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444 South Flower Street, Suite 900 4 5 6 Los Angeles, California 90071-9591 Telephone: (323) 965-3998 Facsimile: (213) 443-1905 7 8 9 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 10 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 11 SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE Case No. 2:16-cv-03250 12 COMMISSION, **COMPLAINT** 13 Plaintiff, 14 VS. IMRAN HUSAIN and GREGG EVAN 15 JACLIN. 16 Defendants. 17 18 19 Plaintiff Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") alleges as 20 follows: 21 **JURISDICTION AND VENUE** 22 1. This Court has jurisdiction over this action pursuant to Sections 20(b), 20(d)(1) and 22(a) of the Securities Act of 1933 ("Securities Act"), 15 U.S.C. §§ 23 24 77t(b), 77t(d)(1) and 77v(a), and Sections 21(d)(1), 21(d)(3)(A), 21(e) and 27 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Exchange Act"), 15 U.S.C. §§ 78u(d)(1), 25 26 78u(d)(3)(A), 78u(e), and 78aa. 27 2. Defendants have, directly or indirectly, made use of the means or

instrumentalities of interstate commerce or of the mails, in connection with the transactions, acts, practices and courses of business alleged in this Complaint.

3. Venue is proper in this district pursuant to Section 22(a) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. § 77v(a) and Section 27 of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. § 78aa, because certain of the transactions, acts, practices and courses of conduct constituting violations of the federal securities laws occurred within this district. In addition, venue is proper in this district because one of the defendants resides in this district.

### **SUMMARY**

- 4. This action concerns the defendants' fraudulent "shell factory" enterprise—a scheme to create and sell public "shell" companies to people who, for whatever reason, need publicly-traded companies that have no real business or purpose. The scheme was carried out by defendant Imran Husain ("Husain"), an undisclosed control person and promoter based in Los Angeles, and defendant Gregg Evan Jaclin ("Jaclin"), a corporate attorney who made his living representing entities like the ones created and sold in the shell factory. From 2006 to 2013, Husain and Jaclin created nine shell companies, seven of whose stock was subsequently sold for hundreds of thousands of dollars in sale proceeds and attorney fees as a result of their scheme.
- 5. The defendants' shell factory scheme followed a routine pattern. Husain created a "business plan" and convinced a friend, friend of a friend, relative or acquaintance to be a puppet CEO. Husain and Jaclin then incorporated a company, and Husain orchestrated a sham private placement offering of the company's shares to approximately 35 purchasers (the "Straw Shareholders"). These Straw Shareholders either did not exist, or they used cash supplied by Husain to "buy" the shares. Although this made it appear as if the company was owned by third parties, Husain and Jaclin maintained control of the company and

its shares.

- 6. Once the company was established and its shares had been "sold" to the Straw Shareholders, Husain worked with Jaclin to file a Form S-1 registration statement with the SEC, registering a public offering of the company's shares held by the Straw Shareholders. The registration statements made materially false and misleading statements concerning the companies' management, business plan, and Straw Shareholders.
- 7. After the registration statement became effective, Husain and Jaclin filed periodic reports with the SEC that repeated many of the same false and misleading statements. Husain and Jaclin also provided materially false and misleading information to market makers, to obtain clearance to enter quotes for the company's shares on the over-the-counter ("OTC") Bulletin Board or the OTC Link.
- 8. Once the shell company was established as a publicly-traded company, Husain and Jaclin would try and sell it. Ultimately, they sold seven of the nine public shell companies they created, reaping \$215,000 to \$425,000 of sale proceeds for each shell they sold. In total, Husain obtained about \$2.25 million in sale proceeds, and Jaclin and his firm received nearly \$225,000 for their legal services.
- 9. For two of the shells, Husain and Jaclin also filed a post-effective amendment to the registration statement or a Form 10-K shortly in advance of the sale. These filings repeated many of the false and misleading statements and also falsely claimed that neither company had any plans or understandings to engage in a merger.
  - 10. By this conduct:
- (a) Husain and Jaclin have violated the registration provisions of Section 5(a) and 5(c) and the antifraud provisions of Section 17(a) of the Securities

Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 77(e)(a), 77(e)(c), 77q(a);

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- Husain has violated the antifraud provisions of Section 10(b) (b) and the control person provisions of Section 20(a), of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 78j(b), 78t(a), and Rule 10b-5(a)-(c) thereunder, 17 C.F.R. § 240.10b-5(a)-(c);
- Jaclin has violated the antifraud provisions of Section 10(b) of (c) the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 78j(b) and Rule 10b-5(a) and (c) thereunder, 17 C.F.R.§ 240.10b-5(a) and (c);
- (d) Husain and Jaclin have aided and abetted the public shell companies' violations of Section 17(a) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. § 77q(a); the antifraud provisions of Sections 10(b) and 15(d) of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 78j(b), and Rule 10b-5 thereunder, 17 C.F.R. §§ 240.10b-5, and the reporting provisions of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. § 78o(d), and Rules 12b-20, 15d-1 and 15d-13 thereunder, 17 C.F.R. §§ 240.12b-20, 240.15d-1, and 240.15d-13:
- (e) Jaclin has aided and abetted Husain's violations of Section 17(a) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 77q(a), and Section 10(b) of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 78j(b) 78o(d), and Rule 10b-5 thereunder, 17 C.F.R. § 240.10b-5; and
- (f) Husain and Jaclin have aided and abetted the shell company purchasers' violations of Sections 5(a) and 5(c) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 77(e)(a), 77(e)(c).
- 11. The SEC seeks disgorgement of defendants' ill-gotten gains, prejudgment interest, civil penalties, and penny stock bars, and, against Husain, seeks an officer and director bar.

### THE DEFENDANTS

12. Imran Husain resides in Santa Monica, California. Husain is in the business of starting companies, taking them public, and selling them to purchasers 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

seeking to acquire public shell companies. On March 20, 2014, Husain was charged with conspiracy and obstruction of justice relating to an SEC investigation of one of his shell companies. *U.S. v. Husain*, Case No. CR 14-149 RS (U.S. District Court, N.D. Cal.) (Dkt. No. 1). On October 14, 2014, he pled guilty to one count of conspiracy to obstruct the proceedings of the SEC (Dkt. No. 24).

13. **Gregg Evan Jaclin** is an attorney residing in Princeton Junction, New Jersey, and is admitted to the bar in New York and New Jersey. Jaclin is a corporate securities attorney whose practice focuses on taking microcap companies public, preparing their periodic SEC reports, and serving as the shell company's counsel when the company is sold. During the majority of the relevant time period, Jaclin was a partner at the now-dissolved law firm of Anslow & Jaclin, which was located in Englishtown, New Jersey.

### THE SHELL COMPANIES

- 14. New Image Concepts, Inc., nka Car Charging Group, Inc. ("New Image") is one of the nine shell companies created by defendants as part of their fraudulent scheme, and one of the seven that was subsequently sold:
- (a) New Image was incorporated in Nevada on October 23, 2006. Located in Miami Beach, Florida, New Image claimed that it would offer personal style consultation services.
- (b) On March 18, 2008, New Image filed a Form S-1 registration statement, in connection with an initial public offering of 997,855 shares of common stock at an offering price of \$0.05 per share, for a total offering amount of \$49,893. The registration statement was filed on March 18, 2008; was amended on April 1, 2008; became effective on April 4, 2008; and was amended post-registration on September 23, 2009, effective September 29, 2009.
  - (c) From May 13, 2008 through November 12, 2009, New Image

filed periodic reports with the SEC pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act and related rules thereunder.

