

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

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS RULINGS  
Release No. 5937/July 24, 2018

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING  
File No. 3-18550

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In the Matter of :  
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ESCALERA RESOURCES CO. and : NOTICE  
FORCE MINERALS CORP. :

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The Securities and Exchange Commission instituted this pending proceeding with an Order Instituting Proceedings pursuant to Section 12(j) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, on June 19, 2018. On June 21, 2018, “[i]n light of the Supreme Court’s decision in *Lucia v. SEC*,” 138 S. Ct. 2044 (2018), the Commission issued an order staying all pending administrative proceedings “effective immediately;” the stay to “remain operative for 30 days or further order of the Commission.” *Pending Admin. Proc.*, Securities Act of 1933 Release No. 10510, 2018 SEC LEXIS 1490. On July 20, 2018, the Commission “extend[ed] the stay for an additional 30 days to August 22, 2018, or further order of the Commission.” *Pending Admin. Proc.*, Securities Act Release No. 10522, 2018 SEC LEXIS 1774.

/s/ Carol Fox Foelak  
Carol Fox Foelak  
Administrative Law Judge