

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE
COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

v.

BRENDA SMITH, BROAD REACH
CAPITAL, LP, BROAD REACH
PARTNERS, LLC, and BRISTOL
ADVISORS, LLC,

Defendants.

C. A. No. 2:19-cv-17213 (MCA)

**ORDER APPROVING THE RECEIVER, KEVIN D. KENT, ESQUIRE'S
FIRST INTERIM FEE APPLICATION FOR THE PERIOD
JUNE 29, 2020 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2020**

THIS MATTER having come before this Court upon the Motion of Receiver, Kevin D. Kent, Esquire, for Approval of First Interim Fee Application for the Period June 29, 2020 through September 30, 2020;

It is on this 5th day of May, 2021,

ORDERED that the Receiver's First Interim Fee Application is APPROVED;
and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that Payment to Conrad O'Brien PC ("Law Firm") in the amount of \$137,408.64, for services performed through September 30, 2020,

representing eighty percent (80%) of the Law Firm's total fee of \$171,760.80, is APPROVED and may be paid by the Receiver at this time; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that payment to Alvarez & Marsal Disputes and Investigations, LLC ("Accountant") in the amount of \$34,862.00 for services performed through September 30, 2020, representing eighty percent (80%) of the Accountant's total fee of \$43,577.50, is APPROVED and may be paid by the Receiver at this time; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that payment to Conrad O'Brien PC in the amount of \$9,947.40 for expenses incurred through September 30, 2020, representing eighty percent (80%) of the Firm's total expenses of \$12,434.25, is APPROVED and may be paid by the Receiver at this time.

BY THE COURT:



HONORABLE MADELINE COX ARLEO
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE