UNITED STATES OF AMERICA Before the SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING File No. 3-20089

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In the Matter of

Scott Eugene Bachman, : ORDER DIRECTING

: DISBURSEMENT OF FAIR FUND

Respondent.

On December 29, 2021, the Division of Enforcement, pursuant to delegated authority, published a Notice of Proposed Plan of Distribution and Opportunity for Comment ("Notice"),¹ pursuant to Rule 1103 of the Commission's Rules on Fair Fund and Disgorgement Plans ("Commission's Rules");² and simultaneously posted the Proposed Plan of Distribution (the "Proposed Plan"). The Notice advised interested persons that they could obtain a copy of the Proposed Plan from the Commission's public website or by submitting a written request to David H. London, United States Securities and Exchange Commission, 33 Arch Street, 24th Floor, Boston, MA 02100-1424. The Notice also advised that all persons desiring to comment on the Proposed Plan could submit their comments, in writing, within 30 days of the Notice. The Commission received no comments on the Proposed Plan during the comment period. On February 28, 2022, the Division of Enforcement, pursuant to delegated authority, issued an order approving the Proposed Plan,³ and posted the approved Plan of Distribution (the "Plan").

³ See Order Approving Plan of Distribution, Exchange Act Rel. No. 94326 (Feb. 28, 2022).

¹ Exchange Act Rel. No. 93874 (Dec. 29, 2021).

² 17 C.F.R. § 201.1103.

The Plan provides for the distribution of the Fair Fund, plus accumulated interest, less taxes, fees, and expenses, to the harmed investors according to the methodology set forth in the Plan.

In accordance with the Plan, the Fund Administrator has compiled the Payee information and prepared a payment file in a Commission-approved format. The Commission staff has reviewed and accepted the payment file and requests, pursuant to Rule 1101(b)(6) of the Commission's Rules on Fair Fund and Disgorgement Plans,⁴ that the Commission direct the payment of \$9,006.82 from the Fair Fund for distribution in accordance with the Plan.

Accordingly, it is hereby ORDERED that the Commission staff shall direct the payment of \$9,006.82 from the Fair Fund for distribution in accordance with the Plan.

For the Commission, by the Division of Enforcement, pursuant to delegated authority.⁵

Vanessa A. Countryman Secretary

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 ^{4 17} C.F.R. § 201.1101(b)(6).
 5 17 C.F.R. § 200.30-4(a)(21)(v).