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

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS RULINGS Release No. 3285/November 3, 2015

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING File No. 3-16905

In the Matter of

KELLY C. HOOD

STAY ORDER

On November 2, 2015, this Office received a joint motion to stay this proceeding, requesting a stay based upon the parties' agreement in principle to a settlement that will resolve the proceeding on all major terms.

For good cause shown, it is ORDERED that the motion is GRANTED, and the proceeding is STAYED, subject to compliance with Rule of Practice 161(c)(2), 17 C.F.R. § 201.161(c)(2), requiring that this Office be notified promptly if any of the requirements of the Rule are not met. It is FURTHER ORDERED that the hearing scheduled for November 16, 2015, is POSTPONED. The Division shall submit a declaration of service of the Order Instituting Proceedings on Ms. Hood by November 13, 2015, establishing when service was accomplished within the meaning of Rule of Practice 141, 17 C.F.R. § 201.141.

James E. Grimes Administrative Law Judge