UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION



JAMES BUNINI, CIERK COLUMBUS, OHIO

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

v.

Plaintiff,

CASE NO. 2:03-CV-00737

JUDGE FROST

SHERRY L. GIBSON, MAGISTRATE JUDGE KING

Defendant.

FINAL JUDGMENT AS TO DEFENDANT SHERRY L. GIBSON

- On August 20, 2003, the Court entered an order of permanent injunction and 1. other equitable relief as to Defendant Sherry L. Gibson ("Defendant") ("Order of Permanent Injunction and Other Equitable Relief As To Sherry L. Gibson")(doc. 5) that, inter alia: permanently enjoined the Defendant from violating sections of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act") and the Securities Act of 1933 ("Securities Act"); imposed an officer and director bar upon the Defendant; and provided that the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") could move for disgorgement of ill-gotten gains, prejudgment interest thereon, and/or civil penalties, in amounts to be determined by the Court at a hearing to be held upon motion of the Commission.
- 2. Since the Court entered the above order, the Commission and the Defendant have agreed the Commission will not seek disgorgement, prejudgment interest thereon, and/or civil penalties from the Defendant.
 - 3. Accordingly, the Commission having filed a Complaint and Defendant Sherry L.

Gibson having entered a general appearance; consented to the Court's jurisdiction over Defendant and the subject matter of this action; consented to entry of this Final Judgment without admitting or denying the allegations of the Complaint (except as to jurisdiction); waived findings of fact and conclusions of law; and waived any right to appeal from this Final Judgment:

A.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Defendant and Defendant's agents, servants, employees, attorneys, and all persons in active concert or participation with them who receive actual notice of this Final Judgment by personal service or otherwise are permanently restrained and enjoined from violating, directly or indirectly, Section 10(b) of the Exchange Act [15 U.S.C. § 78j(b)] and Rule 10b-5 promulgated thereunder [17 C.F.R. § 240.10b-5], by using any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or of the mails, or of any facility of any national securities exchange, in connection with the purchase or sale of any security:

- (1) to employ any device, scheme, or artifice to defraud;
- (2) to make any untrue statement of a material fact or to omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements made, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading; or
- (3) to engage in any act, practice, or course of business which operates or would operate as a fraud or deceit upon any person.

В.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Defendant and Defendant's agents, servants, employees, attorneys, and all persons in active

concert or participation with them who receive actual notice of this Final Judgment by personal service or otherwise are permanently restrained and enjoined from violating Section 17(a) of the Securities Act [15 U.S.C. § 77q(a)] in the offer or sale of any security by the use of any means or instruments of transportation or communication in interstate commerce or by use of the mails, directly or indirectly:

- (1) to employ any device, scheme, or artifice to defraud;
- (2) to obtain money or property by means of any untrue statement of a material fact or any omission of a material fact necessary in order to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading; or
- (3) to engage in any transaction, practice, or course of business which operates or would operate as a fraud or deceit upon the purchaser.

C.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that pursuant to Section 20(e) of the Securities Act [15 U.S.C. § 77t(e)] and Section 21(d)(2) of the Exchange Act [15 U.S.C. § 78u(d)(2)], Defendant is prohibited from acting as an officer or director of any issuer that has a class of securities registered pursuant to Section 12 of the Exchange Act [15 U.S.C. § 78l] or that is required to file reports pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act [15 U.S.C. § 78o(d)].

D.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the Consent is incorporated herein with the same force and effect as if fully set forth herein, and that Defendant shall comply with all of the undertakings and agreements set forth therein.

E.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that this Court shall retain jurisdiction of this matter for the purposes of enforcing the terms of this Final Judgment.

Dated: March 20, 2006

GREGORY L. FROST United States District Judge

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CONSENT OF DEFENDANT SHERRY L. GIBSON

- Defendant Sherry L. Gibson acknowledges having been served with the Complaint in this
 action, enters a general appearance, and admits the Court's jurisdiction over Defendant
 and over the subject matter of this action.
- Without admitting or denying the allegations of the Complaint (except as to personal and subject matter jurisdiction, which Defendant admits), Defendant hereby consents to the entry of the Final Judgment as to Sherry L. Gibson in the form attached hereto (the "Final Judgment") and incorporated by reference herein, which: (1) permanently restrains and enjoins Defendant from violating Section 17(a) of the Securities Act of 1933 ("Securities Act") and Section 10(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Exchange Act") and Rule 10b-5 thereunder and (2) permanently bars Defendant from serving as an officer or director of a publicly held corporation under Section 20(e) of the Securities Act and Section 21(d) of the Exchange Act.
- Defendant waives the entry of findings of fact and conclusions of law pursuant to Rule
 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

