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14 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
15 **CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
16 **WESTERN DIVISION**

17 SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE)
18 COMMISSION,)

19 Plaintiff,)

20 vs.)

21 DIVERSIFIED LENDING GROUP,)
22 INC.; APPLIED EQUITIES, INC.; AND)
23 BRUCE FRIEDMAN,)

24 Defendants.)

25 and)

26 TINA M. PLACOURAKIS,)

27 Relief Defendant.)

Case No. CV 09-01533-R-SS

**ORDER GRANTING
RECEIVER'S EX PARTE
APPLICATION TO APPROVE
SETTLEMENT AGREEMENTS
BETWEEN RECEIVER AND
MICHAEL RUSSON AND
BETWEEN RECEIVER AND
VENILLE R. RUSSON AND
MYRA J. RUSSON INTER VIVOS
TRUST AGREEMENT DATED
2-16-82**

[No hearing requested]

28 The Court having considered the *Ex Parte Application to Approve Settlement
Agreements Between the Receiver and Michael Russon and Between Receiver and
Venille R. Russon and Myra J. Russon Inter Vivos Trust Agreement date 2-16-82* (the

1 “Application”) filed by David A. Gill, the Receiver (the “Receiver”) in the above-
2 captioned case, due notice having been given, and good cause appearing:

3 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

4 1. The Application is approved.

5 2. The *Settlement Agreement between Receiver and Michael Russon* (the
6 “Russon Agreement”), a copy of which is attached as Exhibit “1” to the Declaration
7 of David A. Gill in support of the Application is approved in its entirety.

8 3. The *Settlement Agreement between Receiver and Venille R. Russon and*
9 *Myra J. Russon Inter Vivos Trust Agreement dated 2-16-82* (the “Trust Agreement”),
10 a copy of which is attached as Exhibit “2” to the Declaration of David A. Gill in
11 support of the Application is approved in its entirety.

12 4. The Receiver is authorized to take all actions and execute all documents,
13 including but not limited to executing any forms required by Jackson National
14 Insurance Company, Inc., in order to consummate the Russon Agreement and the
15 Trust Agreement.

16 5. The form and manner of Notice of Ex Parte Application and the Ex
17 Parte Application provided by the Receiver is appropriate.

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20 Dated: February 24, 2010



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22 MANUEL L. REAL
23 United States District Judge
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