

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

Administrative Proceedings Rulings
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Administrative Proceeding
File No. 3-18326

In the Matter of

**American Nano Silicon
Technologies, Inc.,
American Soil Technologies, Inc.,
Andalay Solar, Inc., and
Crimson Forest Entertainment
Group, Inc.**

**Order Postponing Hearing
and Regarding Service**

On December 27, 2017, the Securities and Exchange Commission issued an order instituting proceedings (OIP) against Respondents under Section 12(j) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. The hearing is scheduled to commence on January 16, 2018.

On January 2, 2018, the Division of Enforcement submitted a declaration of service, which, in combination with U.S. Postal Service tracking information provided in the declaration, establishes that it served American Soil Technologies, Inc., Andalay Solar, Inc., and Crimson Forest Entertainment Group, Inc., with the OIP by January 2, 2018, by mailing the OIP by priority mail express to each Respondent's most recent address shown on its most recent filing with the Commission in accordance with Rule of Practice 141(a)(2)(ii), 17 C.F.R. § 201.141(a)(2)(ii).¹ As such, their answers are due by January 16, 2018. OIP at 3; 17 C.F.R. §§ 201.160(a)-(b), .220(b).

¹ There was a minor typographical error in the street name for the offices of Andalay Solar in the records of the Commission's Office of the Secretary ("Bon Ari Ctr." should have been "Bon Air Ctr."). Since the tracking information demonstrates that Andalay Solar received the OIP, the error does not affect service.

On January 5, 2018, the Division submitted a declaration from a process server stating that American Nano Silicon Technologies, Inc., was served by leaving a copy of the OIP with its registered agent, National Registered Agents, Inc., in California. Examination of the records maintained on the website of the California Secretary of State—of which I take official notice—indicates that despite the resignation of a prior agent in 2008, National Registered Agents is the company’s current registered agent. 17 C.F.R. § 201.323; <https://businesssearch.sos.ca.gov/> (searched by “Corporation Name” with “Search Criteria” of “American Nano”) (last accessed Jan. 8, 2018). However, the website lists the company’s status as “FTB SUSPENDED.” *See also* OIP at 1.

Because it is unclear what effect the company’s suspended status has on the agent’s ability to accept service under California law, I ORDER the Division to file a supplemental declaration by January 22, 2018, addressing the issue. I FURTHER ORDER that the hearing is POSTPONED. I will schedule a telephonic prehearing conference once the Division establishes service on American Nano.

James E. Grimes
Administrative Law Judge