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

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Administrative Proceeding File No. 3-18481

In the Matter of

Angela Rubbo Beckcom Monaco

Order Finding Service and Scheduling Prehearing Conference

The Securities and Exchange Commission instituted this proceeding against Angela Rubbo Beckcom Monaco pursuant to Section 15(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 on May 15, 2018. The proceeding was assigned to me following the Commission's August 22, 2018, order, Pending Admin. Proc., Securities Act of 1933 Release No. 10536, 2018 SEC LEXIS 2058, which vacated any prior opinions and allowed an opportunity for a hearing before an administrative law judge who had not previously participated in the proceeding unless the parties agreed to alternative See Pending Admin. Proc., Admin. Proc. Rulings Release procedures. No. 5955, 2018 SEC LEXIS 2264, at *2, *4 (ALJ Sept. 12, 2018). On October 15 and 18, 2018, the Division of Enforcement submitted two notices regarding its attempts to contact Monaco at the federal correctional institution in which she is currently incarcerated. In a letter dated October 31, 2018, Monaco confirmed that the Division had contacted her and contends that she requires an attorney to contest the allegations.

After independently reviewing the declaration that the Division submitted on June 21, 2018, I find that Monaco was personally served with the order instituting proceedings (OIP) on June 15, 2018. 17 C.F.R. § 201.141(a)(2)(i). Monaco's answer would have been due by July 5, 2018, if not for the Commission's stay of all pending administrative proceedings on June 21, 2018. *Pending Admin. Proc.*, Securities Act of 1933 Release No. 10510, 2018 SEC LEXIS 1490; *see* OIP at 3; 17 C.F.R. §§ 201.160, .220(b). When the Commission allowed the stay to expire on August 22 it vacated all pending deadlines. *Pending Admin. Proc.*, 2018 SEC LEXIS 2058, at *2-3. I therefore need to set a new due date for Monaco's answer to the OIP.

A prehearing conference will allow me to address Monaco's concerns and establish an appropriate procedural schedule for resolving the allegations in the OIP, and a due date for Monaco's answer. To allow sufficient time for Monaco to receive this order and arrange with her case officer to participate, I ORDER that a telephonic prehearing conference will be held on December 11, 2018, at 10:00 a.m. EST. The Division shall provide dial-in instructions in advance of the conference.

> Brenda P. Murray Chief Administrative Law Judge