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IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS **DALLAS DIVISION**

In re:	8	Chapter 11
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HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P., 1	8	Cara Na. 10 24054 as:11
	8	Case No. 19-34054-sgj11
Reorganized Debtor.	§	
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HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P.,	§	
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Plaintiff,	§	Adversary Proceeding No.
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VS.	8	21-03005-sgj
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NEXPOINT ADVISORS, L.P., JAMES	8	
DONDERO, NANCY DONDERO AND THE	8	
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DUGABOY INVESTMENT TRUST,	8	
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Defendants.	8	
HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P.,	§	
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Plaintiff,	Ş	Adversary Proceeding No.
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¹ The Reorganized Debtor's last four digits of its taxpayer identification number are (6725). The headquarters and service address for the above-captioned Reorganized Debtor is 100 Crescent Court, Suite 1850, Dallas, TX 75201.

HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT	§	
SERVICES, INC., JAMES DONDERO, NANCY	§	
DONDERO, AND THE DUGABOY	§	
INVESTMENT TRUST,	§	
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Defendants.	§	
HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P.,	§	
	§	
Plaintiff,	§	Adversary Proceeding No.
	§	
VS.	§	21-03007-sgj
	§	
HCRE PARTNERS, LLC (N/K/A NEXPOINT	§	
REAL ESTATE PARTNERS, LLC), JAMES	§	
DONDERO, NANCY DONDERO, AND THE	§	
DUGABOY INVESTMENT TRUST,	§	
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Defendants.	§	

HIGHLAND'S OBJECTION TO MOTION OF DEFENDANT NEXPOINT ADVISORS, L.P. TO EXTEND EXPERT DISCLOSURE AND DISCOVERY DEADLINES

Highland Capital Management, L.P., the reorganized debtor ("<u>Highland</u>") in the above-captioned chapter 11 case (the "<u>Bankruptcy Case</u>") and the plaintiff in the above-captioned adversary proceeding (the "<u>Adversary Proceeding</u>"), hereby objects (the "<u>Objection</u>") to the *Motion of NexPoint Advisors, L.P. to Extend Expert Disclosure and Discovery Deadlines* [AP Docket No. 86]² (the "<u>Motion</u>") filed by defendant NexPoint Advisors, L.P. ("<u>NexPoint</u>") and joined by certain defendants in other related adversary proceedings. Highland fully incorporates by reference its contemporaneously filed brief (the "<u>Brief</u>")³ in opposition to the Motions and would show unto the Court as follows:

² Unless specified otherwise, references to "AP Docket No. __" are to the docket entries in NexPoint's Adversary Proceeding, 21-03005.

³ Capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall take on the meaning scribed thereto in the Brief.

RELIEF REQUESTED

- 1. By this Objection, Highland respectfully requests that the Court enter an order denying the Motions seeking to extend the expert disclosure and discovery deadlines set forth in the Scheduling Order.
- 2. Pursuant to Rules 7.1(d) and (h) of the *Local Bankruptcy Rules of the United States*Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Texas (the "Local Rules"), the Brief is being filed contemporaneously with this Objection and is incorporated by reference.

PRAYER

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Highland respectfully requests that the Court enter an order (i) denying in whole the relief requested in the Motions, and (ii) granting Highland such further and additional relief as the Court deems just and proper.

Dated: December 1, 2021. PACHULSKI STANG ZIEHL & JONES LLP

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