

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

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS RULINGS

Release No. 1877 /October 2, 2014

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING

File No. 3-15255

In the Matter of	:	
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JOHN THOMAS CAPITAL MANAGEMENT	:	ORDER
GROUP LLC, d/b/a PATRIOT28 LLC,	:	
GEORGE R. JARKESY, JR.,	:	
JOHN THOMAS FINANCIAL, INC., and	:	
ANASTASIOS "TOMMY" BELESIS	:	

The Securities and Exchange Commission (Commission) instituted this proceeding on March 22, 2013, and the final hearing session as to Respondents John Thomas Capital Management Group LLC, d/b/a Patriot28 LLC, and George R. Jarkesy, Jr. (JTCM/Jarkesy), was held on March 14, 2014.¹ The Initial Decision is pending. On October 1, 2014, JTCM/Jarkesy submitted a Motion for Order Directing Alternative Procedure for Filing, Service and Publication of Initial Decision (Motion).

The Motion is directed to the Commission and requests that public release of the Initial Decision be delayed. However, it also requests "that Administrative Law Judge Foelak and the Commission grant expedited consideration to Respondents' request for the delay of the release of the initial decision." Motion at 5. The undersigned is not authorized to grant Respondents' request. Therefore, to the extent that the Motion is directed to the undersigned, it must be denied.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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

¹ The proceeding has ended as to John Thomas Financial, Inc., and Anastasios "Tommy" Belesis. *John Thomas Capital Mgmt. Grp. LLC, d/b/a Patriot28 LLC*, Exchange Act Release No. 70989, 2013 SEC LEXIS 3862 (Dec. 5, 2013).