UNITED STATES OF AMERICA Before the SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

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In the Matter of

RYAN C. KING

ORDER DESIGNATING PRESIDING JUDGE

The Securities and Exchange Commission (Commission) has ordered, pursuant to Rule 100(c) of the Commission's Rules of Practice, that a public hearing shall be convened at a time and place to be fixed by, and before, the Administrative Law Judge assigned to the proceedings instituted against Thomas C. Gonnella (the "Gonnella Proceedings") and that the Administrative Law Judge shall issue an initial decision no later than 120 days from the date of an initial decision in the Gonnella Proceedings, or from the date of any order of the Commission accepting an offer of settlement in the Gonnella Proceedings. <u>See</u> 17 C.F.R. § 201.100(c).

IT IS ORDERED that Administrative Law Judge Cameron Elliot preside at the hearing in these proceedings and perform other and related duties in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the parties confer and notify the presiding judge of a suggested date and time for a prehearing conference which will be conducted telephonically unless the parties prefer otherwise.

Service of all orders and rulings on parties is made by the Office of the Secretary, or other duly authorized Commission officer, pursuant to Commission Rule of Practice 141. <u>See</u> 17 C.F.R. § 201.141. All issuances by Administrative Law Judges are posted on the Commission's web site, <u>https://www.sec.gov/alj.shtml</u>. Finally, information prepared by this office to assist the parties is attached to this Order. For the Commission, by its Chief Administrative Law Judge, pursuant to delegated authority.

Brenda P. Murray Chief Administrative Law Judge