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

## ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS RULINGS Release No. 1394 /April 22, 2014

## ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING File No. 3-15808

In the Matter of

AARON JOUSAN JOHNSON

ORDER FOLLOWING PREHEARING CONFERENCE AND TO SHOW CAUSE

The Securities and Exchange Commission issued an Order Instituting Proceedings (OIP) on March 20, 2014, pursuant to Section 203(f) of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940. A telephonic prehearing conference was held today, attended by Susan Anderson for the Division of Enforcement (Division). Respondent Aaron Jousan Johnson (Johnson) did not attend the prehearing conference. During the prehearing conference it was determined that Johnson was served by hand delivery of the OIP on March 31, 2014, and the Division represented that it had reached out to Johnson numerous times, but has not had any communications with him since this proceeding began. See 17 C.F.R. § 201.141(a)(2)(i).

Johnson's Answer to the OIP was due on April 21, 2014. See OIP at 3; 17 C.F.R. § 201.220(b). As of the date of this order, Johnson has not yet filed an Answer. It is ORDERED that on or before May 2, 2014, Johnson shall SHOW CAUSE why this proceeding should not be determined against him. See 17 C.F.R. §§ 201.155(a)(1)-(2), .220(f). If Johnson fails to respond to this Order, he will be deemed in default and the proceeding will be determined against him. See 17 C.F.R. § 201.155(a)(2).

Cameron Elliot Administrative Law Judge