

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

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS RULINGS  
Release No. 4506/January 9, 2017

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING  
File No. 3-17674

In the Matter of  
  
ALEXANDER KON

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO  
AMEND ANSWER

On January 3, 2017, Respondent moved to amend his answer under Rule of Practice 220(e) to assert an affirmative defense based on the Appointments Clause of Article II of the United States Constitution. The Division of Enforcement does not oppose Respondent's motion. Therefore, the motion is GRANTED; Respondent must file his amended answer by January 17, 2017, per the parties' agreed scheduling order.

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Cameron Elliot  
Administrative Law Judge