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The following constitutes the ruling of the court and has the force and effect therein described.

Signed November 18, 2025

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United States Bankruptcy Judge

United States Bankruptcy Court
Northern District of Texas
Dallas Division

In re:

Merit Street Media, Inc.,

Debtor.

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Case No. 25-80156-swe-11

Order Converting Case to Chapter 7

On July 18, 2025, creditors Trinity Broadcasting of Texas, Inc. and TCT Ministries, Inc. filed an *Emergency Motion for an Order: (I) Dismissing Debtor's Chapter 11 Case, (II) Converting the Case to Chapter 7, or (III) Appointing a Chapter 11 Trustee* (the "**Motion**") [Docket No. 100]. On August 1, 2025, creditor Professional Bull Riders, LLC filed a *Partial Joinder* in Trinity's Motion (the "**Joinder**") [Docket No. 151]. The Court conducted a multi-day trial on those requests and read its ruling into the record on October 28, 2025, announcing its intent to convert this case to Chapter 7 pursuant to a separate order. For the reasons stated in the Court's oral ruling that is now transcribed at Docket 582, and for the additional reasons stated in the Memorandum Decision entered on this date (which amends and supplements the Court's oral ruling), the Motion and the Joinder are granted in part and denied in part.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The request in the Motion to dismiss this case is **DENIED**.
2. The request in the Motion to appoint a Chapter 11 trustee is **DE-NIED**.
3. The request in both the Motion and Joinder to convert this case to one under Chapter 7 is **GRANTED**.
4. This case is converted to one under Chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code.
5. The United States Trustee, Lisa L. Lambert, shall immediately appoint a Chapter 7 trustee in the case.

End of Order