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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE
COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

v.

JOHN B. BIVONA; SADDLE RIVER
ADVISERS, LLC; SRA MANAGEMENT
ASSOCIATES, LLC; FRANK GREGORY
MAZZOLA

Defendants.

) Case No. 3:16-cv-1386

) ~~[PROPOSED]~~ ORDER
) GRANTING THE
) RECEIVER'S
) ADMINISTRATIVE
) APPLICATION PURSUANT
) TO L.R. 7-11 FOR THE USE
) OF A PUBLICATION
) NOTICE OF CLAIM
) PROCEDURE AND CUT-OFF
) DATE

) Date: N/A
) Time: N/A
) Judge: Edward M. Chen

The Receiver in the above matter, Sherwood Partners, Inc. ("Sherwood"), requests that this Court approve its Application pursuant to L.R. 7-11 for the use of a publication notice, in the form of Exhibit A to the Application, to reach potential investors and creditors who may not be identified in the files of the defendants, and therefore may not be aware of the claim process approved by the Court.

The Receiver makes this application on the basis that the recommended publication, the Wall Street Journal, has the breadth and reach of a national and international publication, and is likely to reach the greatest universe of potentially affected investors and creditors. Moreover, since the defendants' records reflect that affected creditors and investors reside throughout the United States, and in various foreign countries, the use of any local publications either in the

1 Northern District, or other federal districts is not likely to reach the
2 greatest number of affected creditors and investors.

3 The Receiver also represents that the affected parties to this
4 matter have been involved in the drafting of the proposed notice and
5 the selection of the Wall Street Journal, and no affected party opposes
6 this recommendation or the costs of publication set forth in Exhibit B to
7 the Application.

8 GOOD CAUSE APPEARING, the Court hereby authorizes the
9 Receiver to publish the notice set forth in Exhibit A for the projected
10 costs set forth in Exhibit B to its Application.

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12 IT IS SO ORDERED.

13 DATED: December 18, 2017

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15 Judge Edward M. Chen
16 United States District Court

