

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
before the  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934  
Release No. 82038 / November 8, 2017

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING  
File No. 3-18138

In the Matter of the Application of

PAUL E. TABOADA

For Review of Disciplinary Action Taken by

FINRA

ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME

On October 17, 2017, FINRA moved to stay the briefing schedule in the above-referenced appeal while its request that the appeal be dismissed as abandoned remains pending. Extensions of time are disfavored. However, because the applicant has not filed the opening brief, and the motion to dismiss the appeal as abandoned is pending before the Commission, it appears appropriate to extend the time for filing the remaining merits briefs.<sup>1</sup> Accordingly,

It is ORDERED that, until such time as the Commission acts on FINRA's motion to dismiss, the time to file the opposition and reply briefs is extended to 30 days and 45 days, respectively, after any opening brief is filed.

For the Commission, by its Secretary, pursuant to delegated authority.<sup>2</sup>

Eduardo Aleman  
Assistant Secretary

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<sup>1</sup> This order expresses no view as to the substance of the parties' arguments.

<sup>2</sup> 17 C.F.R. § 200.30-7(a)(4).