br>retainer balance. | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20  | 16,344.90 |
| 03/08/16   | 6802173 | Telephone conferences with subpoena processing for Chase Bank; review orders regarding receivership powers.                        | Kaup, John T.    | 0.9   | 206.55 | 16,551.45 |
| 03/09/16   | 6803274 | Follow-up email with Chase regarding production of Pension Income accounts.  | Kaup, John T.    | 0.3   | 68.85  | 16,620.30 |
| 03/09/16   | 6802074 | Advise regarding Chase subpoena and document production issues.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.1   | 48.60  | 16,668.90 |
| 03/10/16   | 6804512 | Review and respond to emails and follow up on response to Chase subpoena.  | Kaup, John T.    | 0.3   | 68.85  | 16,737.75 |
| 03/11/16   | 6805987 | Telephone call to Ms. Black of Chase regarding production of bank account documents.   | Kaup, John T.    | 0.1   | 22.95  | 16,760.70 |

|   | Trans Date | Index   | Description of Service Rendered   | Timekeeper       | Hours | Fees   | Sum       |
|---|------------|---------|---|------------------|-------|--------|-----------|
|   | 03/11/16   | 6804609 | Communications with counsel for E. Lichtig and R. Hofelter regarding recovery of retainer balance and discuss same with Receiver (.2); analysis of issues regarding E. Lichtig bankruptcy and special notice and advise counsel regarding same (.2).  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.4   | 194.40 | 16,955.10 |
|   | 03/11/16   | 6805357 | Confer re bankruptcy filing of Edward Lichtig and status of CFPB receivership claim against Pension Funding, LLC (.2); review bankruptcy schedules (.2); draft request for special notice (.1); review CFPB complaint against Pension Funding and Lichtig and order appointing receiver (.2). | Kim, Yale K.     | 0.7   | 362.25 | 17,317.35 |
|   | 03/15/16   | 6808016 | Communications with counsel for E. Lichtig regarding return of retainer balance.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20  | 17,414.55 |
|   | 03/16/16   | 6810786 | Follow up on Chase production of bank account documents.  | Kaup, John T.    | 0.3   | 68.85  | 17,483.40 |
|   | 03/16/16   | 6809157 | Advise regarding follow up for document subpoena to Chase bank.   | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20  | 17,580.60 |
|   | 03/17/16   | 6810812 | Review message from Chase Bank regarding status of productions.   | Kaup, John T.    | 0.1   | 22.95  | 17,603.55 |
|   | 03/18/16   | 6812145 | Telephone call to Ms. Black and review and respond to emails from Ms. Ryan regarding Chase productions.   | Kaup, John T.    | 0.3   | 68.85  | 17,672.40 |
|   | 03/21/16   | 6813106 | Review documents produced by Chase and forward related materials.   | Kaup, John T.    | 0.4   | 91.80  | 17,764.20 |
| , | 03/22/16   | 6823540 | Correspondences with office of T.Feher re: request for records (0.2).   | Hsu, Tim         | 0.2   | 75.60  | 17,839.80 |

| Trans Date Index    | Description of Service Rendered                   | Timekeeper    | Hours | Fees   | Sum       |
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| 03/25/16 68177      | 90 Cursory review of documents produced by Chase. | Kaup, John T. | 0.1   | 22.95  | 17,862.75 |
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| Timekeeper Number   | Timekeeper  | Hours         |       | Rate   | Amounts   |
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| 000820              | John T. Kaup                                      | 15.3          |       | 229.50 | 3,511.35  |
| 001665              | Edward G. Fates                                   | 16.9          |       | 486.00 | 8,213.40  |
| 001938              | Yale K. Kim                                       | 0.7           |       | 517.50 | 362.25    |
| 002055              | Tim Hsu   | 11.2          |       | 378.00 | 4,233.60  |
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| Total Disbursements |   |               |       |        | 0.00      |

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## Preliminary Billing Form

Billing Atty: 001665 - Fates

Matter #: 375579-00005

Matter Name: Operations & Asset Sales

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Client Name: Krista Freitag, as Receiver for Pension Funding LLC and

