

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

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS RULINGS
Release No. 3814/April 29, 2016

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING
File No. 3-17134

In the Matter of

TIMOTHY QUINTANILLA, CPA

ORDER POSTPONING
HEARING

The Commission issued an order instituting proceedings (OIP) and imposed a temporary suspension under Rule of Practice 102(e)(3) on February 25, 2016. On March 25, 2016, Respondent Timothy Quintanilla, CPA, filed an emergency petition to lift the temporary suspension, requesting “a limited waiver of [the] suspension, so that Respondent’s final client can file their quarterly report without further delay.” Petition at 4. Quintanilla does not otherwise oppose the imposition of a permanent bar. *Id.*

On April 21, 2016, the Commission denied Quintanilla’s petition and directed that an expedited hearing be held before an administrative law judge. *Timothy Quintanilla, CPA*, Securities Exchange Act of 1934 Release No. 77683, 2016 SEC LEXIS 1474. A hearing is currently scheduled for May 16, 2016.

Based on communications between the parties and my office, it is apparent that the parties do not wish to hold the hearing on May 16. Also, the Division of Enforcement requested leave to file a motion for summary disposition while counsel for Quintanilla expressed a wish to possibly settle the proceeding.

Because ordering motions for summary disposition is premature at this time, I ORDER the parties to confer to determine whether a settlement can be reached. The parties shall report on the status of these discussions no later than May 13, 2016. I FURTHER ORDER that the hearing scheduled for May 16, 2016, is POSTPONED.

Jason S. Patil
Administrative Law Judge