

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
Before the
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS RULINGS
Release No. 5225/November 13, 2017

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING
File No. 3-17621

In the Matter of

ANDREW STITT

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ORDER

The Securities and Exchange Commission instituted this proceeding with an Order Instituting Proceedings (OIP) on October 6, 2016, pursuant to Section 15(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. The proceeding is a follow-on proceeding based on *SEC v. Team Res., Inc.*, No. 3:15-cv-1045 (N.D. Tex. Aug. 18, 2016), in which Respondent Andrew Stitt was enjoined against violations of the antifraud and registration provisions of the federal securities laws. To date, the Division of Enforcement's efforts to serve the OIP on Respondent Stitt, who resides in Jamaica, have not borne fruit. *See Andrew Stitt*, Admin. Proc. Rulings Release Nos. 4292, 2016 SEC LEXIS 3972 (A.L.J. Oct. 21, 2016); 5210, 2017 SEC LEXIS 3461 (A.L.J. Oct. 31, 2017).

The Division now proposes to effect service by publication – in the Jamaican publications *The Gleaner* and the *Jamaica Observer* and in the widely circulated international publication the *International New York Times* – and by registered email at an email address known to be used by him. These methods comport with the Jamaican Rules of Civil Procedure¹ and will comply with 17 C.F.R. § 201.141(a)(2)(iv)(D).

Respondent Stitt's Answer is due within twenty days of service on him. *See* OIP at 3; 17 C.F.R. § 201.220(b). If he fails to file an Answer within the time provided, he will be deemed to be in default, and the undersigned will enter an order barring him from the securities industry. *See* OIP at 3; 17 C.F.R. §§ 201.155(a), .220(f).

IT IS SO ORDERED.

/S/ Carol Fox Foelak
Carol Fox Foelak
Administrative Law Judge

¹ Sup. Ct. of Jamaica Civil Procedure Rules 2002, Revised as of Sept. 18, 2006, Rules 5.13-5.14, <http://moj.gov.jm/sites/default/files/docs/Civil%20Procedure%20Rules%202006.pdf>.