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STATE OF MINNESOTA COUNTY OF CARVER

DISTRICT COURT
FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT
PROBATE DIVISION
Case Type: Special Administration

In re:

Estate of Prince Rogers Nelson, Deceased.

Court File No. 10-PR-16-46

ORDER APPROVING PAYMENT OF ATTORNEYS' FEESFOR PERIOD JANUARY 1, 2018 THROUGH NOVEMBER 2, 2018

Before the Court is a motion by Justin Bruntjen, prior counsel for Alfred Jackson ("Jackson"), for approval of certain fees from the Estate of Prince Rogers Nelson (the "Estate") for services performed by Mr. Bruntjen. Based upon the Motion, and the supporting material submitted, the Court hereby grants the motion and approves the payment of attorneys' fees and costs to Mr. Bruntjen from assets of the Estate in accordance with Minnesota Statutes Sections 525.515 and 524.3-720:

## **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

- 1. Given the size, nature, and complexity of the Estate and the number of potentially interested persons involved in this matter, Attorney has managed significant undertakings which has benefited the Estate and beneficiaries. After a close review of the record as well as the detailed memorandum in support of the motion, the supported affidavit that accompanies the motion, and the fee statements, the Court concludes that the legal fees, charged to the Estate are fair and reasonable.
- 2. Mr. Bruntjen is entitled to fees pursuant to Minnesota Statutes sections 525.515 and 524.3-720.

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3. The reasonable compensation to Mr. Bruntjen for his services rendered from January 1, 2018 through November 2, 2018, the results of which have benefited the Estate, is \$296,752.50 in Estate related fees.

## IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The Motion by Attorney for the payment of attorney's fees for services performed by Attorneys from January 1, 2018 through November 2, 2018 is GRANTED.
- Within 5 days of the receipt of this Order, the Administrator shall pay
   \$296,752.50 to Attorneys from the assets of the Estate for its services performed from
   January 1, 2018 through November 2, 2018

## IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated:	, 2019	BY THE COURT:	
		The Honorable Kevin W. Eide	
		Judge of the District Court	