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The Honorable Dora L. Irizarry United States District Court Eastern District of New York 225 Cadman Plaza East Brooklyn, NY 11201

Re: Securities and Exchange Commission v. Platinum Management (NY) LLC, et al.,

No. 16-cv-6848 (DLI) (VMS)

Dear Chief Judge Irizarry:

We represent defendant Jeffrey Shulse in the above-referenced proceeding. Pursuant to the Court's standing order, we write to inform the Court that Mr. Shulse takes no position with respect to the Receiver's application for an order approving the proposed settlement with Heartland Bank (Dkt. Nos. 242-44).

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Michael D. Mann

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cc: All Counsel of Record (via ECF)

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