- (d) On December 7, 2009, New Image was sold, through a reverse merger, for \$215,000.
- (e) Following the merger, New Image changed its name to Car Charging Group, Inc. Common stock of Car Charging Group was offered and sold to the public beginning on December 14, 2009 under the symbol "CCGI." Its common stock is currently quoted on OTC Link.
- 15. PR Complete Holdings, Inc., nka YesDTC Holdings, Inc. ("PR Complete") is one of the nine shell companies created by defendants as part of their fraudulent scheme, and one of the seven that was subsequently sold:
- (a) PR Complete was incorporated in Nevada on May 22, 2008. Located in San Francisco, California, PR Complete claimed that it planned to be an online press release preparation service.
- (b) On November 7, 2008, PR Complete filed a Form S-1 registration statement in connection with an initial public offering of 914,000 shares of common stock at an offering price of \$0.05 per share, for a total offering of \$45,700. The registration statement was filed on November 7, 2008; was amended on December 15, 2008 and January 5, 2009; became effective on January 16, 2009; and was amended post-registration on September 23, 2009, effective September 24, 2009.
- (c) From March 23, 2009 through November 16, 2009, PR Complete filed periodic reports with the SEC pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act and related rules thereunder.
- (d) On December 4, 2009, PR Complete was sold, through a reverse merger, for \$240,000.
  - (e) Following the merger, PR Complete changed its name to

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YesDTC Holdings. Common stock of YesDTC Holdings was offered and sold to the public beginning on January 21, 2010 under the symbol "YESD."

- On November 17, 2014, the SEC suspended trading pursuant to (f) Section 12(k) of the Exchange Act. In re YesDTC Holdings, Inc., Release No. 34-73611 (Nov. 17, 2014). On December 15, 2014, each class of its registered securities was revoked pursuant to Section 12(j) of the Exchange Act, which became final on January 27, 2015. In re YesDTC Holdings, Inc., Rel. No. 34-74140 (Jan. 27, 2015). On February 25, 2015, a final judgment was entered as to YesDTC's CEO Joseph Noel, for a pump and dump scheme involving Yes DTC's stock. See SEC v. Noel, Case No. 14-cv-05054-VC (N.D. Cal.).
- Ciglarette, Inc., nka Kirin International Holding, Inc. 16. ("Ciglarette") is one of the nine Shell companies created by defendants as part of their fraudulent scheme and one of the seven that was subsequently sold:
- Ciglarette was incorporated in Nevada on December 23, 2009. (a) Located in Beijing, China, Ciglarette claimed that it would become an e-cigarette marketer and distributor.
- On April 28, 2010, Ciglarette filed a Form S-1 registration (b) statement in connection with an initial public offering of 296,703 shares of common stock, at an offering price of \$0.05 per share, for a total of \$14,835. The registration statement was filed on April 28, 2010; was amended on May 18, 2010, June 9, 2010, June 15, 2010, June 22, 2010, and June 24, 2010; and became effective on June 24, 2010.
- (c) From July 20, 2010 through January 10, 2011, Ciglarette filed periodic reports with the SEC pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act and related rules thereunder.
- (d) On March 1, 2011, Ciglarette was sold, through a reverse merger, for \$275,000.

- (e) Following the merger, Ciglarette changed its name to Kirin International Holding, Inc. Common stock of Kirin International Holding was offered and sold to the public beginning on March 14, 2011 under the symbol "KIRI." Its common stock is quoted on OTC Link.
- 17. **Resume In Minutes, Inc., nka MEDL Mobile Holdings, Inc.** ("**Resume**") is one of the nine shell companies created by defendants as part of their fraudulent scheme and one of seven that was subsequently sold:
- (a) Resume was incorporated in Nevada on May 22, 2008. Located in Fountain Valley, California, Resume claimed that it planned to offer online all-in-one resume-building services.
- (b) On May 11, 2010, Resume filed a Form S-1 registration statement in connection with an initial public offering of 267,400 shares of common stock, at an offering price of \$0.05 per share, for a total of \$13,370. The registration statement was filed on May 11, 2010; was amended on June 23, 2010, July 15, 2010, July 20, 2010, and July 23, 2010; and became effective on July 27, 2010.
- (c) From August 31, 2010 through May 16, 2011, Resume filed periodic reports with the SEC pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act and related rules thereunder.
- (d) On June 24, 2011, Resume was sold through a reverse merger, for \$350,000.
- (e) Following the merger, Resume changed its name to MEDL Mobile Holdings, Inc. Its common stock is currently quoted on OTC Link.
- 18. **Rapid Holdings, Inc., nka Izea, Inc.** ("Rapid") is one of the nine shell companies created by defendants as part of their fraudulent scheme and one of seven that was subsequently sold:
  - (a) Rapid Holdings was incorporated in Nevada on March 22,

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2010. Located in Orlando, Florida, Rapid claimed that it made loans to individuals secured by their automobiles.

- On July 2, 2010, it filed a Form S-1 registration statement in (b) connection with an initial public offering of 818,000 shares of common stock, at an offering price of \$0.05 per share, for a total of \$40,900. The registration statement was filed on July 2, 2010; was amended on August 9, 2010, August 19, 2010, August 27, 2010, September 2, 2010, September 10, 2010, September 23, 2010, October 1, 2010, and October 5, 2010; and became effective on October 8, 2010.
- (c) From August 31, 2010 through May 16, 2011, Rapid filed periodic reports with the SEC pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act and related rules thereunder.
- On May 11, 2011, Rapid was sold, through a reverse merger, (d) for \$367,000.
- (e) Following the merger, Rapid changed its name to Izea, Inc. Common stock of Izea was offered and sold to the public beginning on June 7, 2011 under the symbol "IZEA." Its common stock is currently quoted on OTC Link.
- 19. Movie Trailer Galaxy, nka Broadcast Live Digital Corp. ("Movie Trailer") is one of the nine shell companies created by defendants as part of their fraudulent scheme and one of seven that was subsequently sold:
- (a) Movie Trailer was incorporated in Nevada on April 27, 2010. Located in Mississauga, Ontario, Canada, Movie Trailer claimed to be an online portal to preview the latest movie information.
- On October 15, 2010, Movie Trailer filed a Form S-1 (b) registration statement in connection with an initial public offering of 280,985 shares of common stock, at an offering price of \$0.05 per share, for a total of

\$14,049. The registration statement was filed on October 15, 2010; was amended on December 16, 2010, January 19, 2011, February 9, 2011, March 2, 2011, and March 18, 2011; became effective March 25, 2011; and was amended post-registration on September 4, 2012, effective September 12, 2012.

- (c) From May, 9, 2011 through November 29, 2011, Movie Trailer filed periodic reports with the SEC pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act and related rules thereunder.
- (d) On September 11, 2012, Movie Trailer was sold through a reverse merger, for \$370,000.
- (e) Following the merger, it changed its name to Broadcast Live Digital Corp. Common stock of Broadcast Live Digital Corp. was offered and sold to the public beginning on October 23, 2012 under the symbol "BFLD." Its common stock was quoted on OTC Link. On March 7, 2014, the SEC suspended trading in the securities of Broadcast Live Digital Corp., citing questions regarding the accuracy of publicly available information concerning its business operations. *In re Broadcast Live Digital Corp.*, Rel. No. 34-71659 (Mar. 7, 2014).
- 20. **Health Directory, Inc., nka Sollensys Corp.** ("Health Directory") is one of the nine shell companies created by defendants as part of their fraudulent scheme and one of seven that was subsequently sold:
- (a) Health Directory was incorporated in Nevada on September 29,2010. Located in Newport Beach, California, Health Directory claimed to be an online health-related directory website.
- (b) On May 27, 2011, Health Directory filed a Form S-1 registration statement in connection with an initial public offering of 759,400 shares of common stock, at an offering price of \$0.05 per share, for a total of \$37,970. The registration statement was filed May 27, 2011; was amended July 14, 2011, August 12, 2011, September 21, 2011, and October 4, 2011; and became

effective on October 19, 2011.

