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Ms. Hopkins is an attorney at law duly licensed to practice in the courts of the State of Texas and admitted into the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas, United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas, United States District Court for the Western District of Texas, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Texas, United States District Court for the Eastern and Western District of Arkansas, the Fifth Circuit, and the United States Supreme Court. Ms. Hopkins is actively engaged in the practice of law and has represented numerous clients involved in financial lending/banking litigation in the State of Texas, which litigation has included lawsuits similar to the one involved in this case. Ms. Hopkins' opinions are based on her review of the pleadings, motions, discovery, attorney fee statements and attorney fee contracts in relation to the present suit, taking into consideration the fees customarily charged by practicing attorneys in Texas for the same or similar services, the time and labor involved, the nature of the case at bar and the complexity of the issues involved, the expertise, reputation and ability of counsel, extent of responsibility assumed, the benefits to be derived by Plaintiff and Defendants, and the costs of expenses incurred in relation to this suit.

Plaintiff reserves the right to amend or supplement this list depending upon further disclosures, discovery, service of discovery responses by Defendant and other parties in this matter, or other developments in this lawsuit.

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