

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

April 11, 2024

Donna T. Lowery Chief Financial Officer The First Bancshares, Inc. 6480 U.S. Highway 98 West Hattiesburg, MS 39402

Re: The First Bancshares, Inc.
Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2023
File No. 000-22507

Dear Donna T. Lowery:

We have completed our review of your filings. We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Finance