- (c) From November 19, 2011 through June 28, 2012, Health Directory filed periodic reports with the SEC pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act and related rules thereunder.
- (d) On July 20, 2012, Health Directory was sold through a reverse merger, for \$425,000.
- (e) Following the merger, Health Directory changed its name to Sollensys Corp. Common stock of Sollensys Corp. was offered and sold to the public beginning on October 15, 2012, under the symbol "SOLS." Its common stock is currently quoted on OTC Link.
- 21. **Comp Services, Inc. ("Comp Services")** is one of the nine shell companies created by defendants as part of their fraudulent scheme:
- (a) Comp Services was incorporated in Nevada on June 17, 2011 and located in Turlock, California. Comp Services claimed to be an online computer parts and services provider.
- (b) On December 20, 2011, Comp Services filed a Form S-1 registration statement in connection with an initial public offering of 739,000 shares of common stock, at an offering price of \$0.05 per share, for a total of \$36,950. The registration statement was filed December 20, 2011; was amended January 27, 2010, February 22, 2012, March 14, 2012, April 10, 2012, April 23, 2012, April 26, 2012, and April 30, 2012; became effective on May 4, 2012; and was amended post registration on October 17, 2013, November 27, 2013, and December 18, 2013.
- (c) From June 14, 2012 through September 23, 2013, Comp Services filed periodic reports with the SEC pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act and related rules thereunder.
  - (d) Its common stock was quoted on the OTC Link under the

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symbol "CMPS." On April 23, 2014, while a post-effective amendment was pending, the SEC issued a stop order suspending the effectiveness of its registration statement, because of the company's failure to disclose its control person/promoter. In re the Registration Statement of Comp Services, Inc., Rel. No. 33-9577 (Apr. 23, 2014).

- Counseling International, Inc. ("Counseling International") is 22. one of the nine shell companies created by defendants as part of their fraudulent scheme:
- (a) Counseling International was incorporated in Nevada on September 30, 2011. Located in Los Angeles, California, Counseling International purportedly engaged in the business of providing online access to providers of low-cost counseling services and mental health-related products.
- On August 8, 2012, Counseling International filed a Form S-1 (b) registration statement in connection with an initial public offering of 763,400 shares of common stock, at an offering price of \$0.05 per share, for a total offering amount of \$38,170. The registration statement was filed August 8, 2012; and was amended September 25, 2012, November 19, 2012, December 19, 2012, and January 9, 2013.
- On August 22, 2013, the SEC issued a stop order suspending (c) the effectiveness of its registration statement, because of the company's failure to disclose its control person/promoter. *In re the Registration Statement of* Counseling International, Rel. No. 33-9444 (Aug. 22, 2013).
- 23. New Image, PR Complete, Ciglarette, Resume, Rapid, Movie Trailer, Health Directory, Comp Services, and Counseling International are collectively referred to as the "shell companies."

### THE FRAUDULENT SCHEME

From 2006 to 2013, Husain and Jaclin ran a shell factory where they

manufactured nine shell companies, subsequently selling seven of them in fraudulent unregistered public offerings.

25. The factory included a typical pattern of conduct repeated by Husain and Jaclin for each shell company, as alleged below.

### A. Jaclin's "Self-Filing Model"

- 26. In or about 2004, Jaclin met Husain, who sought advice about how to take a company public. Jaclin introduced Husain to what Jaclin termed his "self-filing model."
- 27. Under this self-filing model, a company first is incorporated and conducts a private placement offering of its stock to a limited number of investors, such as friends and family. Then, the company files a Form S-1 registration statement with the SEC to register a public offering of the private placement investors' stock.
- 28. Once the registration statement becomes effective, the company files periodic reports on Forms 10-K and 10-Q in accordance with SEC regulations.
- 29. The company then works with a market maker to obtain clearance from FINRA to publish stock price quotations on the OTC Bulletin Board or OTC Link. Exchange Act Rule 15c2-11, 17 C.F.R. § 240.15c2-11, requires a broker or dealer to obtain reasonably current information concerning a company before publishing a quotation for the company's securities, often including the registration statement filed with the SEC.
- 30. Once FINRA provides clearance, the company works with the market maker and a transfer agent to obtain Depository Trust Clearing ("DTC") eligibility so that trades of its stock can be settled electronically and thereby reduce costs and time when a share of stock is traded.
- 31. To best utilize the self-filing model, Jaclin advised Husain to create small companies that Husain could control from start to finish, including control

of both the private placement investors and the companies' management.

### **B.** The Shell Factory

32. Utilizing this self-filing model, Husain and Jaclin proceeded to create nine public shell companies, seven of which they sold. This fraudulent shell factory proceeded using the following series of recurring steps.

### 1. Incorporating the Shell Companies and Hiring Puppet CEOs

- 33. First, Husain would identify a potential puppet, such as a friend, friend of a friend, relative, or administrative assistant, to serve as a CEO in name only.
- 34. Jaclin advised Husain that the puppet CEOs should receive some salary to avoid raising suspicions.
- 35. Husain promised potential puppet CEOs a salary of between \$500 and \$700 per month, explaining that Husain himself would handle all of the corporate, legal, and regulatory matters necessary to form the shell company and take it public.
- 36. Husain typically selected a business plan for the shell company that related to the puppet CEO's own background.
- 37. Husain then introduced the puppet CEO to Jaclin, who sent the puppet CEO, directly or through Husain, an engagement letter for he and his firm to serve as the shell company's counsel.
- 38. As counsel, the work Jaclin and his firm did included incorporating the shell company; preparing private placement documents; preparing a registration statement and handling the SEC comment process; and helping to provide information to a market maker to obtain FINRA clearance to quote the shell company's stock.

### 2. The Sham Private Offerings

39. After incorporating the shell company, Husain organized a private

offering of the shell company's stock to approximately 35 Straw Shareholders.

- 40. Jaclin's law firm prepared a private placement memorandum, based on a business plan provided by Husain.
- 41. The private offerings were shams because Husain gave the Straw Shareholders cash to buy the stock, and, in some instances used the names and social security numbers of deceased individuals as the purported investors.
- 42. Husain enlisted several acquaintances to recruit Straw Shareholders, paying the recruiters a commission of between \$200 to \$400 for each investor they obtained.
- 43. The Straw Shareholders used Husain's cash either to write a personal check or to obtain a cashier's check payable to the shell company. Some Straw Shareholders paid with money orders from retail outlets such as CVS or Seven-Eleven.
- 44. Jaclin advised Husain that the Straw Shareholders should submit personal or cashier's checks, rather than money orders, to avoid raising regulators' suspicions.
- 45. The Straw Shareholder signed the documents that Husain gave the recruiter, namely a subscription agreement, investor questionnaire, and a blank stock power.
- 46. Husain subsequently filled in the stock power when selling the shell company to a Straw Shareholder, to make it appear to the transfer agent that the Straw Shareholder was selling his or her stock.
- 47. Jaclin or Husain maintained possession of the stock certificates issued to the Straw Shareholders in the sham private offering.
- 48. When the Straw Shareholders purportedly purchased shares in the shell companies, the shell companies were controlled by Husain, and no restrictive legend appeared on the stock certificates for the shares sold to the Straw

Shareholders.

