

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

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS RULINGS
Release No. 2303/February 11, 2015

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING
File No. 3-16357

In the Matter of

STUART E. RAWITT

ORDER POSTPONING HEARING
AND SCHEDULING PREHEARING
CONFERENCE

On January 23, 2015, the Securities and Exchange Commission issued an Order Instituting Proceedings (OIP) pursuant to Section 15(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 against Respondent. A hearing is scheduled to commence on February 24, 2015.

The Division of Enforcement (Division) submitted a motion for adjournment of hearing (Motion) on February 10, 2015, seeking to postpone the hearing and schedule a prehearing conference. The Division moves to schedule the prehearing conference on February 24, 2015, and represents that Respondent has declined to speak to the Division to discuss the proposed prehearing conference date. The Motion also represents that Respondent was personally served with the OIP on January 26, 2015.¹ Accordingly, Respondent's Answer is due by February 17, 2015. *See* OIP at 3; 17 C.F.R. § 201.220(a), (b).

It is ORDERED that the Motion is GRANTED, the hearing scheduled to begin on February 24, 2015, is POSTPONED *sine die*, and a telephonic prehearing conference will be held at 1:00 p.m. EST on February 25, 2015. If Respondent fails to file a timely Answer, he will be deemed in default and the proceeding will be determined against him. *See* OIP at 3; 17 C.F.R. §§ 201.155(a), .220(f).

Cameron Elliot
Administrative Law Judge

¹ The Division had previously submitted a Declaration of Service representing January 26, 2015, as the date of service.