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

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS RULINGS Release No. 2742/June 1, 2015

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING File No. 3-16037

In the Matter of

EDGAR R. PAGE AND PAGEONE FINANCIAL INC.

ORDER SEALING CERTAIN
UNREDACTED FILINGS AND STRIKING
ONE FILING

On May 19, 2015, Respondents moved for a protective order, asking that certain unredacted post-hearing filings not be disclosed to the public. I asked that Respondents provide my Office and the Division of Enforcement with proposed redactions for the filings, which Respondents have done. The Division has expressed no objection to Respondents' proposed redactions.

Under Commission Rule of Practice 322, 17 C.F.R. § 201.322, "[d]ocuments and testimony introduced in a public hearing are presumed to be public" and "[a] motion for a protective order shall be granted only upon a finding that the harm resulting from disclosure would outweigh the benefits of disclosure." Rule 630, 17 C.F.R. § 201.630, allows a respondent who is presenting evidence of an inability to pay disgorgement or penalties to move for issuance of a protective order against disclosure of that evidence.

I find that Respondents' proposed redactions are limited and reasonable, and sealing the unredacted versions of these filings is consistent with Rules 322 and 630. Therefore, I ORDER that the unredacted versions of the following are PERMANENTLY SEALED:

- 1. Division's Post-Hearing Brief Seeking Relief Against Respondents (dated May 18, 2015)
- 2. Division's Proposed Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law (dated May 18, 2015)
- 3. Respondents' Post-Remedies Hearing Brief (dated May 18, 2015)
- 4. Respondents' Amended Proposed Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law (dated May 21, 2015)

- 5. Division's Brief in Response to Respondents' Post-Remedies Hearing Brief (dated May 26, 2015)
- 6. Division's Response to Respondents' Finding of Fact and Conclusions of Law (dated May 26, 2015)

I FURTHER ORDER Respondents to file with the Commission's Office of the Secretary, by June 5, 2015, hardcopies of each filing enumerated above with redactions applied. These redacted filings will be public.

Finally, consistent with my May 20, 2015, Order allowing Respondents to file their Amended Proposed Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, I ORDER that Respondents' Proposed Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law (dated May 18, 2015), are STRICKEN from the record. *See* 17 C.F.R. §§ 201.111, .152(f); *Edgar R. Page*, Admin. Proc. Rulings Release No. 2695, 2015 SEC LEXIS 1981.

Jason S. Patil
Administrative Law Judge

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¹ Only text that was highlighted in Respondents' proposed redactions sent to my Office last week may be redacted.