- 49. The fact that the companies' shares were purportedly sold to and held by the Straw Shareholders gave the appearance that third parties actually owned the companies, when, in fact, Husain retained control over them.
- 50. Husain and Jaclin knew, or were reckless or negligent in not knowing, that the private offerings were shams, that the Straw Shareholders were using Husain's money to purchase the shares, and that Husain controlled the shares.

### 3. The False and Misleading S-1 Registration Statements

- 51. Husain and Jaclin then took each shell company public through a Form S-1 registration statement filed with the SEC, and when necessary, amendments thereto, offering the shares from the sham private placement.
- 52. For each shell company public offering, and the registration of the offering, Jaclin and his law firm served as counsel for the shell company.
- 53. For the registration statement for each of the nine shell companies, Husain controlled the efforts to prepare, review, file, and obtain a notice from the SEC declaring it effective, including providing to Jaclin's firm and to the auditor information, documents, and puppet CEO signatures, as needed.
- 54. Husain approved documents and served as the main point of contact for the shell companies throughout the registration process.
- 55. Jaclin instructed his associates that Husain had the authority to approve documents for filing with the SEC.
- 56. Jaclin's associates emailed each draft registration statement, including any changes or edits, to Jaclin for his approval.
- 57. The draft registration statement was then sent to Husain and the shell companies' outside auditors for review, before being filed with the SEC.
  - 58. Jaclin permitted his associates to use his electronic signature for his

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law firm's opinion letters that were attached to the registration statements, which stated that the shares in the offering had been duly authorized, legally issued, fully paid and were non-assessable.

- 59. Each of the shell companies' registration statements contained numerous materially false and misleading statements.
- (a) Each shell company registration statement falsely claimed that the puppet CEO was the officer, director, and employee of the shell company, and often the sole one of each. These statements were false and misleading because there was no mention of Husain's role as the control person and promoter of the shell company, or that the puppet CEO was the CEO in name only.
- (b) Each shell company registration statement misrepresented the shell company's business purpose by stating that the company would operate in accordance with its business plan. These statements were false and misleading because the actual operations of the shell companies consisted only of turning the shell company into a public shell that would then be sold.
- (c) Each shell company registration statement misrepresented that the Straw Shareholders: (1) purchased their shares in a private offering; (2) were selling the shares for their own account in the registered offering; and (3) were not affiliated with any of the shell company's officers, directors, promoters, or any beneficial owner of 10% or more of the shell company's securities. These statements were false and misleading because: (1) some of the Straw Shareholders did not exist, much less purchase or hold shares; (2) the majority of the remaining Straw Shareholders paid for the shares with cash that Husain supplied; (3) Husain and Jaclin held the shares rather than the Straw Shareholders; (4) the shares under the offering were for Husain's account, not the Straw Shareholders' accounts; and (5) each Straw Shareholder was affiliated with Husain, who controlled each shell company and its securities.

- 60. Husain and Jaclin knew, or were reckless or negligent in not knowing, that the statements alleged above and in the registration statements for each of the nine shell companies were false and misleading.
- 61. The false and misleading statements appeared in the following Form S-1 registration statements filed by the shell companies:

Shell Company	Form S-1 Reg. Stmt.	Date Filed (Effective Date, if any)
New Image	S-1	3/18/08
	S-1/A #1	4/1/08 (4/4/08)
	POS AM	9/23/09 (9/29/09)
PR Complete	S-1	11/7/08
	S-1/A #1	12/15/08
	S-1/A #2	1/5/09 (1/16/09)
	POS AM	9/23/09 (9/24/09)
Ciglarette	S-1	4/28/10
	S-1/A #1	5/18/10
	S-1/A #2	6/9/10
	S-1/A #3	6/15/10
	S-1/A #4	6/22/10
	S-1/A #5	6/24/10
	S-1/A #6	6/24/10 (6/24/10)
Resume	S-1	5/11/10
	S-1/A #1	6/23/10
	S-1/A #2	7/15/10
	S-1/A #3	7/20/10

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Shell Company	Form S-1 Reg. Stmt.	Date Filed (Effective Date, if any)
	S-1/A #4	7/23/10 (7/27/10)
Rapid Holdings	S-1	7/2/10
	S-1/A #1	8/9/10
	S-1/A #2	8/19/10
	S-1/A #3	8/27/10
	S-1/A #4	9/2/10
	S-1/A #5	9/10/10
	S-1/A #6	9/23/10
	S-1/A #7	10/1/10
	S-1/A #8	10/5/10 (10/8/10)
Health Directory	S-1	5/27/11
	S-1/A #1	7/14/11
	S-1/A #2	8/12/11
	S-1/A #3	9/21/11
	S-1/A #4	10/4/11 (10/19/11)
Movie Trailer	S-1	10/15/10
	S-1/A #1	12/16/10
	S-1/A #2	1/19/11
	S-1/A #3	2/9/11
	S-1/A #4	3/2/11
	S-1/A #5	3/18/11 (3/25/11)
	POS AM	9/4/12 (9/12/12)
Comp Services	S-1	12/20/11
	S-1/A #1	1/27/12

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# 4. False and Misleading Information Provided to Transfer Agents and Market Makers

- 62. Husain selected the transfer agents for each of the shell companies and supplied them with shareholder information, serving as the main point of contact for the transfer agents. Husain however disclosed neither his role nor the investors' status as Straw Shareholders.
- 63. Once a shell company's Form S-1 registration statement was declared effective, Jaclin sent the transfer agent his law firm's Form S-1 opinion letter.
- 64. Husain and Jaclin then worked with a market maker to file a FINRA Form 211 application in order for the market maker to publish quotes for the shell company's stock.
- 65. As part of preparing the Form 211, the market maker reviewed the shell company's registration statement, which was incorporated into the Form

- 211, including the materially false and misleading statements.
- 66. Also as part of the Form 211 process, Husain completed an information statement and officer and director questionnaire for each shell company. These documents repeated the false and misleading statements from the shell company's registration statement (except the statements regarding the Straw Shareholders).
- 67. Husain had the puppet CEO for each shell company sign the information statement and questionnaire, or forged his or her signature.
- 68. Jaclin provided information and documents to the market maker, such as copies of the subscription agreements and investor checks from the private placement. Jaclin also helped respond to comments from FINRA about the shell companies' applications.
- 69. Once FINRA provided clearance, the market makers entered quotes for each shell company's stock on one of the over-the-counter quotation systems.
- 70. Husain then worked with the market maker and its affiliated transfer agent to obtain DTC eligibility for each shell company's stock, enhancing the value for sale.
- 71. Husain and Jaclin knew, or were reckless or negligent in not knowing, that the information and documents given to the market makers and transfer agents repeated the false and misleading information contained in the registration statements.
  - 5. False and Misleading Periodic Reports Filed By Eight of the Shell Companies
- 72. Eight of the nine shell companies—*i.e.*, all of them except Counseling International—became public reporting companies under SEC regulations, which required them to file periodic reports with the SEC.
  - 73. In order to maintain these eight shell companies' status as reporting

companies, Husain and Jaclin filed periodic reports with the SEC on Forms 10-K and 10-Q.

