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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,:

Plaintiff,

KENNETH E. EDWARDS, ROGER S. CHEDESTER, DONALD E. LUNA, A.R. GRANT MOREHOUSE and FIRST AMERICAN COMPANIES, INC.

Defendants.

Civil Action No. S-96 1716 GEB GGH

[PROPOSED] DEFAULT JUDGMENT OF DISGORGEMENT AND PERMANENT INJUNCTION AGAINST DEFENDANT ROGER S. CHEDESTER

DEFAULT JUDGMENT

This proceeding arises from the Complaint for Permanent Injunction and Other Relief (the "Complaint") filed by the plaintiff Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") on September 27, 1996 against defendants Kenneth E. Edwards, Roger S. Chedester, Donald E. Luna, A.R. Grant Morehouse and First American Companies, Inc. for violations of Sections 5(a) and (c) and Section 17(a) of the Securities Act of 1933 ("Securities Act"), 15 U.S.C. §§ 77e(a), 77e(c), 77q(a), of Sections 10(b) and 15(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Exchange Act"), 15 U.S.C. §§

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78j(b), 78o(a), and of Exchange Act Rule 10b-5, 17 C.F.R. 240.10b-5 (1997).

After being properly served with the Summons and Complaint, Roger S. Chedester ("Chedester") failed to respond in a timely manner, and the Clerk entered his default on March 21, 1997. Based upon the Commission's Application for Default Judgment Against Roger Chedester, the Court finds based upon the written submissions that:

- 1. The Commission is entitled to judgment against Chedester based upon the well-pleaded allegations in the Complaint, as filed on September 27, 1996.
- 2. The Complaint's well-pleaded allegations establish Chedester's liability for violating Section 17(a) of the Securities Act of 1933 ("Securities Act") through the making of material misstatements and omissions in connection with the offer for sale of securities, for violating Section 10(b) and Rule 10b-5 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Exchange Act") through the making of material misstatements and omissions in connection with the purchase or sale of securities and for violating Section 15(a) of the Exchange Act by acting as an unregistered broker.
- 3. Chedester received the liquidated sum of \$27,880 in commissions for offering and selling securities in violation of the Securities Act and Exchange Act. That sum constitutes an ill-gotten gain that should be disgorged, along with prejudgment interest of \$9,724.39 from October 31, 1994 through November 30, 1999, by Chedester. See S.E.C. v. First Pacific Bancorp., 142 F.3d 1186, 1192 (9th Cir. 1998), cert. denied sub nom., Sands v. S.E.C.,

_____U.S. ____, 119 S. Ct. 902, 142 L. Ed. 2d 901 (1999); C.F.T.C. v. British American Commodity Options Corporation, 788 F.2d 92, 93-94 (2d Cir. 1986), cert. denied sub nom., Forma v. C.F.T.C., 479 U.S. 853, 107 S. Ct. 186, 93 L. Ed. 2d 120 (1986).

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4. A permanent injunction prohibiting Chedester's future violations of Section 17(a) of the Securities Action and Sections 10(b) and 15(a) and Rule 10b-5 of the Exchange Act is warranted in light of the egregious character of Chedester's violations and the danger that he will commit future violations.

I.

NOW THEREFORE, the Court enters a default judgment against Roger S. Chedester requiring his payment of \$27,880, plus prejudgment interest of \$9,724.39, for the total sum of \$37,604.39 to the United States Treasury within thirty days from the entry of this Judgment, along with any post-judgment interest.

II.

NOW FURTHERMORE, this Court enters a permanent injunction as follows:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that defendant Chedester, his officers, agents, servants, employees and attorneys, and all persons acting in concert or participation with him, who receive actual notice of this Order by personal service or otherwise, and each of them, are permanently restrained and enjoined from, directly or indirectly, violating Section 17(a) of the Securities Act [15 U.S.C. § 77q(a)] by, in the offer or sale of the securities of any issuer, by the use of any means or instruments of transportation or communication in interstate commerce or by the

use of the mails:

- A. employing any device, scheme or artifice to defraud;
- B. obtaining money or property by means of any untrue statement of a material fact or any omission to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements made, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading; or
- C. engaging in any transaction, practice, or course of business which operates or would operate as a fraud or deceit upon the purchaser.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that defendant Chedester, his officers, agents, servants, employees and attorneys, and all persons acting in concert or participation with him, who receive actual notice of this Order by personal service or otherwise, and each of them, are permanently restrained and enjoined from, directly or indirectly, violating Section 10(b) of the Exchange Act [15 U.S.C. § 78j(b)] and Rule 10b-5 thereunder [17 C.F.R. § 240.10b-5] by the use of any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or of the mails, or of any facility of any national securities exchange:

- D. employing any device, scheme, or artifice to defraud;
- E. making any untrue statement of a material fact or omitting to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements made, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading; or
- F. engaging in any act, practice, or course of business

which operates or would operate as a fraud or deceit upon any person, in connection with the purchase or sale of any security.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that defendant Chedester, his officers, agents, servants, employees and attorneys, and all persons acting in concert or participation with him, who receive actual notice of this Order by personal service or otherwise, and each of them, are permanently restrained and enjoined from, directly or indirectly, violating Section 15(a) of the Exchange Act [15 U.S.C. § 780(a)] to make use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce as a broker or dealer so as to effect any transaction in, or to induce or attempt to induce the purchase or sale of any security (other than an exempted security or commercial paper, bankers' acceptances or commercial bills) unless registered in accordance with Section 15(b) of the Exchange Act.

III.

This Court shall retain jurisdiction over this action for the purpose of implementing and carrying out the terms of all orders and decrees which may be entered herein and to entertain any suitable application or motion, by the parties, within the jurisdiction of this Court.

DATED: 4/28, 2000

Eastern District of California

United States District Court for the Eastern District of California May 5, 2000

* * CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE * *

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I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am an employee in the Office of the Clerk, U.S. District Court, Eastern District of California.

That on May 5, 2000, I SERVED a true and correct copy(ies) of the attached, by placing said copy(ies) in a postage paid envelope addressed to the person(s) hereinafter listed, by depositing said envelope in the U.S. Mail, by placing said copy(ies) into an inter-office delivery receptacle located in the Clerk's office, or, pursuant to prior authorization by counsel, via facsimile.

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