- 4. Defendant waives the right, if any, to appeal from the entry of the Final Judgment.
- Defendant enters into this Consent voluntarily and represents that no threats, offers, promises, or inducements of any kind have been made by the Commission or any member, officer, employee, agent, or representative of the Commission to induce Defendant to enter into this Consent.
- 6. Defendant agrees that this Consent shall be incorporated into the Final Judgment with the same force and effect as if fully set forth therein.
- 7. Defendant will not oppose the enforcement of the Final Judgment on the ground, if any exists, that it fails to comply with Rule 65(d) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, and hereby waives any objection based thereon.
- 8. Defendant waives service of the Final Judgment and agrees that entry of the Final Judgment by the Court and filing with the Clerk of the Court will constitute notice to Defendant of its terms and conditions. Defendant further agrees to provide counsel for the Commission, within thirty days after the Final Judgment is filed with the Clerk of the Court, with an affidavit or declaration stating that Defendant has received and read a copy of the Final Judgment.
- Ocnsistent with 17 C.F.R. 202.5(f), this Consent resolves only the claims asserted against Defendant in this civil proceeding. Defendant acknowledges that no promise or representation has been made by the Commission or any member, officer, employee, agent, or representative of the Commission with regard to any criminal liability that may have arisen or may arise from the facts underlying this action or immunity from any such criminal liability. Defendant waives any claim of Double Jeopardy based upon the settlement of this proceeding, including the imposition of any remedy or civil penalty herein. Defendant further acknowledges that the Court's entry of a final judgment may

have collateral consequences under federal or state law and the rules and regulations of self-regulatory organizations, licensing boards, and other regulatory organizations. Such collateral consequences include, but are not limited to, a statutory disqualification with respect to membership or participation in, or association with a member of, a self-regulatory organization. This statutory disqualification has consequences that are separate from any sanction imposed in an administrative proceeding. In addition, in any disciplinary proceeding before the Commission based on the entry of the injunction in this action, Defendant understands that she shall not be permitted to contest the factual allegations of the Complaint in this action.

10.

- Defendant understands and agrees to comply with the Commission's policy "not to permit a defendant or respondent to consent to a judgment or order that imposes a sanction while denying the allegation in the Complaint or order for proceedings." 17 C.F.R. § 202.5. In compliance with this policy, Defendant agrees: (i) not to take any action or to make or permit to be made any public statement denying, directly or indirectly, any allegation in the Complaint or creating the impression that the Complaint is without factual basis; and (ii) that upon the filing of this Consent, Defendant hereby withdraws any papers filed in this action to the extent that they deny any allegation in the Complaint. If Defendant breaches this agreement, the Commission may petition the Court to vacate the Final Judgment and restore this action to its active docket. Nothing in this paragraph affects Defendant's: (i) testimonial obligations; or (ii) right to take legal or factual positions in defense of litigation or other legal proceedings in which the Commission is not a party.
- 11. Defendant hereby waives any rights under the Equal Access to Justice Act, the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act of 1996, or any other provision of law to pursue reimbursement of attorney's fees or other fees, expenses, or costs expended by

Defendant to defend against this action. For these purposes, Defendant agrees that

Defendant is not the prevailing party in this action since the parties have reached a good

faith settlement.

In connection with this action and any related judicial or administrative proceeding or 12.

investigation commenced by the Commission or to which the Commission is a party,

Defendant (i) agrees to appear and be interviewed by Commission staff at such times and

places as the staff requests upon reasonable notice; (ii) will accept service by mail or

facsimile transmission of notices or subpoenas issued by the Commission for documents

or testimony at depositions, hearings, or trials, or in connection with any related

investigation by Commission staff; (iii) appoints Defendant's undersigned attorney as

agent to receive service of such notices and subpoenas; (iv) with respect to such notices

and subpoenas, waives the territorial limits on service contained in Rule 45 of the Federal

Rules of Civil Procedure and any applicable local rules, provided that the party

requesting the testimony reimburses Defendant's travel, lodging, and subsistence

expenses at the then-prevailing U.S. Government per diem rates; and (v) consents to

personal jurisdiction over Defendant in any United States District Court for purposes of

enforcing any such subpoena.

13. Defendant agrees that the Commission may present the Final Judgment to the Court for

signature and entry without further notice.

Defendant agrees that this Court shall retain jurisdiction over this matter for the purpose 14.

of enforcing the terms of the Final Judgment.

Dated: 03-07-2006

Approved as to form:

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Terry K. Sherman, Esq. - Counsel for Defendant