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

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS RULINGS Release No. 2803/June 11, 2015

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING File No. 3-16339

In the Matter of

JOHN BRINER, ESQ., DIANE DALMY, ESQ., DE JOYA GRIFFITH, LLC, ARTHUR DE JOYA, CPA, JASON GRIFFITH, CPA, CHRIS WHETMAN, CPA, PHILIP ZHANG, CPA, M&K CPAS, PLLC, MATT MANIS, CPA, JON RIDENOUR, CPA, and BEN ORTEGO, CPA STAY ORDER AS TO JOHN BRINER, ESQ.

The Securities and Exchange Commission issued an Order Instituting Administrative and Cease-and-Desist Proceedings on January 15, 2015. The hearing was held on May 27, 2015.

Today this Office received a joint motion to stay this proceeding as to Respondent John Briner, Esq. The joint motion represents that counsel for the Division of Enforcement and Mr. Briner have reached an agreement in principle on all major terms.

Consistent with Rule of Practice 161(c)(2), 17 C.F.R § 201.161(c)(2), it is ORDERED that the joint motion is GRANTED. The proceeding is STAYED as to Mr. Briner, subject to compliance with the deadlines set forth in Rule 161(c)(2).

James E. Grimes Administrative Law Judge