Proforma Number

Client/Matter Joint Group # 375579-1

#### Fees for Matter 375579-00005 (Operations & Asset Sales)

| Trans Date | Index   | Description of Service Rendered   | Timekeeper       | Hours | Fees  | Sum    |
|------------|---------|---|------------------|-------|-------|--------|
| 01/12/16   | 6751318 | Review documents provided by counsel for CPFB relating to transfer and control of PF website. | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20 | 97.20  |
| 01/14/16   | 6753089 | Advise Receiver regarding PF tax return preparation and document recovery issues.             | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20 | 194.40 |
| 01/25/16   | 6761120 | Discuss SICO contracts and bankruptcy issue with Receiver.                                    | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20 | 291.60 |
| 02/04/16   | 6772513 | Discuss issues with ACH transfers from pensioner POA accounts with Receiver.                  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20 | 388.80 |

#### **Proforma Summary**

| Timekeeper Number   | Timekeeper      | Hours | Rate   | Amounts          |
|---------------------|-----------------|-------|--------|------------------|
| 001665              | Edward G. Fates | 0.8   | 486.00 | 388.80<br>388.80 |
| Total Fees          |                 |       |        | 388.80           |
| Total Disbursements |                 |       |        | 0.00             |

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#### Preliminary Billing Form

Billing Atty: 001665 - Fates

Matter #: 375579-00006

Matter Name: Claims & Distributions

Date of Last Billing:

Client Name: Krista Freitag, as Receiver for Pension Funding LLC and

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#### Fees for Matter 375579-00006 (Claims & Distributions)

| Trans Date | Index   | Description of Service Rendered  | Timekeeper       | Hours | Fees    | Sum      |
|------------|---------|--|------------------|-------|---------|----------|
| 01/12/16   | 6751476 | Work on notice letters to borrowers and investors and discuss same with Receiver.  | Fates, Edward G. | 1.7   | 826.20  | 826.20   |
| 01/14/16   | 6753893 | Revisions to notice letter to pensioners (.2); discuss same with Receiver (.2).  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.4   | 194.40  | 1,020.60 |
| 01/15/16   | 6754399 | Work on letter to 25 repaid pensioners.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20   | 1,117.80 |
| 01/20/16   | 6757254 | Discuss and advise regarding responses to investor inquiries with Receiver.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20 · | 1,215.00 |
| 01/22/16   | 6759707 | Discuss vendor notice letters with Receiver.   | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20   | 1,312.20 |
| 01/27/16   | 6762811 | Review investor correspondence and advise Receiver regarding same (.4); assist in preparing responses to pensioner and investor inquiries regarding payments and distributions (.5). | Fates, Edward G. | 0.9   | 437.40  | 1,749.60 |
| 02/03/16   | 6770934 | Advise Receiver regarding response to pensioner inquiries regarding monthly payments.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.1   | 48.60   | 1,798.20 |

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| Trans Date | Index   | Description of Service Rendered   | Timekeeper       | Hours | Fees   | Sum      |
|------------|---------|---|------------------|-------|--------|----------|
| 02/22/16   | 6785302 | Call and emails with counsel for investor in Florida regarding status of case and inquiry regarding timing of distributions and advise Receiver regarding same. | Fates, Edward G. | 0.3   | 145.80 | 1,944.00 |
| 02/24/16   | 6787861 | Advise Receiver regarding response to pensioner inquiry.  | Fates, Edward G. | 0.1   | 48.60  | 1,992.60 |
| 03/07/16   | 6799750 | Review investor email and advise<br>Receiver regarding response to<br>same.   | Fates, Edward G. | 0.1   | 48.60  | 2,041.20 |
| 03/09/16   | 6802712 | Call with counsel for investors regarding E. Lichtig bankruptcy and related issues.   | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20  | 2,138.40 |
| 03/14/16   | 6806240 | Call from pensioner regarding case and receivership, document subpoena issued to Chase, and related issues.   | Fates, Edward G. | 0.2   | 97.20  | 2,235.60 |

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| Timekeeper Number   | Timekeeper      | Hours | Rate   | Amounts  |
|---------------------|-----------------|-------|--------|----------|
| 001665              | Edward G. Fates | 4.6   | 486.00 | 2,235.60 |
| Total Fees          |                 | 4.0   |        | 2,235.60 |
| Total Disbursements |                 |       |        | 0.00     |