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

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS RULINGS Release No. 4008/July 20, 2016

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING File No. 3-17293

In the Matter of

ADVANCED LIFE SCIENCES HOLDINGS, INC., ANOTEROS, INC., EMPERIAL AMERICAS, INC., NORD RESOURCES CORPORATION, and UNR HOLDINGS, INC. ORDER FOLLOWING PREHEARING CONFERENCE

On June 15, 2016, the Securities and Exchange Commission issued an order instituting proceedings (OIP) pursuant to Section 12(j) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, alleging that Respondents have securities registered with the Commission and are delinquent in their periodic filings. To date, no Respondent except for Advanced Life Sciences Holdings, Inc., has filed an answer to the OIP. I scheduled a prehearing conference for July 20, 2016, and ordered respondents Anoteros, Inc., Emperial Americas, Inc., Nord Resources Corporation, and UNR Holdings, Inc., to show cause by July 18, 2016, why this proceeding should not be determined against them due to their failures to file answers or otherwise defend this proceeding. *Advanced Life Scis. Holdings, Inc.*, Admin. Proc. Rulings Release No. 3965, 2016 SEC LEXIS 2350 (ALJ July 6, 2016). To date, none of those respondents has responded to my show cause order.

At today's prehearing conference, the Division of Enforcement and Respondent Advanced Life appeared. As discussed during the conference, I ORDER that: the Division's motion for summary disposition is due August 10, 2016; Advanced Life's opposition is due August 31, 2016; and the Division's reply is due September 12, 2016. In addition to the required filing with the Office of the Secretary, an electronic courtesy copy of each filing should be emailed to alj@sec.gov in PDF text-searchable format. Any exhibits should be sent as separate attachments, not a combined PDF.

James E. Grimes Administrative Law Judge