- 74. Jaclin's associates emailed draft periodic filings for these eight shell companies to Jaclin for his approval.
- 75. Husain also received draft periodic filings for the eight shell companies from Jaclin's associates, once the filings were ready for review by the company and the outside auditor.
- 76. The periodic reports repeated the following false and misleading information contained in the registration statements:
- (a) They falsely claimed that the puppet CEO was the officer, director, and employee of the shell company, and often the sole one of each. These statements were false and misleading because there was no mention of Husain's role as control person and promoter or the puppet CEO's *de minimis* role; and
- (b) They misrepresented the company's business purpose by stating that the company would operate in accordance with its business plan, whereas the actual plans and operations consisted of turning the company into a public shell that subsequently would be sold.
- 77. Husain and Jaclin knew, or were reckless or negligent in not knowing, that the statements alleged above in the periodic reports for the eight shell companies were false and misleading.
- 78. The false and misleading statements appeared in the following periodic reports filed by the eight shell companies with the SEC:

Shell Company	Periodic Report	Date Filed
New Image	10-Q 1Q 08	5/13/08

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	10-Q Q2 08	8/11/08
	10-Q/A 2Q 08	8/22/08
	10-K FY 08	3/23/09
	10-Q 2Q 09	8/3/09
	10-K/A FY08	9/30/09
	10-Q/A 2Q 09	9/30/09
	10-Q 3Q 09	11/12/09
PR Complete	10-K FY 08	3/23/09
Tre complete	10-Q 1Q 09	5/11/09
	10-Q 2Q 09	8/6/09
	10-K/A FY 08	9/25/09
	10-Q/A 1Q 09	9/25/09
	10-Q/A 2Q 09	9/25/09
	10-Q 3Q 09	11/16/09
Ciglarette	10-Q 1Q 10	7/20/10
Organiente	10-Q 2Q 10	11/4/10
	10-Q 3Q 10	1/10/11
Resume	10-Q 2Q 10	8/31/10
	10-Q 3Q 10	11/15/10
	10-K FY 10	3/31/11
	10-Q 1Q 11	5/16/11
Rapid Holdings	10-Q 2Q 10	11/22/10
Tupia Holdings	10-Q 3Q 10	1/12/11
	10-Q 4Q 10	4/14/11
Health Directory	10-Q 2Q 12	11/19/11
	10-Q/A 2Q 11	12/16/11

Shell Company	Periodic Report	Date Filed
	10-Q 3Q 12	2/12/12
	10-K FY 12	6/28/12
Movie Trailer	10-Q Q2 11	5/9/11
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	10-K FY 11	11/29/11
Comp Services	10-Q 2Q 12	6/14/12
Comp Services	10-Q 3Q 12	9/12/12
	10-K FY 12	1/29/13
	10-Q Q3 13	9/23/13
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### **C.** The Sales of Seven of the Shell Companies

- 79. Approximately one-and-a-half to two years after incorporation, Husain and Jaclin sold seven of the nine shell companies for sale proceeds ranging from \$215,000 to \$425,000, for a total of \$2.25 million.
- 80. Jaclin introduced Husain to the purchasers for at least six of the shell companies that were sold: New Image, Ciglarette, PR Complete, Rapid Holdings, Resume, and Movie Trailer.
- 81. For each shell company sale, Jaclin advised Husain to appoint a shareholder representative to effect the sale, including the transfer of the Straw Shareholders' stock to the purchaser(s).
- 82. Husain appointed a shareholder nominee as a representative for the Straw Shareholders for each shell company sale.
- 83. For each sale, Jaclin's law firm prepared stock purchase agreements among the shell company purchaser(s), the shell company, the puppet CEO, and each Straw Shareholder (on whose behalf the nominee-representative signed the agreement).
  - 84. Also as part of each shell company sale, Jaclin's law firm prepared an

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escrow agreement among the nominee-representative, the shell company purchaser(s), and an escrow agent. For six of the shell company sales (i.e., all except Ciglarette), Jaclin's firm served as the escrow agent to effect the transfer of the stock certificates and the funds for the shell company purchase.

- 85. Once the escrow agent received all of the funds for the sale, the signed agreements, the stock certificates, and the stock powers, the escrow agent wired the sales proceeds to the nominee-representative's bank account, less any amounts owed for Jaclin's firm's legal fees.
- 86. Husain directed the nominee-representative to wire transfer portions of the funds to one or more of Husain's bank accounts in the United States.
- 87. As a further part of each shell company sale, Jaclin's firm provided opinion letters instructing the transfer agent to cancel the shares in the name of the Straw Shareholders and to reissue them in the names of the shell company purchasers.
- 88. The sales of the shell companies were accomplished through "reverse merger" transactions with private purchasing entities, where the shareholders of the purchaser would acquire a majority of the shares of the public shell company (i.e., the Straw Shareholders' shares), and then the public shell company would then be merged into the purchasing entity.
- For two of the shell companies, Movie Trailer and Health Directory, 89. the nominee-representative held the shares in the nominee's brokerage account. As part of the sale of these two shell companies, Husain instructed the nomineerepresentative to sell his shares in the open market, where the shell company purchasers bought them.
- 90. After the sale of each shell company, the shell company's puppet CEO resigned and new management was installed.
  - New management changed the shell company's name and business 91.

model, as announced in Form 8-K reports publicly filed with the SEC.

- 92. Following quotation clearance by FINRA and the establishment of the stock's DTC eligibility, the stock in at least three shell companies New Image, Health Directory and Movie Trailer were publicly traded before these three were sold to the shell company purchasers.
- 93. The sales of the seven shell companies occurred on the following dates, and generated the following sale proceeds:

Shell Company	Sale Date	Sales Price
New Image	12/7/2009	\$215,000
PR Complete	12/4/2009	\$240,000
Ciglarette	3/1/2011	\$275000
Rapid	5/11/2011	\$367,000
Resume	6/24/11	\$350,000
Health Directory	7/20/2012	\$425,000
Movie Trailer	9/11/2012	\$370,000

## D. The Movie Trailer Post-Effective Form S-1 Amendment and the Health Directory Form 10-K

- 94. In connection with the sales of Health Directory and Movie Trailer, Husain and Jaclin filed documents with the SEC that made false and misleading statements about the companies.
- 95. As set forth above, Health Directory was sold to a purchaser on July 20, 2012 for \$425,000.
- 96. On June 28, 2012, Husain and Jaclin caused Health Directory to file a Form 10-K annual report with the SEC.
- 97. At the time of the Form 10-K filing, Husain had agreed in principle to sell Health Directory, the two parties had begun to prepare merger documents, and the Health Directory shell company purchaser had paid a down payment of

\$25,000 of the \$425,000 purchase price to the escrow account at Jaclin's firm.

- 98. As set forth above, Movie Trailer was sold to a purchaser on September 11, 2012 for \$370,000.
- 99. One week before the sale was consummated, on September 4, 2012, Husain and Jaclin caused Movie Trailer to file with the SEC a post-effective amendment to its Form S-1 registration statement.
- 100. At the time the Form S-1 amendment was filed, the purchaser of Movie Trailer had paid \$187,500, representing half of the \$375,000 purchase price, to the escrow account at Jaclin's firm.
- 101. The Health Directory Form10-K and the Movie Trailer post-effective Form S-1 amendment repeated the same false and misleading statements from these shell companies' earlier SEC filings:
- (a) They falsely claimed that the puppet CEO was the officer, director, and employee of the shell company, and often the sole one of each. These statements were false and misleading because there was no mention of Husain's role as control person and promoter or the puppet CEO's *de minimis* role; and
- (b) They misrepresented the company's business purpose by stating that the company would operate in accordance with its business plan, whereas the actual plans and operations consisted of turning the company into a public shell that subsequently would be sold.
- 102. These filings further falsely stated that each shell company had no plans, arrangement, or understanding to engage in a merger. The shell company purchasers for each of the two shell companies, however, had already sent Husain and Jaclin closing checklists; requested documents to review; and the shell company purchasers had already deposited funds covering portions of the purchase prices into Jaclin's firm's escrow account.

103. Husain and Jaclin knew, or were reckless or negligent in not knowing, that Health Directory's Form 10-K filed with the SEC was false and misleading, because: (1) Husain had already agreed to sell the shell company; (2) Husain and Jaclin were actively working with the shell company purchasers' counsel for the sale; and (3) Jaclin's firm had already received a portion of the purchase price for the sale.

