## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA before the SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 Release No. 82024 / November 6, 2017

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING File No. 3-17560r

In the Matter of the Application of

KIMBERLY SPRINGSTEEN-ABBOTT

For Review of Disciplinary Action Taken by

FINRA

**EXTENSION ORDER** 

On September 8, 2017, the Commission issued an Order Scheduling Briefs, directing that a brief in support of applicant's application be filed by October 10, 2017, a brief in opposition be filed by November 9, 2017, and any reply brief be filed by November 24, 2017. On November 2, 2017, FINRA filed a motion to extend the briefing schedule, requesting an extension to November 16, 2017 to file its brief in opposition, and an extension to December 1, 2017 to file any reply, citing concurrent professional commitments of its counsel in this case. FINRA states that applicant does not oppose this request.

Extensions of time are disfavored. It appears appropriate, however, to grant the requested extension. Therefore,

It is ORDERED that the time for FINRA to file its brief in opposition is extended to November 16, 2017. Any reply brief shall be filed by December 1, 2017.

For the Commission, by its Secretary, pursuant to delegated authority.<sup>2</sup>

Eduardo Aleman Assistant Secretary

See Release No. 34-81561 (Sep. 8, 2017).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 17 C.F.R. § 200.30-7(a)(4).