

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

Administrative Proceedings Rulings
Release No. 5289 / December 6, 2017

Administrative Proceeding
File No. 3-17674

In the Matter of
Alexander Kon

**Notice to the Parties
and Order Scheduling
Prehearing Conference**

This proceeding was stayed by the Securities and Exchange Commission in May 2017. *Pending Admin. Proc.*, Securities Act of 1933 Release No. 10365, 2017 WL 2224348 (May 22, 2017). The parties are notified that the Commission lifted the stay on November 30, 2017. *Pending Admin. Proc.*, Securities Act Release No. 10440, 2017 SEC LEXIS 3724, <https://www.sec.gov/litigation/opinions/2017/33-10440.pdf>. In that order, the Commission ratified the appointment of its administrative law judges and directed each judge to reconsider the record, including all substantive and procedural actions, in pending proceedings for which no initial decision has been issued and in those that are pending before the Commission following an initial decision.

Each party may submit, by January 5, 2018, any new evidence it deems relevant to reexamination of the record. Each party may also submit a brief explaining the relevance of its new evidence and identifying any challenged rulings, findings, or conclusions. If any party chooses to submit a brief by January 5, all other parties will have until January 16, 2018, to file a responsive brief.

By February 16, 2018, I will issue an order upon reconsideration setting forth whether all prior actions taken by me are ratified or revised in any respect.

In addition, I ORDER that a telephonic prehearing conference will be held on December 15, 2017, at 2:00 p.m. Eastern, to discuss how to proceed.

Cameron Elliot
Administrative Law Judge