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Chapter 11

MONTHLY FEE STATEMENT OF NATIONAL ECONOMIC RESEARCH ASSOCIATES, INC. AS EXPERT WITNESS TO THE DEBTOR

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TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO THER COUNSEL OF RECORD:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that National Economic Research Associates, Inc. ("NERA"), expert witness to The Roman Catholic Bishop of Oakland (the "Debtor"), hereby files its Monthly Professional Fee Statement (the "Monthly Fee Statement") for the period of October 1, 2025 through October 31, 2025 (the "Statement Period"). Pursuant to the Order Authorizing Procedures for Interim Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses of Professionals [Dkt. 170] (the "Interim Fee Order"), the Agreed Order Amending Procedures for Interim Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses of Professionals [Dkt. No. 2101] (the "Amended Interim Fee Order"

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and collectively with the Interim Fee Order, the "Interim Fee Orders") and the *Order Authorizing Employment of National Economic Research Associates, Inc. as an Expert Witness Pursuant to 11 U.S.C § 327* [Dkt. No. 2190], the total professional fees and costs incurred by NERA for services provided to the Debtor for the period of October 1, 2025 through October 31, 2025 is as follows:

Period	Fees	Expenses	Total
October 1 – October 31, 2025	\$10,491.00	\$0.00	\$10,491.00
Net Total Allowed Payments	\$8,392.80	\$0.00	\$8,392.80
This Statement Period			

The itemized billing statements for the fees and costs billed are attached hereto as **Exhibit A.** In accordance with the Interim Fee Orders, each Notice Party shall have until the tenth (10th) day (or the next business day if such day is not a business day) following service of this Monthly Fee Statement (the "Objection Deadline") to serve an objection to the Monthly Fee Statement on NERA and each of the other Notice Parties.

Upon the expiration of the Objection Deadline, the Applicant shall file a certificate of no objection with the Court, after which the Debtor is authorized and directed to pay the Applicant an amount equal to 80% of the fees and 100% of the expenses requested in this Monthly Fee Statement.

If an objection is properly filed, the Debtor shall be authorized and directed to pay the Applicant 80% of the fees and 100% of the expenses not subject to an objection.

Dated: December 1, 2025 NATIONAL ECONOMIC RESEARCH ASSOCIATES, INC.

By: /s/ Ivelina Velikova

Ivelina Velikova Director National Economic Research Associates, Inc.

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Exhibit A

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Professional			Work	Work	
	Billing Rate	Work Date	Hours	Amount	Narrative
Velikova, Ivelina (Director)	USD 825.00	10/6/2025	2.30	1,897.50	Begin preparing interim fee application.
Velikova, Ivelina (Director)	USD 825.00	10/8/2025	1.80	1,485.00	Continue preparation of interim fee application.
Campion, Nicholas (Analyst)	USD 455.00	10/8/2025	0.50	227.50	Work on interim fee application.
Velikova, Ivelina (Director)	USD 825.00	10/10/2025	2.10	1,732.50	Continue preparation of interim fee application.
Campion, Nicholas (Analyst)	USD 455.00	10/10/2025	0.60	273.00	Continue work on interim fee application.
Velikova, Ivelina (Director)	USD 825.00	10/14/2025	3.70	3,052.50	Continue working on fee application.
Campion, Nicholas (Analyst)	USD 455.00	10/14/2025	2.80	1,274.00	Continue work on interim fee application.
Velikova, Ivelina (Director)	USD 825.00	10/15/2025	0.50	412.50	Finalize interim fee application.
Campion, Nicholas (Analyst)	USD 455.00	10/15/2025	0.30	136.50	Continue work on interim fee application.