# INITIAL DECISION RELEASE NO. 591 ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING FILE NO. 3-15813

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

In the Matter of	:
CHINA SHEN ZHOU MINING & RESOURCES, INC., IDEAL FINANCIAL SOLUTIONS, INC., SMOOTH GLOBAL (CHINA) HOLDINGS, INC., WEIKANG BIO-TECHNOLOGY GROUP CO., INC., and 1ST PACIFIC BANCORP	: : INITIAL DECISION MAKING : FINDINGS AND REVOKING : REGISTRATIONS BY DEFAULT : April 22, 2014 :

APPEARANCE:	Neil J. Welch, Jr., for the Division of Enforcement,
	Securities and Exchange Commission

BEFORE: Carol Fox Foelak, Administrative Law Judge

#### SUMMARY

This Initial Decision revokes the registrations of the registered securities of China Shen Zhou Mining & Resources, Inc., Smooth Global (China) Holdings, Inc., and Weikang Bio-Technology Group Co., Inc. (collectively, Respondents).<sup>1</sup> The revocations are based on Respondents' repeated failure to file required periodic reports with the Securities and Exchange Commission (Commission).

## I. BACKGROUND

The Commission initiated this proceeding on March 26, 2014, with an Order Instituting Proceedings (OIP), pursuant to Section 12(j) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Exchange Act). The OIP alleges that each Respondent is a corporation with a class of securities registered with the Commission pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act and that each has repeatedly failed to file with the Commission annual and quarterly reports in compliance with the Exchange Act. Each was served with the OIP in accordance with 17 C.F.R. § 201.141(a)(2)(ii) by April 2,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The proceeding has ended as to Ideal Financial Solutions, Inc., and 1<sup>st</sup> Pacific Bancorp. <u>China</u> <u>Shen Zhou Mining & Res., Inc.</u>, Initial Decision Release No. 586, 2014 SEC LEXIS 1285 (A.L.J. Apr. 11, 2014).

2014.<sup>2</sup> To date, none has filed an Answer to the OIP, due ten days after service. <u>See</u> OIP at 3; 17 C.F.R. § 201.220(b). Thus, Respondents have failed to answer or otherwise to defend the proceeding within the meaning of 17 C.F.R. § 201.155(a)(2). Accordingly, Respondents are in default, and the undersigned finds that the allegations in the OIP are true as to them. <u>See</u> OIP at 3; 17 C.F.R. §§ 201.155(a), .220(f). Official notice has been taken of the Commission's public official records concerning Respondents, pursuant to 17 C.F.R. § 201.323.

## II. FINDINGS OF FACT

China Shen Zhou Mining & Resources, Inc. (CIK No. 790024),<sup>3</sup> is a Nevada corporation located in Beijing, China, with a class of securities registered with the Commission pursuant to Exchange Act Section 12(g). The company is delinquent in its periodic filings with the Commission, having not filed any periodic reports since it filed a Form 10-Q for the period ended September 30, 2012, which reported a net loss of over \$8 million for the prior nine months. As of March 19, 2014, the company's stock (symbol "CSHZ") was quoted on OTC Link (formerly "Pink Sheets") operated by OTC Markets Group Inc. (OTC Link), had nine market makers, and was eligible for the "piggyback" exception of Exchange Act Rule 15c2-11(f)(3).

Smooth Global (China) Holdings, Inc. (CIK No. 1077637), is a Nevada corporation located in Beijing, China, with a class of securities registered with the Commission pursuant to Exchange Act Section 12(g). The company is delinquent in its periodic filings with the Commission, having not filed any periodic reports since it filed a Form 10-Q/A for the period ended June 30, 2011. As of March 19, 2014, the company's stock (symbol "SMGH") was quoted on OTC Link, had five market makers, and was eligible for the "piggyback" exception of Exchange Act Rule 15c2-11(f)(3).

Weikang Bio-Technology Group Co., Inc. (CIK No. 1365354), is a Nevada corporation located in Harbin, China, with a class of securities registered with the Commission pursuant to Exchange Act Section 12(g). The company is delinquent in its periodic filings with the Commission, having not filed any periodic reports since it filed a Form 10-Q for the period ended September 30, 2009. As of March 19, 2014, the company's stock (symbol "WKBT") was quoted on OTC Link, had ten market makers, and was eligible for the "piggyback" exception of Exchange Act Rule 15c2-11(f)(3).

