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U.S. Security and Exchange Commission
Attn: Assistant Secretary J. Lynn Taylor
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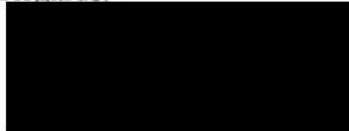
RE: Notice of Appearance and Request for Delay for **Richard Gregory Tilford** (*In the Matter of Richard Gregory Tilford, Admin Proc. File No. 3-21211*)

Dear Ms. Taylor:

I have been retained to represent Mr. Tilford in the above referenced matter. As your office is aware, he is in receipt of a Show Cause Order dated June 23, 2023. As Mr. Tilford is currently serving a prison sentence pursuant to a conviction out of the Eastern District of Texas, his ability to comply with the Show Cause Order is impeded. Therefore, I have been retained to assist with his response and receive any correspondence on his behalf.

In addition, I would be grateful if your office would allow me an additional thirty days to comply with the Show Cause Order so that I may meet with my client and prepare an appropriate response. Thank you for your careful attention to this matter.

Regards,



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