104. Husain and Jaclin knew, or were reckless or negligent in not knowing, that Movie Trailer's post effective Form S-1 amendment filed with the SEC was false and misleading, because: (1) Husain had already agreed to sell the shell company; (2) Husain and Jaclin were actively working with the shell company purchasers' counsel for the sale; and (3) Jaclin's firm had already received a portion of the purchase price for the sale.

### E. The Unregistered Offer and Sale of Six Shell Companies' Stock

105. After seven of the nine shell companies were sold by the defendants in the reverse merger transactions, the stock of six of those companies was offered and sold to the public in the over-the-counter market.

106. The offer and sale of these six companies' shares through the over-the-counter market each occurred within three months of the defendants selling the companies in reverse mergers, as set forth below. The table that follows sets forth the name of the shell company that defendants created and sold, the name of the company that the purchasers gave the company after buying it from the defendants, the date of that sale or reverse merger, and the date the stock in that newly named company was sold to the public:

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Shell Company Name Before Merger	Shell Company Name After Merger	Merger Date	Date of First Public Offer and Sale Following Merger
New Image	Car Charging Group, Inc.	12/7/2009	12/14/2009
PR Complete	YesDTC Holdings, Inc.	12/4/2009	1/21/2010
Ciglarette	Kirin International Holding, Inc.	3/1/2011	3/14/2011
Rapid Holdings	Izea Inc.	5/11/2011	6/7/2011
Health Directory	Sollensys Corp.	7/20/12	10/15/2012
Movie Trailer	Broadcast live Digital Corp.	9/11/2012	10/23/2012

- 107. These transactions were not registered with the SEC, as no registration statement was in effect, and no exemption from registration existed.
- 108. For each of these six offerings, Husain was the issuer of the shell company's shares because he had complete control over the shell companies at the time the shell companies were sold to the shell company purchasers.
- 109. For each of these six offerings, the purchasers of the shell companies were the underwriters of the public offerings of their stock, because the purchasers had obtained the stock with a view to subsequently distributing the shares to the public.
- 110. Husain and Jaclin were necessary participants and substantial factors in the offer and sale of these shares to the public, *inter alia*, because:
- (a) Husain's shell factory business was for the creation and sale of shell companies to third parties who intended to resell in open market

transactions. He set up the sham private placements, and he sold the stock to the shell purchasers, using the stock powers from the Straw Shareholders.

- (b) Jaclin taught Husain how to use the self-filing model; he prepared the legal documentation at each step of the shell factory; and he instructed the transfer agent to issue shares without restrictive legends.
- (c) Both worked with market makers to facilitate quotes, so the shell purchasers could have access to the public markets to distribute the shares.
- (d) Both worked to bring about the shell company sales, including negotiating the price; preparing the necessary agreements; instructing the transfer agents to cancel the stock certificates in the names of the Straw Shareholders and reissue in the name of the shell purchasers; and Jaclin additionally acted as the escrow agent for the sales.
- 111. Husain and Jaclin knew or were reckless in not knowing that they substantially assisted having these six offerings of the shell companies' stock to the public take place without registration with the SEC.

### F. Husain's and Jaclin's Attempts to Obstruct Regulatory Oversight

- 112. Husain and Jaclin also attempted to obstruct regulatory oversight of the offerings of the stock of their shell companies.
- 113. Initially, Husain and Jaclin communicated via email using Jaclin's email address at his law firm, and Husain's email address.
- 114. Several years into the shell factory scheme, in or about 2011, Jaclin advised Husain that, to avoid regulatory scrutiny, they should exchange fewer emails. Jaclin suggested that Husain instead utilize email accounts in the names of the puppet CEOs to communicate with Jaclin and his law firm.
- 115. Following Jaclin's suggestion, Husain, for at least four shell companies (Health Directory, Movie Trailer, Comp Services, and Counseling International), then communicated with Jaclin under the guise of each shell

company's puppet CEO.

- 116. In 2012, Jaclin asked Husain, and Husain agreed, to hire a computer consultant to "scrub" emails amongst Husain, Jaclin and Jaclin's firm. A consultant was retained and did scrub Jaclin's and at least two of his associates' emails. As a result, the emails were permanently deleted from Jaclin's law firm's email servers.
- 117. Husain also instructed the puppet CEOs for two of the shell companies to make false statements during investigative testimony before the SEC.

### G. Husain's and Jaclin's Roles in the Fraud and Registration Violations

- 118. Husain knowingly, or at least recklessly or negligently, carried out deceptive acts and engaged in a course of business in furtherance of a scheme to defraud.
- 119. Husain was the architect and prime mover of the fraudulent scheme by running the shell factory, by overseeing, directing, and controlling each part of its operation, specifically:
- (a) formulating the shell companies' business plans, which would never be implemented, to give the appearance of a legitimate business;
- (b) locating puppet CEOs to hide his shell factory activities, including his control of each shell company;
- (c) paying the puppet CEOs a monthly salary to reduce regulatory scrutiny;
- (d) conducting sham private placements, using cash payments, Straw Shareholders, and forged documents, to make it appear as if the shell companies had actual investors;
- (e) working with Jaclin to create materially false and misleading registration statements and periodic filings;

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- (f) making and obtaining money by means of materially false and misleading information;
- providing materially false and misleading information, (g) including documents from the sham public offering and forged background information documents, to the market makers and transfer agents for the FINRA Form 211 application process;
- (h) using email accounts that Husain created to make it appear as if the puppet CEO was approving SEC filings;
- selling seven of the nine shell companies, through nominee-(i) representatives, for profit, by selling all of the stock;
- approving a post-effective Form S-1 amendment and a Form (i)10-K that were materially false and misleading to facilitate the sale of two shell companies;
- (k) attempting to obstruct regulatory oversight of the shell factory scheme by causing the deletion of emails and instructing two puppet CEOs to make false statements in SEC investigative testimony; and
- failing to exercise reasonable prudence in preparing the shell (1) companies' SEC filings.
- 120. Husain also substantially assisted the shell companies' fraud of giving the false appearance that they were legitimate companies going public and of issuing materially and false misleading statements and omissions. In short, he knew, or was reckless in not knowing, that the shell companies were committing fraud and issuing materially false and misleading public statements; and he provided substantial assistance by locating puppet CEOs; paying their salaries; conducting sham private placements; hiring counsel, accountants, and auditors; working with market makers and transfer agents; approving registration statements and periodic reports; and selling the shell companies.

