

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

Administrative Proceedings Rulings
Release No. 5614 / February 16, 2018

Administrative Proceeding
File No. 3-17316

In the Matter of

**Longwei Petroleum Investment
Holding Limited**

Order Ratifying Prior Actions

On November 30, 2017, the Securities and Exchange Commission issued an order ratifying my appointment as an administrative law judge, lifting the stay in this proceeding, and requiring me to reconsider all procedural and substantive actions I had taken. *Pending Admin. Proc.*, Securities Act of 1933 Release No. 10440, 2017 SEC LEXIS 3724, at *1-2, *4-5. The parties were given the opportunity to submit new evidence that they deemed relevant to my reexamination of the record. *Longwei Petroleum Inv. Holding Ltd.*, Admin. Proc. Rulings Release No. 5349, 2017 SEC LEXIS 4008, at *5 (ALJ Dec 11, 2017). The Division of Enforcement submitted a letter requesting that I ratify my prior actions. Counsel for the receiver for Respondent, upon whom service was made, submitted a letter stating that the receiver has no supplemental information to submit. Upon reconsideration of the record, I find nothing that requires revision. I therefore RATIFY all actions taken by an administrative law judge in this proceeding before the Commission's November 30 order.¹ The process contemplated by that order is now complete.

Jason S. Patil
Administrative Law Judge

¹ My designation as the presiding administrative law judge in this proceeding has already been ratified. *Pending Admin. Proc.*, Admin. Proc. Rulings Release No. 5247, 2017 SEC LEXIS 3780 (ALJ Dec. 4, 2017).