

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
Case No. 9:19-CV-80633-ROSENBERG**

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

v.

NATURAL DIAMONDS INVESTMENT CO.,  
et al.,

Defendants,

H.S. MANAGEMENT GROUP LLC, et al.,

Relief Defendants.

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**ORDER GRANTING UNOPPOSED FIFTH APPLICATION FOR  
ALLOWANCE OF COMPENSATION AND REIMBURSEMENT  
OF EXPENSES TO THE RECEIVER AND HIS PROFESSIONALS**

THIS CAUSE is before the court upon the Fifth Application of Jeffrey C. Schneider, not individually, but solely in his capacity as the court-appointed receiver (the “Receiver”),<sup>1</sup> for Allowance of Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses to the Receiver and his Professionals [DE 281] (the “Fifth Application”). The Court, having reviewed the Fifth Application, having been advised of the parties’ unopposed positions with respect thereto, and being otherwise duly advised in the premises, hereby **ORDERS AND ADJUDGES** as follows:

1. The Fifth Application is **GRANTED**.
2. The Court authorizes the Receiver to make the following payments from the Argyle receivership bank account:


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<sup>1</sup> On May 16, 2019, this Court appointed Mr. Schneider as receiver for Argyle Coin, LLC [DE 20]. On July 11, 2019, this Court granted the Receiver’s Motion to Expand Receivership to include Natural Diamonds Investment Co. and Eagle Financial Diamond Group, Inc. a/k/a Diamante Atelier [DE 97, 104].

- (a) The Receiver is authorized to pay himself compensation in the amount of \$21,646.00;
- (b) The Receiver is authorized to pay his law firm Levine Kellogg Lehman Schneider + Grossman LLP compensation in the amount of \$32,085.00 and reimbursement of expenses in the amount of \$63.55, for a total of \$32,148.55; and
- (c) The Receiver is authorized to pay Sallah Astarita & Cox, LLC compensation in the amount of \$15,247.00 and reimbursement of expenses in the amount of \$205.00, for a total of \$15,452.00.

**DONE and ORDERED** in Chambers, West Palm Beach, Florida, this 17th day of February, 2021.

Copies furnished to:  
Counsel of Record

  
ROBIN L. ROSENBERG  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE