## UNITED STATE OF AMERICA Before the SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 Release No. 71993/April 22, 2014

INVESTMENT ADVISORS ACT OF 1940 Release No. 3820/April 22, 2014

ADMINSTRATIVE PROCEEDING File No. 3-15850

In the Matter of

MATTHEW D. SAMPLE,

Respondent.

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## **MOTION REQUESTING ORAL ARGUMENT PURSUANT TO RULE 451**

Mr. Sample, through undersigned counsel, requests oral argument pursuant to Rule 451 for the above styled appeal. No oral argument was presented before the initial decision maker. Mr. Sample contends that an opportunity to appear and be heard will assist the Commission in reaching a fair and just decision.

The subject of the appeal is very fact intensive and Mr. Sample believes that an oral presentation and opportunity to respond to any questions the Commission may generate will significantly aid the decision making process.

Respectfully Submitted,

Edwin J.

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