

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

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS RULINGS  
Release No. 4388/November 25, 2016

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING  
File No. 3-17651

In the Matter of

ADRIAN D. BEAMISH, CPA

ORDER DEEMING SERVICE  
EFFECTIVE AND SETTING  
PREHEARING CONFERENCE

On October 31, 2016, the Securities and Exchange Commission issued an order instituting proceedings (OIP) against Respondent pursuant to Section 4C of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 102(e) of the Commission's Rules of Practice. On November 18, 2016, I ordered the Division of Enforcement to file a declaration regarding service by November 28, 2016. *Adrian D. Beamish, CPA*, Admin. Proc. Rulings Release No. 4373, 2016 SEC LEXIS 4311.

On November 23, 2016, the parties submitted joint motions for prehearing conference, authorization of service by electronic mail, and approval of service stipulation. The parties represent that the OIP was served on Respondent by mail on October 31, 2016. Based on that service date, Respondent's answer and any motion for more definite statement were due November 23, 2016.

Although the parties are encouraged to serve each other electronically, I do not interpret the Commission's current Rules of Practice as allowing me to "authorize" such service. The joint motion for authorization of service by electronic mail is therefore DENIED.

It is ORDERED that a telephonic prehearing conference is set for November 29, 2016, at 1:00 p.m. Eastern time.

It is further ORDERED that the Division is relieved of the duty to file a declaration regarding service, and service is deemed to have been complete on October 31, 2016.

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Cameron Elliot  
Administrative Law Judge