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Institutional Investment Manager Filing this Report:

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Person Signing this Report on Behalf of Reporting Manager:

Name: SHEILA MAYDEN

Title: EVP CORPORATE TRUST MANAGER

Phone: 501-978-2218 Signature, Place, and Date of Signing:

/s/ SHEILA MAYDEN LITTLE ROCK, 02-08-AR 2022

[Signature] [City, State] [Date]

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Report Summary:

Number of Other Included Managers: 0
Form 13F Information Table Entry
Total: 232

Form 13F Information Table Value

Total: 245,266

(thousands)

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