- 121. Husain also substantially assisted the shell companies' failure to register their public offerings. In short, he knew, or was reckless in not knowing, that six of the shell companies were, after their reverse mergers, offering and selling stock without an effective registration statement. Husain knowingly or recklessly conducted purported private placements to enable him to subsequently file Form S-1 registration statements for shares held by the Straw Shareholders. He knew or was reckless in not knowing that because the shares had been placed in the names of Straw Shareholders, disguising his control over them, that the shares could appear to be eligible for subsequent sale without restrictive legends. Husain knowingly or recklessly provided substantial assistance to enable the shell company stock sales into the over-the-counter market. Husain also knew or was reckless in not knowing that the shell company purchasers bought the shares from him with a view to engaging in a distribution.
- 122. Husain had motive to engage in this conduct because he earned between \$215,000 and \$425,000 for each shell company sale.
- 123. Jaclin knowingly, or at least recklessly or negligently, carried out deceptive acts and engaged in a course of business in furtherance of the fraudulent shell factory scheme. Jaclin's deceptive conduct consisted of him:
- (a) advising Husain to secretly remain in control of the entire shell-making operation, including the puppet CEOs and Straw Shareholders, while preparing registration statements which described the shell companies as actual development stage companies with bona fide CEOs and which concealed Husain's identity and control over both company management and the Straw Shareholders;
- (b) telling Husain to pay the puppet CEOs a salary to avoid regulatory scrutiny;
- (c) instructing Husain to obtain personal and cashier's checks rather than money orders to avoid regulatory scrutiny;

- (d) approving materially false and misleading registration statements and periodic reports for filing;
- (e) instructing his law firm to send the market makers the subscription documents, checks, and money orders from the sham private placements for their review and inclusion in their Form 211 applications to FINRA;
- (f) suggesting that Husain create email accounts that appeared to be those of the puppet CEOs but that Husain actually used, to hide Husain's role as control person;
- (g) approving a post-effective Form S-1 amendment and a Form 10-K that were materially false and misleading to facilitate the sale of two shell companies; and
- (h) attempting to obstruct regulatory oversight of the shell factory scheme by causing the deletion of emails; and
- (i) failing to exercise reasonable prudence in preparing the shell companies' SEC filings.
- 124. Jaclin also substantially assisted the shell companies' and Husain's fraud of giving the false appearance that they were legitimate companies going public, and substantially assisted the shell companies' fraud of issuing materially and false misleading statements and omissions. In short, Jaclin knew, or was reckless in not knowing, that Husain and the shell companies were committing fraud, and that the shell companies were issuing materially false and misleading periodic reports, and he provided substantial assistance by approving the private placements, registration statements, and periodic reports; providing the market makers with documents from the sham private placements and responding to FINRA requests for more information during the Form 211 process; suggesting that Husain create email accounts that appeared to be those of the puppet CEOs but

that Husain actually used, to hide Husain's role as control person; locating potential shell company purchasers; and providing legal and escrow services in the reverse mergers, including his role in preparing and filing the Movie Trailer post-effective amendment and the Health Directory Form 10-K.

- 125. Jaclin also substantially assisted the shell companies' failure to register their public offerings. In short, Jaclin knew, or was reckless in not knowing, that six of the shell companies were offering and selling stock without an effective registration statement. Jaclin knew or was reckless in not knowing that the purpose of the series of transactions in which he assisted Husain was to facilitate the sale of stock to the public. Jaclin approved the S-1 registration statements and worked with market makers to obtain clearance from FINRA to publish quotes for the six shell companies' shares, thereby providing the shell company purchasers access to the public markets to distribute the shares. Jaclin found six of the purchasers for the shell companies. Jaclin signed letters to the transfer agents to cancel the share certificates in the names of the Straw Shareholders and reissue the certificates without restrictive legends in the names of the shell purchasers. Jaclin prepared the documentation for the share sales and acted as escrow agent for each reverse merger. Jaclin filed a post-effective amendment for Movie Trailer as part of that sale.
- 126. Jaclin had motive to engage in this conduct because his law firm earned nearly \$225,000 in attorneys' fees from these representations.
- 127. Husain and Jaclin's fraudulent scheme was an ongoing and continuing fraud that began in 2008 or earlier, and continued through at least 2013. Their continuing fraudulent scheme was still ongoing on and after March 1, 2011.
- 128. Husain and Jaclin have each entered into tolling agreements to toll the running of any statute of limitations for any action or proceeding against them, including any sanctions or relief that may be sought or imposed in such action or

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### **FIRST CLAIM FOR RELIEF**

## **Unregistered Offer and Sale of Securities** Violations of Sections 5(a) and 5(c) of the Securities Act (against all Defendants)

- The SEC realleges and incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 128 above.
- 130. The stock of the shell companies that Defendants offered and sold to U.S. customers as alleged herein constitute "securities" as defined by the Securities Act and the Exchange Act.
- 131. Defendants Husain and Jaclin, and each of them, by engaging in the conduct described above, directly or indirectly, made use of means or instruments of transportation or communication in interstate commerce or of the mails, to offer to sell or to sell securities, or to carry or cause such securities to be carried through the mails or in interstate commerce for the purpose of sale or for delivery after sale.
- 132. For the offers and sales of stock by the shell company purchasers of shell companies New Image, PR Complete, Ciglarette, Rapid Holdings, Health Directory, and Movie Trailer, no valid registration statement was in effect and no exemption from registration applied.
- 133. For the offers and sales of stock by defendant Husain of shell companies New Image, PR Complete, Ciglarette, Resume, Rapid Holdings, Health Directory, and Movie Trailer, no valid registration statement was in effect and no exemption from registration applied.
- 134. By engaging in the conduct described above, defendants Husain and Jaclin have violated, and unless restrained and enjoined will continue to violate,

Sections 5(a) and 5(c) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 77e(a) and 77e(c).

### **SECOND CLAIM FOR RELIEF**

# Fraud in the Offer or Sale of Securities Violations of Section 17(a) of the Securities Act (against all Defendants)

- 135. The SEC realleges and incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 128 above.
- 136. Defendants Husain and Jaclin, and each of them, by engaging in the conduct described above, directly or indirectly, in the offer or sale of securities by the use of means or instruments of transportation or communication in interstate commerce or by use of the mails:
- (a) with scienter, employed devices, schemes, or artifices to defraud;
- (b) obtained money or property by means of untrue statements of a material fact or by omitting to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading; or
- (c) engaged in transactions, practices, or courses of business which operated or would operate as a fraud or deceit upon the purchaser.
- 137. By engaging in the conduct described above, defendants Husain and Jaclin violated, and unless restrained and enjoined, will continue to violate, Section 17(a) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. § 77q(a).

### THIRD CLAIM FOR RELIEF

Fraud in Connection with the Purchase or Sale of Securities

Violations of Section 10(b) of the Exchange Act and Rule 10b-5(a)-(c)

(against Defendant Husain)

138. The SEC realleges and incorporates by reference paragraphs 1

through 128 above.

- 139. Defendant Husain, by engaging in the conduct described above, directly or indirectly, in connection with the purchase or sale of a security, by the use of means or instrumentalities or interstate commerce, of the mails, or of the facilities of a national securities exchange, with scienter:
  - (a) employed devices, schemes, or artifices to defraud;
- (b) made untrue statements of a material fact or omitted 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) engaged in acts, practices or courses of business which operated or would operate as a fraud or deceit upon other persons.
- 140. By engaging in the conduct described above, defendant Husain violated, and unless restrained and enjoined, will continue to violate, Section 10(b) of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. § 78j(b), and Rule 10b-5(a)-(c) thereunder, 17 C.F.R. § 240.10b-5.

### FOURTH CLAIM FOR RELIEF

# Fraud in Connection with the Purchase or Sale of Securities Violations of Section 10(b) of the Exchange Act and Rule 10b-5(a), (c) (against Defendant Jaclin)

- 141. The SEC realleges and incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 128 above.
- 142. Defendant Jaclin, by engaging in the conduct described above, directly or indirectly, in connection with the purchase or sale of a security, by the use of means or instrumentalities or interstate commerce, of the mails, or of the facilities of a national securities exchange, with scienter:
  - (a) employed devices, schemes, or artifices to defraud; [] or
  - (b) engaged in acts, practices or courses of business which operated

or would operate as a fraud or deceit upon other persons.

143. By engaging in the conduct described above, defendant Jaclin violated, and unless restrained and enjoined, will continue to violate, Section 10(b) of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. § 78j(b), and Rule 10b-5(a) and (c) thereunder, 17 C.F.R. § 240.10b-5.

