UNITED STATES OF AMERICA Before the SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

RECEIVED

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING File No. 3-17104

In the Matter of

BioElectronics Corp., IBEX, LLC, St. John's, LLC, Andrew J. Whelan Kelly A. Whelan, CPA, and Robert P. Bedwell, CPA,

Respondents.

THE DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AMENDED OPPOSITION TO RESPONDENTS' APPELATE BRIEF TO THE COMMISSION

Pursuant to Rule of Practice 450, the Division of Enforcement ("Division") respectfully moves for leave to file its Amended Opposition to Respondents' Brief in Support of Appeal to the Commission, previously submitted on May 8, 2017 (the "Amended Opposition"). As grounds therefore, the Division states that:

1. On May 1, 2017, the Division of Enforcement timely filed its Opposition to Respondents' Brief in Support of Appeal to the Commission ("Opposition"). At the top of page 36, the Opposition states: "Moreover, the ALJ's civil penalty award is substantially less than the total amount of Respondents' pecuniary gain, and therefore substantially less than the amount the ALJ could have imposed under the statute." This sentence was inadvertently and erroneously included in the filed version of the Opposition. 2. Promptly upon discovering the error, the Division contacted the Secretary's office to inquire as to the procedure for filing an amended brief.

3. On May 8, 2017, consistent with the instructions received, the Division submitted its Amended Opposition. The Amended Opposition replaced the sentence at the top of page 36 of the Opposition with the following language: "Moreover, the ALJ already reduced to zero several Respondents' civil penalties due to inability to pay." The Division also amended its Rule 450 Certification to reflect the revised word count, and corrected a missing period in one footnote.

4. Respondents promptly served the Amended Opposition on Respondents' counsel of record.

5. Respondents' Reply Memorandum of Law is due on May 15, 2017, one week after the Division submitted its Amended Opposition. Accordingly, no prejudice will be caused to Respondents due to the Division's submission of the Amended Opposition and no delay in the Commission's consideration will result.

Dated: May 10, 2017

Respectfully submitted,

Charles D. Stodghill (202) 551-4413 Paul W. Kisslinger (202) 551-4427 Sarah H. Concannon (202) 551-5361 Thomas B. Rogers (202) 551-4776 Securities and Exchange Commission 100 F Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549

COUNSEL FOR THE DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that true copies of the foregoing were served on the following, this 10th

day of May 2017, in the manner indicated below:

By hand and email:

Office of the Secretary Securities and Exchange Commission Attn: Secretary of the Commission Brent J. Fields 100 F Street, N.E. Mail Stop 1090 Washington, D.C. 20549 Fax: (202) 772-9324 Email: alj@sec.gov

By email:

Brian T. Corrigan (bcorrigan@cormorllp.com) Stanley C. Morris (scm@cormorllp.com) Corrigan & Morris LLP 201 Santa Monica Blvd., Suite 475 Santa Monica, CA 90401-2212 Counsel to Respondents (other than Mr. Bedwell)

Counsel for the Division of Enforcement