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PRESS RELEASE: BRIAN RANG JOINS THE STATE BANK

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THE STATE BANK WELCOMES NEW COMMERCIAL LENDING VICE PRESIDENT

January 24, 2018, Fenton, MI – The State Bank is proud to announce and welcome Brian Rang as the Company’s newest Commercial Lending Vice President for the Great Lakes Bay Region. Rang will be responsible for managing and expanding the bank’s commercial lending department in the Great Lakes Bay Region, interacting with the retail banking team to expand relationships with our existing commercial customers, and nurturing new commercial relationships.

Brian has worked in all facets of the financial spectrum. He began his career as a teller before taking on the role of credit analyst. Most recently, Brian has held the role of vice president and senior commercial lender of another community bank in the Great Lakes Bay Region where he managed a loan portfolio of over \$100 million. Brian currently serves on the board of directors of Junior Achievement of North Central Michigan, and previously served on the board and finance committee of 1016 Recovery Network in Midland. He is a graduate of Leadership Midland, and the Great Lakes Bay Regional Alliance’s Leadership Institute. Brian holds a Bachelor of Business Administration degree in finance, economics, and management from Northwood University, as well as an MBA from Central Michigan University. In addition to his new position with The State Bank, Rang is also an Assistant Professor of Finance at Northwood University.

“I’m thrilled to continue to serve the business community of the Great Lakes Bay Region and assist The State Bank as it continues its successful growth throughout the region. We have a team of dedicated commercial banking professionals focused on our clients’ success in whatever their business may be. Contact us today to experience how commercial banking should be,” says Rang.

Kevin Neumeyer, Vice President at The State Bank, states “I am very excited that Brian has joined The State Bank. Brian brings a wealth of commercial banking experience to the bank and is a great addition to

the team in the Great Lakes Bay Region. We welcome Brian into The State Bank family and look forward to him using his vast banking knowledge and experience to work with customers and prospects in an effort to meet their financial goals.”

About Fentura Financial and The State Bank

Fentura Financial is the holding company for The State Bank. It was formed in 1987 and is traded on the OTCQX exchange under the symbol FETM, and was recognized as one of the Top 50 performing stocks for 2015 on that exchange.

The State Bank is a full-service retail and trust bank headquartered in Fenton, Michigan. It has assets of approximately \$757 million. It currently operates fifteen full-service branches located in Genesee, Livingston, Oakland, Saginaw and Shiawassee Counties and loan production offices in Washtenaw and Saginaw Counties. The State Bank’s commercial department provides a complete array of products including lines of credit, term loans, commercial mortgages, SBA loans and a full-suite of cash management products. The retail department offers personal checking, savings, time and IRA deposit accounts and all types of loan products including home equity, auto and personal loans. The residential loan department offers construction, purchase and refinance residential mortgage loans. The wealth management department offers a full-service suite of trust and portfolio management services. The aim of The State Bank is to become and remain “Your Financial Partner for Life.” More information can be found at www.thestatebank.com.

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