### FIFTH CLAIM FOR RELIEF

## Aiding and Abetting Violations of Section 17(a) of the Securities Act (against all Defendants)

- 144. The SEC realleges and incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 128 above.
- 145. By their conduct described above, the shell companies violated Section 17(a) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. § 77q(a).
- 146. Defendants Husain and Jaclin knowingly or recklessly and substantially assisted the shell companies' violations of Section 17(a) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. § 77q(a), and defendant Jaclin knowingly or recklessly and substantially assisted defendant Husain's violations of Section 17(a) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. § 77q(a).
- 147. Defendants were aware or were reckless in not being aware that their conduct and the substantial assistance they provided the shell companies in perpetrating the violations was improper.
- 148. By reason of the foregoing, Husain and Jaclin aided and abetted the shell companies' violations of Section 17(a) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. § 77q(a), and Jaclin aided and abetted Husain's violations of Section 17(a) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. § 77q(a).

### SIXTH CLAIM FOR RELIEF

Aiding and Abetting Violations of Section 10(b) of the Exchange Act and Rule 10b-5(a)-(c)

#### (against all Defendants)

- 149. The SEC realleges and incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 128 above.
- 150. By their conduct described above, the shell companies violated 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.
- 151. Defendants Husain and Jaclin knowingly or recklessly and substantially assisted the shell companies' violations of 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, and Jaclin knowingly or recklessly and substantially assisted the shell companies' violations of 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.
- 152. Defendants were aware or were reckless in not being aware that their conduct and the substantial assistance they provided the shell companies in perpetrating the violations was improper.
- 153. By reason of the foregoing, Husain and Jaclin aided and abetted the shell companies' violations of 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, and Jaclin aided and abetted Husain's violations of 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.

### SEVENTH CLAIM FOR RELIEF

Aiding and Abetting Violations of Section 15(d) and Rules 12b-20, 15d-1, and 15d-13 of the Exchange Act (against all Defendants)

- 154. The SEC realleges and incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 128 above.
  - 155. Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. § 78o(d), requires the

1 filing of annual and quarterly reports in conformity with the SEC's rules and 2 regulations. Rule 15d-1 of the Exchange Act, 17 C.F.R. § 240.15d-1, requires the 3 4 5 6 7 8

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filing of accurate annual reports, and Rule 15d-13 of the Exchange Act, 17 C.F.R. § 240. 15d-13, requires the filing of accurate quarterly reports. Rule 12b-20 of the Exchange Act, 17 C.F.R. § 240.12b-20, requires an issuer to include in its annual and quarterly reports material information as may be necessary to make the required statements, in light of the circumstances in which they were made, not misleading. 156. By their conduct described above, shell companies New Image, PR Complete, Ciglarette, Resume, Rapid, Movie Trailer, Health Directory, and Comp

- Services filed periodic reports under Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. § 78o(d) that violated Section 15(d) and Rules 12b-20, 15d-1, 15d-13 of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. § 780(d) and 17 C.F.R. §§ 240.12b-20, 240.15d-1, and 240.15d-13.
- 157. Husain and Jaclin knowingly or recklessly and substantially assisted the shell companies' violations of Section 15(d) and Rules 12b-20, 15d-1, and 15d-13 of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. § 78o(d) and 17 C.F.R. §§ 240.12b-20, 240.15d-1, and 240.15d-13.
- 158. Defendants were aware or were reckless in not being aware that their conduct and the substantial assistance they provided the shell companies in perpetrating the violations was improper.
- 159. By reason of the foregoing, defendants Husain and Jaclin aided and abetted and, unless enjoined, are reasonably likely to continue to aid and abet, violations of Section 15(d) and Rules 12b-20, 15d-1, and 15d-13of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. § 78o(d) and 17 C.F.R. §§ 240.12b-20, 240.15d-1, and 240.15d-13.

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### EIGHTH CLAIM FOR RELIEF

### Aiding and Abetting Violations of

### Sections 5(a) and 5(c) of the Securities Act

### (against all Defendants)

- 160. The SEC realleges and incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 128 above.
- 161. By their conduct described above, the purchasers of shell companies New Image, PR Complete, Ciglarette, Rapid Holdings, Health Directory, and Movie Trailer, violated Sections 5(a) and 5(c) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 77e(a) and 77e(c).
- 162. Husain and Jaclin knowingly or recklessly and substantially assisted the shell company purchasers' violations of Sections 5(a) and 5(c) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 77e(a) and 77e(c).
- 163. Defendants were aware or were reckless in not being aware that their conduct and the substantial assistance they provided the shell company purchasers in perpetrating the violations was improper.
- 164. By reason of the foregoing, defendants Husain and Jaclin aided and abetted and, unless enjoined, are reasonably likely to continue to aid and abet, violations of Sections 5(a) and 5(c) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 77e(a) and 77e(c).

### **NINTH CLAIM FOR RELIEF**

### Section 20(a) Control Person Violations of

### Section 10(b) of the Exchange Act and Rule 10b-5(a)-(c)

### (against Defendant Husain)

- 165. The SEC realleges and incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 128 above.
  - 166. As the person who, directly or indirectly, controlled the shell

companies, Husain is liable jointly and severally with and to the same extent as the shell companies for the above-referenced violations of the Exchange Act and rules and regulations thereunder committed by the shell companies.

- 167. As the person who, directly or indirectly, controlled the shell companies, Husain did not act in good faith, and directly or indirectly induced the act or acts that constituted the above-referenced violations of the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations thereunder committed by the shell companies.
- 168. By reason of the foregoing, Husain violated, and, unless enjoined, is reasonably likely to continue to violate, Section 20(a) of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. § 78t(a).

### PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, the SEC respectfully requests that the Court:

I.

Issue findings of fact and conclusions of law that Defendants committed the alleged violations.

II.

Issue orders, in a form consistent with Fed. R. Civ. P. 65(d), permanently enjoining Defendants and their agents, servants, employees, and attorneys, and those persons in active concert or participation with any of them, who receive actual notice of the judgment by personal service or otherwise, and each of them, from violating Sections 5(a) and (c) and 17(a) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 77e(a), 77e(c), and 77q(a), and Sections 10(b) and 15(d) of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 78j(b) and 78o(d), and Rules 10b-5, 15d-1, and 15d-3 thereunder, 17 C.F.R. §§ 240.10b-5, 240.15d-1, and 240.15d-3.

III.

Order Defendants, jointly and severally, to disgorge all ill-gotten gains from their illegal conduct, together with prejudgment interest thereon.

#### IV.

Order Defendants to pay civil penalties under Section 20(d) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. § 77t(d) and Section 21(d)(3) of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. § 78u(d)(3).

V.

Enter an order against defendant Husain, pursuant to Sections 20(e) and 20(g) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. § 77t(e), (g), and Sections 2l(d)(2) and 21(d)(6) of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. § 78u(d)(2), (6), prohibiting him from: (1) acting as an officer or director of any issuer that has a class of securities registered pursuant to Section 12 of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. § 781 or that is required to file reports pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. § 780(d); and (2) prohibiting him from participating in an offering of penny stock; and enter an order against defendant Jaclin, pursuant to Section 20(g) of the Securities Act, 15 U.S.C. § .77t(g), and Section 21(d)(6) of the Exchange Act, 15 U.S.C. § 78u(d)(6), prohibiting him from participating in an offering of penny stock.

VI.

Retain jurisdiction of this action in accordance with the principles of equity and the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure in order to implement and carry out the terms of all orders and decrees that may be entered, or to entertain any suitable application or motion for additional relief within the jurisdiction of this Court.

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VII. Grant such other and further relief as this Court may determine to be just and necessary. Dated: May 12, 2016 Respectfully Submitted, /s/Amy Jane Longo Amy Jane Longo Roberto A. Tercero Attorneys for Plaintiff
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