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

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS RULINGS Release No. 3275/October 30, 2015

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING File No. 3-16730

In the Matter of

**REID S. JOHNSON** 

**EXTENSION ORDER** 

On August 6, 2015, the Securities and Exchange Commission issued an Order Instituting Administrative and Cease-and-Desist Proceedings against Respondent.

On October 16, 2015, the Division of Enforcement filed a motion for summary disposition. Respondent's opposition is due today. Yesterday, Respondent filed a motion requesting a one-week extension of the due date. Respondent states that the extension is necessary because the parties had engaged in settlement discussions and Respondent was only informed yesterday that the Division would not proceed with the settlement. Based on a good faith belief that the proceeding would be partially resolved through settlement, Respondent has not prepared a response to the Division's motion. Respondent represents that the Division does not oppose this request.

Accordingly, for good cause shown under 17 C.F.R. § 201.161(b), I GRANT the Respondent's motion. Respondent shall have until November 6 to file an opposition to the Division's motion, and the Division shall have until November 16 to file a reply.

Cameron Elliot Administrative Law Judge