# **III. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

By failing to file required annual and quarterly reports, Respondents violated Exchange Act Section 13(a) and Rules 13a-1 and 13a-13.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Respondents, Nevada corporations, were served with the OIP by personal service on their Nevada registered agents in accordance with 17 C.F.R. 201.141(a)(2)(ii) and Nev. Rev. Stat. 78.090.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The CIK number is a unique identifier for each corporation in the Commission's EDGAR database. The user can retrieve filings of a corporation by using its CIK number.

## IV. SANCTION

Revocation of the registrations of the registered securities of Respondents will serve the public interest and the protection of investors, pursuant to Section 12(j) of the Exchange Act. Revocation will help ensure that the corporate shell is not later put to an illicit use involving publicly traded securities manipulated to the detriment of market participants. Further. revocation accords with Commission sanction considerations set forth in Gateway Int'l Holdings, Inc., Exchange Act Release No. 53907 (May 31, 2006), 88 SEC Docket 430, 438-39 (citing Steadman v. SEC, 603 F.2d 1126, 1139-40 (5th Cir. 1979)), and with the sanctions imposed in similar cases in which corporations violated Exchange Act Section 13(a) by failing to file required annual and quarterly reports. See Cobalis Corp., Exchange Act Release No. 64813 (July 6, 2011), 101 SEC Docket 43379; Nature's Sunshine Products, Inc., Exchange Act Release No. 59268 (Jan. 21, 2009), 95 SEC Docket 13488; Impax Lab., Inc., Exchange Act Release No. 57864 (May 23, 2008), 93 SEC Docket 6241; America's Sports Voice, Inc., Exchange Act Release No. 55511 (Mar. 22, 2007), 90 SEC Docket 879, recon. denied, Exchange Act Release No. 55867 (June 6, 2007), 90 SEC Docket 2419; Eagletech Commc'ns, Inc., Exchange Act Release No. 54095 (July 5, 2006), 88 SEC Docket 1225. Respondents' violations were recurrent, egregious, and deprived the investing public of current and accurate financial information on which to make informed decisions.

Failure to file periodic reports violates a crucial provision of the Exchange Act. The purpose of the periodic reporting requirements is to publicly disclose current, accurate financial information about an issuer so that investors may make informed decisions:

The reporting requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 is the primary tool which Congress has fashioned for the protection of investors from negligent, careless, and deliberate misrepresentations in the sale of stock and securities. Congress has extended the reporting requirements even to companies which are "relatively unknown and insubstantial."

<u>SEC v. Beisinger Indus. Corp.</u>, 552 F.2d 15, 18 (1st Cir. 1977) (quoting legislative history); <u>accord e-Smart Techs., Inc.</u>, 57 S.E.C. 964, 968-69 (2004). The Commission has warned that "many publicly traded companies that fail to file on a timely basis are 'shell companies' and, as such, attractive vehicles for fraudulent stock manipulation schemes." <u>e-Smart Techs., Inc.</u>, 57 S.E.C. at 968-69 n.14.

#### V. ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that, pursuant to Section 12(j) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 15 U.S.C. § 78*l*(j):

the REGISTRATION of the registered securities of China Shen Zhou Mining & Resources, Inc., is REVOKED;

the REGISTRATION of the registered securities of Smooth Global (China) Holdings, Inc., is REVOKED; and

the REGISTRATION of the registered securities of Weikang Bio-Technology Group Co., Inc., is REVOKED.

This Initial Decision shall become effective in accordance with and subject to the provisions of Rule 360 of the Commission's Rules of Practice, 17 C.F.R. § 201.360. Pursuant to that Rule, a party may file a petition for review of this Initial Decision within twenty-one days after service of the Initial Decision. A party may also file a motion to correct a manifest error of fact within ten days of the Initial Decision, pursuant to Rule 111 of the Commission's Rules of Practice, 17 C.F.R. § 201.111. If a motion to correct a manifest error of fact is filed by a party, then that party shall have twenty-one days to file a petition for review from the date of the undersigned's order resolving such motion to correct a manifest error of fact. The Initial Decision will not become final until the Commission enters an order of finality. The Commission will enter an order of finality unless a party files a petition for review or a motion to correct a manifest error of so a party. If any of these events occur, the Initial Decision shall not become final as to that party.<sup>4</sup>

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> A respondent may also file a motion to set aside a default pursuant to 17 C.F.R. § 201.155(b). <u>See Alchemy Ventures, Inc.</u>, Exchange Act Release No. 70708, 2013 SEC Lexis 3459, at \*5-6 (Oct. 17, 2013).