

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA**

UNITED STATES SECURITIES
AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

Civ. No. 11-cv-574 (MJD/FLN)

v.

JASON BO-ALAN BECKMAN, et al.,

Defendants,

R.J. ZAYED,

Receiver.

U.S. COMMODITY FUTURES
TRADING COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

Civ. No. 09-cv-3332 (MJD/JSM)

v.

TREVOR COOK, et al.,

Defendants.

R.J. ZAYED,

Receiver.

UNITED STATES SECURITIES
AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

Civ. No. 09-cv-3333 (MJD/JSM)

v.

TREVOR G. COOK, et al.,

Defendants,

R.J. ZAYED,

Receiver.

DECLARATION OF BRIAN Z. BARK

I, Brian Z. Bark, declare as follows:

1. I am an attorney at the law firm of Irell & Manella LLP, counsel for NRP Financial, Inc. I am a member in good standing of the State Bar of California. I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth in this Declaration and, if called as a witness, could and would testify competently to such facts under oath.

2. Attached as Exhibit A is a true and correct copy of Financial Institution Bond, Number 626-032395-9 received from United States Fire Insurance Company.

Executed on May 12, 2011, at Newport Beach, California.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

/s Brian Z. Bark

Brian Z. Bark