

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA**

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION, and
STATE OF MINNESOTA, by its Attorney
General, Lori Swanson,

Plaintiffs,

v.

SELLERS PLAYBOOK, INC., a corporation,

EXPOSURE MARKETING COMPANY, a
corporation also, d/b/a Sellers Online and
Sellers Systems,

JESSIE CONNERS TIEVA, individually and
as an officer of SELLERS PLAYBOOK, INC.
and EXPOSURE MARKETING COMPANY,
and

MATTHEW R. TIEVA, individually and as an
officer of SELLERS PLAYBOOK, INC. and
EXPOSURE MARKETING COMPANY,

Defendants.

Civil No. 18-2207 (DWF/TNL)

**ORDER GRANTING
TEMPORARY RECEIVER'S
MOTION FOR ORDER
APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING
PAYMENT OF RECEIVER'S AND
PROFESSIONAL'S FEES AND
COSTS FROM INCEPTION OF
THE RECEIVERSHIP ESTATE
THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2018**

This matter is before the Court on a Motion for Order Approving and Authorizing Payment of Receiver's and Professional's Fees and Costs From Inception of the Receivership Estate Through September 30, 2018 ("Motion") (Doc. No. 50) brought by Temporary Receiver, Robb Evans & Associates LLC ("Receiver").

The Court, having read and considered the Motion, Memorandum of Law, Declarations of Brick Kane and Gary Owen Caris, and all other pleadings and evidence

filed in support thereof, and no opposition to the Motion having been filed, and good cause appearing therefore, it is hereby **ORDERED** that:

1. The Motion (Doc. No. [50]) and all relief sought therein is **GRANTED** in its entirety;

2. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the following fees and costs incurred from the inception of the receivership, on July 30, 2018, through September 30, 2018 (“Initial Expense Period”) are hereby approved and authorized to be paid from the assets of the receivership estate:

A. The fees of the Receiver, the Receiver’s members and staff of \$83,082.45 and Receiver’s costs of \$13,092.08, for a total of \$96,174.53; and

B. The fees of the Receiver’s counsel, Barnes & Thornburg LLP of \$15,244.10 and costs of \$464.77, for a total of \$15,708.87.

3. Because the Receiver does not presently have on hand sufficient funds in the receivership estate to pay in full the fees and costs approved herein, the Receiver is authorized to pay such fees and costs at such time as there becomes available funds in the receivership estate to do so and the Receiver determines in its discretion that such payment is prudent and appropriate based on available funds. If funds become available to pay less than all approved fees and costs, payment shall be made on a pro rata basis as between the Receiver and its counsel.

Dated: November 30, 2018

s/Donovan W. Frank
DONOVAN W. FRANK
United States District Judge